

January 26,

Psalms 10 vs 1-6

don't be far away from us in trouble

NOTE: To encourage everybody to get your Bible out. I won't be putting the psalms written out on the page here. But you can follow along from your own Bible. The purpose of these write ups and recordings are too mobilize the body of Christ to prayer with God's perspective. They're not all inclusive, write ups. The Holy Spirit is going to teach each of us personally from his word.

Morning prayer time:

"Why, O Lord, do you stand far off? Why do you hide yourself in time of trouble?"

Lord help us to pour out our heart with this question. If we think you're far away this morning - we need to talk to you about it.

It's hard for us, for you to stand far away from us - because our lives are dependent on you, and the wicked, who don't trust in you have sought to permeate every area of our life. We are in a time of trouble!! We need you to help us!!! We claim the promise that you are our ever present help in time of trouble. We come boldly to your throne to receive help from you! Yes, Lord, you are the ever present help we need. We are not looking to or boasting about tomorrow. We are coming in this very moment for the help we need and that help is you to be near us.

Thank you for the things that have caused our hearts to be broken where so they must be dependent on what is eternal. Because you are near the brokenhearted.

Hebrews 4:16 - Is the promise that we're going to find help in time of need

This passage of scripture instructs us not to be like those who think they're never gonna be moved and boast in their hearts desire. It's interesting to know that self-confidence and renounce in the Lord are connected. This is connected to God, making his home with the brokenhearted. We need to embrace the place he lives.... And not try to get him to come along with our plans here on earth that could happen whether he shows up or not. Vs -3-4

“13 Come now, you who say, “Today or tomorrow [a]we will go to such and such a city, spend a year there, buy and sell, and make a profit”; 14 whereas you do not know what *will happen* tomorrow. For what *is* your life? It is even a vapor that appears for a little time and then vanishes away. 15 Instead you *ought* to say, “If the Lord wills, we shall live and do this or that.” 16 But now you boast in your arrogance. All such boasting is evil. 17 Therefore, to him who knows to do good and does not do *it*, to him it is sin.” - James 4:13-17

We know the good to do = stoping boasting in our own abilities and resources. Lord, we choose to follow you and boast only in the cross of Christ.

Afternoon prayer time:

Reference the recording for practical information on making this prayer time you own.

Evening prayer time:

Psalms 10:7-11

Lord, we are no match for the devil or his followers. His schemes to outfox us will prevail - if don't look to your Spirit. Lord we depend on you - because he is crouching, even now to bring us into a trap. Lord heal the parts of our life that have been crushed by him or those who follow him ... including ourself. We want you to hide us and we want know that we are safe from the one who

want to kill, steal and destroy everything that is precious to you and to us. Yet we acknowledge that we do not have to be under his influence... Because the evil one could not touch you, cause there is no fault in you... And greater is he that is in us than he that is in the world. Praise your name that he is defeated. Yet we must be sober, knowing that he's walking about the devour on the left handed on the right hand.

“⁸Be sober-minded and alert. Your adversary the devil prowls around like a roaring lion, seeking someone to devour. ⁹Resist him, standing firm in your faith and in the knowledge that your brothers throughout the world are undergoing the same kinds of suffering.” 1 Pet 5:8-9