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KING



Worship While You Wait

Psalm 27



If you could ask God for only one thing, what would it be?





“Put first things first and we get second things thrown in: put second things first & we lose both first and second things.”

-- C.S. Lewis



Psalm 27

1 The LORD is my light and my salvation—
whom should I fear?

The LORD is the stronghold of my life—
whom should I dread?

2 When evildoers came against me to devour my flesh,
my foes and my enemies stumbled and fell.



3 Though an army deploys against me,

John 8:12

“I am the light of the world. Anyone who follows me will never walk in the darkness but will have the light of life.”



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4 I have asked one thing from the LORD;
it is what I desire:
to dwell in the house of the LORD
all the days of my life,
gazing on the beauty of the LORD
and seeking him in his temple.



Psalm 27

5 For he will conceal me in his shelter
in the day of adversity;

he will hide me under the cover of his tent;
he will set me high on a rock.

6 Then my head will be high
above my enemies around me;

I will offer sacrifices in his tent with shouts of joy.



Psalm 73:26

I desire nothing on earth but you.

My flesh and my heart may fail,
but God is the strength of my heart,
my portion forever.



Psalm 27

7 LORD, hear my voice when I call;

be gracious to me and answer me.

8 My heart says this about you:

“Seek his face.”

LORD, I will seek your face.



Psalm 27

9 Do not hide your face from me;

do not turn your servant away in anger.

You have been my helper;

do not leave me or abandon me,

God of my salvation.

10 Even if my father and mother abandon me,

the LORD cares for me.



Psalm 121:1–2

I lift my eyes toward the mountains.

Where will my help come from?

My help comes from the LORD,
the Maker of heaven and earth.





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We can trust the Lord's saving strength when our enemies threaten us

We can prize the Lord's presence when our desires distract us.

We can seek the Lord's mercy when our fears unsettle us.



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11 Because of my adversaries,
show me your way, LORD,
and lead me on a level path.

12 Do not give me over to the will of my foes,
for false witnesses rise up against me,
breathing violence.



Psalm 27

13 I am certain that I will see the LORD's goodness
in the land of the living.

14 Wait for the LORD;
be strong, and let your heart be courageous.
Wait for the LORD.





Worship while you wait, and wait while you worship

