

REJOICING OR GROANING?

Psalm 32

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2 Samuel 11

Psalm 38:1-10

Hebrews 12:5-11

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2 Samuel 12:13

Psalm 51:1-4

Proverbs 28:13

1 John 1:9

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V. Benefits of Confession - vs. 6-7

A. Fellowship with God -vs. 6a

Psalm 69:13

Isaiah 55:9

B. Protection - vs. 6b-7a

Psalm 9:9

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Proverbs 26:3

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2 Corinthians 5:19

Romans 2:8-9

VIII. Rejoice! - vs.11

Psalm 5:11

Proverbs 16:20

Closing thought: Confession and acknowledgement of sin brings forgiveness, happiness, protection, mercy and rejoicing. Covering and silence of sin brings poor physical, mental, and spiritual health to the saints (due to God's chastening) and sorrow and death to the wicked. Are we a people who confess and acknowledge our sin?