

Getting Honest with God... And Ourselves

THE TRANSFORMING FRIENDSHIP

Psalms of:

ORIENTATION

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DISORIENTATION

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Shift

Psalms of Disorientation:

From Plea

Shift...

to Praise

Verse 1 & 2

**O LORD, how many are my
foes!**

**How many rise up against me!
Many are saying of me,
“God will not deliver him.”**

Verse 3 & 4

**But you are a shield around me,
O LORD;**

**You bestow glory on me and
lift up my head.**

To the Lord I cry aloud,

**And he answers me from his
holy hill.**

Verse 5 & 6

I lie down and sleep;

**I wake again, because the LORD
sustains me.**

**I will not fear the tens of
thousands drawn up against me
on every side.**

Verse 7 & 8

Arise, O LORD!

Deliver me, O my God!

Strike all my enemies on the jaw;

Break the teeth of the wicked.

From the LORD comes deliverance.

**May your blessing be on your
people.**

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- My own faulty image of God