



Getting in Line with God

Psalm 34:8 NIV

Opening

- Anything that's good in your life has its origin in God.

James 1:17

Everything good comes from God. Every perfect gift is from him. These good gifts come down from the Father who made all the lights in the sky. But God never changes like the shadows from those lights. He is always the same

Question

- What are the good things in your life?

Psalm 34:8

- The benefits of tasting:
 1. Tasting the goodness of God enables us to see God as the giver that he is.
- “God gives good things.”
- “O taste & see”

Note

- The invitation God gives to us allows us to truly see God's *blessing nature.*

Note

- God is not an angry God full of wrath and punishment, even though he does punish us for our sins. However, God is the God of love, and he shows us his love thorough his ability to give to us.

Question

What has God given us?

2. Tasting God helps us show others what to expect from God when they try him for themselves.

“O taste & see that the Lord is *good.*”

Note

- Seeing the goodness of God should move us to share what we have seen with others so they can have a greater desire to taste the goodness of God for themselves.

Question

Who are you sharing God's
goodness with?

3. Upon tasting of the Lord's goodness, we can then enjoy his *protections*.

“blessed is the man who takes refuge in him.”

- I need to learn how to share with others what the Lord has invited me to enjoy through him.

Note

- The *in him* part is where the blessing of Psalm 34:8 is found

IN HIM

Question

What good things can we find
IN HIM?

• In him we have:

• *Life*

• *Favor*

• *Peace*

• *Power*

• *Joy*

• *Hope*

And the list goes on....