

A Series of Devotions based on Psalm 91

GOD WILL . . .

Psalm 91:15-16 “When he calls to me, I will answer him; I will be with him in trouble; I will rescue him and honor him. With long life I will satisfy him and show him my salvation.”

In Psalm 91:15-16 Yahweh makes a number of personal promises to you. Six times in these two short verses God says “I will . . .” As you know there is a great difference when God says “I will” compared to when you or anyone else say these two words. When you say them, you may have every good intention of doing what you said you would do, but then you find you are unable to keep your word. Not so with God. Throughout the Old and New Testaments of the Bible countless promises of God are recorded. He has kept each and every one of them.

God will . . . answer your prayers. “Ask, and it will be given to you; seek, and you will find; knock, and it will be opened to you. For everyone who asks receives, and the one who seeks finds, and to the one who knocks it will be opened. (Matthew 7:7)

God will . . . be with you when you are experiencing trouble in your life. “Come to me, all who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest.” (Matthew 11:28)

God will . . . rescue you. “So Peter got out of the boat and walked on the water and came to Jesus. But when he saw the wind, he was afraid, and beginning to sink he cried out, “Lord, save me.” Jesus immediately reached out his hand and took hold of him, saying to him, “O you of little faith, why did you doubt?” (Matthew 14:29-31)

God will . . . honor you. “If anyone serves me, he must follow me; and where I am, there will my servant be also. If anyone serves me, the Father will honor him.” (John 12:26)

God will . . . give you a long life. “My son, do not forget my teaching, but let your heart keep my commandments, for length of days and years of life and peace they will add to you.” (Proverbs 3:1-2)

God will . . . show you your salvation. "The LORD has bared his holy arm before the eyes of all the nations, and all the ends of the earth shall see the salvation of our God." (Isaiah 52:10)

Prayer: God, by the power of Your Spirit and the faith You have worked in my heart I know You will keep all Your promises You have made to me. Never let me doubt. In Jesus' name. Amen.

How firm a foundation, O saints of the Lord,
Is laid for your faith in His excellent Word!
What more can He say than to you He has said
Who unto the Savior for refuge have fled?

"Fear not! I am with you, O be not dismayed,
For I am your God and will still give you aid;
I'll strengthen you, help you, and cause you to stand,
Upheld by My righteous, omnipotent hand.

"The soul that on Jesus has leaned for repose
I will not, I will not, desert to his foes;
That soul, though all hell should endeavor to shake,
I'll never, no never, no never, forsake!

"When through fiery trials your pathway will lie,
My grace, all-sufficient, will be your supply
The flames will not hurt you; I only design
Your dross to consume and your gold to refine.

"Throughout all their lifetime My people will prove
My sov'reign, eternal, unchangeable love;
And then, when gray hairs will their temples adorn,
Like lambs they will still in My bosom be borne."
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