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Theme

The Right Heart

Psalms 27:7-10

A. 1 Samuel 22:17-23

¹⁷ Then the king said to the guards who stood about him, “Turn and kill the priests of the LORD, because their hand also is with David, and because they knew when he fled and did not tell it to me.” But the servants of the king would not lift their hands to strike the priests of the LORD. ¹⁸ And the king said to Doeg, “You turn and kill the priests!” So, Doeg the Edomite turned and struck the priests, and killed on that day eighty-five men who wore a linen ephod. ¹⁹ Also Nob, the city of the priests, he struck with the edge of the sword, both men and women, children and nursing infants, oxen and donkeys and sheep—with the edge of the sword.

²⁰ Now one of the sons of Ahimelech the son of Ahitub, named Abiathar, escaped and fled after David. ²¹ And Abiathar told David that Saul had killed the LORD’s priests. ²² So David said to Abiathar, “I knew that day, when Doeg the Edomite was there, that he would surely tell Saul. I have caused the death of all the persons of your father’s house. ²³ Stay with me; do not fear. For he who seeks my life seeks your life, but with me you shall be safe.”

1. STRONGHOLD

B. Psalms 27:1

The LORD is my light and my salvation; Whom shall, I fear? The LORD is the strength of my life; Of whom shall I be afraid?

C. Psalms 61:1-3 Hear my cry, O God; Attend to my prayer.² From the end of the earth I will cry to You, When my heart is over whelmed; Lead me to the rock that is higher than I.³ For You have been a shelter for me, A strong tower from the enemy.

D. Psalms 59:17 O my Strength, I will sing praises to you, for you, O God, are my fortress, the God who shows me steadfast love. **ESV**

2. SEEK GOD

E. Psalms 105:4 Seek the LORD and his strength;
seek his face evermore!

F. Psalm 34:4 says I sought the Lord, and He heard me and delivered me from all my fears!

3. HOW TO FIX THE PROBLEM

G. Psalms 22:1 My God, My God, why have You forsaken Me? Why are You so far from helping Me, And from the words of My groaning?

4. HE WILL NOT FORSAKE YOU

H. Isaiah 49:15 “Can a woman forget her nursing child, And not have compassion on the son of her womb? Surely, they may forget, Yet I will not forget you.

I. Isaiah 40:11 He will feed His flock like a shepherd; He will gather the lambs with His arm, And carry them in His bosom, And gently lead those who are with young.

J. Luke 23:34 Then Jesus said, “Father, forgive them, for they do not know what they do.”

K. Matthew 11:28 Come to Me, all you who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest.

L. Romans 10:9-10 ⁹ that if you confess with your mouth the Lord Jesus and believe in your heart that God has raised Him from the dead, you will be saved. ¹⁰ For with the heart one believes unto righteousness, and with the mouth confession is made unto salvation.

