

A Song of Thirst

Psalm 42

1. Imagine: What factors could have brought the writer of Psalm 42 to the mountain he's hiking and to the emptiness he's feeling?

2. How does the writer of this Psalm respond when his "soul is downcast"?

He _____ better times.

He _____ himself why.

He _____ for rescue.

He _____ for God.

3. While writing to the Philippians, Paul was in prison. How does his writing develop the idea from Psalm 42 of thirst and that "deep calls to deep"?

4. Even in the middle of trouble, you can resonate with the deep love of the cross and you can _____ hope. You can _____ God.