

The Good Life · Psalm 34

Of David, when he changed his behavior before Abimelech, so that he drove him out, and he went away.

V1

¹I will bless the LORD continually;
At all times his praise is in my mouth.
²In the LORD my soul will boast;
Let the humble hear and celebrate.
³Magnify the LORD with me,
Together lift up his name!

V2

⁴I sought the LORD; he answered me,
And from all my fears he delivered me.
⁵Those who look to him will shine;
Never shall their face be shamed.
⁶This poor man cried; the LORD heard him,
And saved him from all his woes.
⁷The angel of the LORD camps round,
And delivers those who fear him.

C1

⁸Oh taste and see that the LORD, he is good!
Blessed is the man who in him takes refuge!
⁹Fear the LORD, you his saints; those who fear him have no lack.
¹⁰Young lions, they hunger and lack,
But those who seek the LORD, they lack no good.

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V3

¹¹O come, O children, listen to me;
I will teach to you the fear of the LORD.
¹²Who's the man who desires life,
Loving many days, that he may see good?
¹³Keep your tongue from evil things;
Your lips from speaking deceit.
¹⁴Turn from wrong, and do what's good;
Pursue and seek after peace!

C2

¹⁵The LORD's eyes are on those who do right,
And his ears are inclined to hear their cry.
¹⁶But the face of the LORD is against those who do wrong,
So that he may cut off the memory of them from the earth.

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¹⁷The LORD hears when righteous ones, they cry,
And saves them from all of their woes.
¹⁸The LORD will be near to the broken heart,
The crushed in spirit He saves, He saves!

C3

¹⁹The righteous one he will have many woes,
But the LORD will save him from them all!
²⁰He will keep all his bones; and not one of them will break.
²¹Affliction will slay wicked men,
And those who hate the righteous will be condemned.

Ending

²²The LORD redeems his servants' life;
None who hide in him are condemned.