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Waiting & Trusting

Put your hope in God while you trust Him in your waiting

Psalm 130

The Songs of Ascent are a special group of psalms comprising of Psalms 120—134. They are also called Pilgrim Songs. Four of these songs are attributed to King David (122, 124, 131, 133) and one to Solomon (127), while the remaining ten are anonymous.

Without simple **reminders**, we would forget essential truths.

Psalm 130:1-6

<u>purposeful</u> waiting - are we looking for opportunities in the lives of people in our relational worlds?

<u>contented</u> waiting - are we leaning into God's trustworthiness and faithfulness believing that He's good for what He's promised?

<u>eager</u> waiting - the kind of waiting that we demonstrate as we long for Heaven where we will be united with Jesus and His people forever

When it comes to trusting God, wait well.

Think of how you might fill in the blank differently than the psalmist did: "I wait for _____, more than watchmen wait for the morning . . ."

2 Corinthians 5:1-9

Psalm 130:7-8

"redeem" is simply translated as "to $\underline{\text{deliver}}$ by any means"

Hebrews 9:11-14

Psalm 131

Do you wait with the trust and contentment of a <u>weaned</u> child who knows that she can trust her mother for the future or like a <u>nursing</u> child who fears that there will never be another meal because his mother is not visible and he is not willing to wait?

Now What?

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