

Outpouring

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As the deer pants for the water brooks, So pants my soul for You, O God.

⁷ Deep calls unto deep at the noise of Your waterfalls; All Your waves and billows have gone over me.

⁸ The Lord will command His lovingkindness in the daytime, And in the night His song shall be with me. —Psalms 42:1, 7-8

1st — the water is quenching his thirst.

2nd — the water is hiding him from the chase of the enemy.

3rd — the water is a source of his weariness.

But he also can turn a barren wilderness into an oasis with water! He can make springs flow into desert lands. —Ps 107: 35

On the last day, the climax of the festival, Jesus stood and shouted to the crowds, "Anyone who believes in me may come to me! Anyone who believes in me may come and drink! For the scriptures declare, 'Rivers of living water will flow from his heart.'" —John 7:37-39 NIV

I will give him the key to the house of David [the highest position in the royal court]. When he opens doors, no one will be able to shut them; when he closes doors, no one will be able to open them. He will bring honor to his family name, for I will drive him firmly in place like a nail in the wall. He will honor me! —Isaiah 22:16-22

Jesus says, "You did not choose Me, but I chose you and appointed you that you should go and bear fruit." —John 15:16

Chosen means — Selection based on sovereign grace, love, and divine foreknowledge rather than human merit.

—Being chosen relates to your standing, belonging, and intimate relationship with God.

- You are pulled out of the ordinary and set apart.
- Being chosen is about your spiritual position and adoption.

Being appointed — is about your functional position or post in the Kingdom.

Focusing on just the appointed part can make it be all about you and what you can do for you.

And I will give unto thee the Keys of the kingdom of heaven and whatsoever thou shalt bind on earth shall be bound in heaven and whatsoever thou shalt loose on earth shall be loosed in heaven. —Matthew 16:19

Don't you realize that all of you together are the temple of God and that the Spirit of God lives in you? God will destroy anyone who destroys this temple. For God's temple is holy, and you are that temple. —1 Corinthians 3:16

First — you have the sacrificial altar.

Trust in the Lord with all your heart, and lean not on your own understanding in all your ways, acknowledge Him, and shall direct your paths. Do not be wise in your own eyes. —Proverbs 3:5-7

The second altar is the altar of incense.