

July 6, 2025 Worship Service Pastor Bruce Adrian WeAreLifeBridge.com

Summer in the Psalms

Lesson Four • Psalm 30

Evening Weeping, Morning Joy

Main Point of Psalm 30

In <u>LOVINGKINDNESS</u> God humbles us with grief so that He might restore us with gladness, and this should stir us to praise the Lord.

For His anger is but for a moment, and His favor is for a lifetime. Weeping may tarry for the night, but joy comes with the morning. Psalm 30:5

Evening Weeping, Morning Joy

1. The Lord Humbles Us with Momentary GRIEF!

Testimony of a Desperate Man

- David testifies of God's <u>DELIVERANCE</u> from life-threatening trouble (v. 1-3).
- David exhorts God's people to sing <u>PRAISES</u> to the Lord for a lifetime of His favor (v. 4-5).

Confession of a Prideful King

- David recalls his PRIDE that God destroyed (v. 6-7).
 - 1) Pride produces an inflated view of self.
 - 2) Pride produces a false sense of security.
 - 3) Pride cuts us off from the Lord's face.
- David reports his PRAYER for mercy to the Lord (v. 8-10).

2. The Lord Restores Us with Eternal GLADNESS!

Celebration of a Restored Servant

David <u>PRAISES</u> God for turning his mourning into dancing and his grief into gladness (v. 11-12).

Takeaway

Give <u>THANKS</u> to the Lord for turning your momentary grief into eternal gladness.

O LORD my God, I will give thanks to You forever! Psalm 30:12