

April 25, Psalms 54, Vindicate me by your power

Morning prayer:

Lord, when we are mistreated and rewarded evil for good by those around us cause us to look for vindication in your power alone. “The gospel is the power of God to salvation for everyone who believes” In the gospel our life is hidden with Christ in God... We no longer have a heart that seeks the praise of men first, but longs to please God no matter what men think. Lord cause the truth of the gospel to be lived out in our life in the midst of being miss treated in human relationships. Lord bring an end to the strange voices inside of me, that seek to interfere with walking out the truth of the gospel in my every thought today.

Afternoon prayer:

I purposed to walk with you this morning, Lord, but I'm weary now this afternoon, and I need help... You are more than help You are the sustainer of my soul! In your faithfulness, you will destroy the enemy of my soul that would seek to discourage me this afternoon. I confess all places that I've looked for help or sustaining power other than You. Thank you for being faithful, and just to forgive my sins and cleanse me from all unrighteousness.

Evening prayer:

It's an amazing thought. Lord, that something like my praise, can be a sweet aroma a sacrifice to you. Yet I do comprehend a part of this because it is particularly hard to thank you in the middle of the trail and disappointment. I guess that's where the sacrifice comes in. I choose to thank you for

— — — — — this evening - because I know
“it is good” to give to give thanks in
— — — — — circumstance, or miss
treatment. Lord deliver me from all trouble,
especially the trouble that would shift the
focus (of the eyes of my heart) from you.
Let the eyes of my heart look in satisfaction
on the destruction of any enemy that would
cause my thoughts to wander away from
you. I know that the weapons you have
equipped us with, are able to bring every
thought into captivity, in accordance with
your obedience. Thank you that the Holy
Spirit (the actual presence of power of
Christ within us) will bring about the
obedience of Jesus in us - one step at a
time. I trust you to give me the next
thought to think about as I go to sleep
tonight.