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Subject: U N T I L

Lesson: Psalm 73:1-3; 16-17

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PSALM 73 A Psalm of Asaph

1 Truly God is good to Israel, even to such as are of a clean heart.

2 But as for me, my feet were almost gone; my steps had well nigh slipped.

3 For I was envious at the foolish, when I saw the prosperity of the wicked.

(4-15)

16 When I thought to know this, it was too painful for me;

17 Until I went into the sanctuary of God; then understood I their end.

Asaph gives an account of a temptation he was assaulted with, to envy the prosperity of the wicked. This situation has troubled and hindered many of God's people through the ages, even to this present day. With faith in God and meditation with Him will fortify against Satan's temptations."

### Blessings by going into the sanctuary.

Psalm 77:13: "Thy way, O God, is in the sanctuary: who is so great a God as our God?

Psalm 150:1: "Praise ye the Lord, Sing unto the Lord a new song, and his praise in the congregation of saints."

Hebrews 10:23-25: "Let us hold fast the profession of our faith without wavering; (for he is faithful that promised;) And let us consider one another to provoke unto love and to good works: Not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together, as the manner of some is; but exhorting one another: and so much the more, as ye see the day approaching."

UNTIL the redemption of our purchased possession.

I Corinthians 6:19-20: "What? know ye not that your body is the temple of the Holy Ghost which is in you, which ye have of God, and ye are not your own?

For ye are bought with a price: therefore glorify God in your body, and in your spirit, which are God's."

Ephesians 1:12-14: "That we should be to the praise of his glory, who first trusted in Christ. In whom ye also trusted, after that ye heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation in whom also, after that ye believed, ye were sealed with that holy Spirit of promise, Which is the earnest of our inheritance <u>until</u> the redemption of the purchased possession, unto the praise of his glory."

## (A) We need patience to wait UNTIL God works His purpose in us.

James 1:2-4: "My brethren, count it all joy when ye fall into divers temptations; Knowing this, that the trying of your faith worketh patience. But let patience have her perfect work, that ye may be perfect and entire, wanting nothing."

# (B) Israel needed patience UNTIL God manifested his miracle and power.

Exodus 14:13: "And Moses said unto the people, Fear ye not, stand still, and see the salvation of the Lord, which he will show to you today: for the Egyptians whom ye have seen today, ye shall them again no more for ever."

## (C) We shall reap a harvest if we wait UNTIL due season.

Galatians 6:9: "And let us not be weary in welldoing: for in due season we shall reap, if we faint not."

# (D) We are to let the tares and the wheat grow together UNTIL the harvest.

Matthew 13:30: "Let both grow together <u>until the harvest</u>: and in the time of harvest I will say to the reapers, Gather ye together first the tares, and bind them in bundles to burn them: but gather the wheat into my barn."

# (E) We are to preach the gospel and wait UNTIL the Lord blesses it according to His will.

Isaiah 55:10-11: "For as the rain cometh down, and the snow from heaven, and returneth not thither, but watereth the earth, and maketh it to bring forth and bud, that it may give seed to the sower, and bread to the eater: So shall my word be that goeth forth out of my mouth: it shall not return unto me void, but it shall accomplish that which I please, and it shall prosper in the thing whereto I sent it."

## (F) The Lord is a refuge in the storms UNTIL they pass by.

Isaiah 25:4: "For thou hast been a strength to the poor, a strength to the needy in his distress, a refuge from the storm, a shadow from the heat, when the blast of the terrible ones is as a storm against the wall."

#### TIL THE STORM PASSES BY

Mosie Lister
In the dark of the midnight have I oft hid my face,
While the storm howls above me, and there's no hiding place,
Mid the crash of the thunder, precious Lord, hear my cry;
Keep me safe til the storm passes by.

Til the storm passes over, til the thunder sounds no more, Til the clouds roll forever from the sky; Hold me fast, let me stand in the hollow of Thy hand, Keep me safe til the storm passes by. Some of The Gospel Songs Written By Those Waiting UNTIL God Calls Them Home.

A Better Day is Coming

**Beyond The Grave** 

**Farther Along** 

Going Home

Heaven Will Surely Be Worth It All Homesick For Heaven

I Am Going To That City
I'm Headed For Gloryland
I Will Meet You In The Morning
I Know Who Holds Tomorrow
I Shall Be At Home With Jesus
I'm Bound For The Kingdom
I Am Longing For That Day
I Will Meet You In Heaven
I'm Headed For Gloryland
Inside The Golden Gate

Just A Few More Days To Labor

My Home is Heaven

No Tears In Heaven

Over On The Other Side

Peace In The Storm

Some Glad Day

Til The Storm Passes Over The Great Homecoming Day T'will Be Glory By And By The Promised Land

**Until Then** 

We'll Meet In That City Won't It Be Wonderful There? When I've Travelled My Last Mile What A Day That Will Be When We All Get To Heaven What A Meeting In The Air

Where We'll Never Grow Old

#### UNTIL THEN Sturat Hamblen

My heart can sing when I pause to remember, A heartache here is but a stepping stone, Along a trail that's winding always upward, This troubled world is not my final home.

The things of earth will dim and lose their value, If we recall they're borrowed for a while, And things of earth that cause the heart to tremble, Remembered there will only bring a smile.

This weary world with all its toil and struggle, May take its toll of misery and strife, The soul of man is like a waiting falcon; When it's released, it's destined for the skies.

But UNTIL then my heart will go on singing, UNTIL then with joy I'll carry on-UNTIL the day my eyes behold the city, UNTIL the day God calls me home.