

“Our God Rescues His People”

(Sunday Morning September 28th, 2025)

Passage: Psalms 107 (Verses 4-9)

Ps 50:15 “Call upon Me in the day of trouble; I shall rescue you, and you will honor Me”

Job 5:7 “For man is born for trouble, as (the) sparks fly upward” (Emphasis Added)

Matt 6:34 “(Jesus Said)...each day has enough trouble of its own” (Emphasis Added)

God will deliver us in the day of trouble, and all He asks from us is that we c_____ o_____ to Him for help and that we p_____ Him for His deliverance.

I. Our God Rescues Those Who are L_____ in the D_____

vs 4-9 (Read)

1) The Predicament

Ps 32:8 “I will instruct you and teach you in the way which you should go; I will counsel you with My eye upon you”

Isa 49:10 “They will not hunger or thirst, nor will the scorching heat or sun strike them down; For He who has compassion on them will lead them and will guide them to springs of water”

The good news is that our God can and will g_____ in life if we will simply cry out to Him and ask Him to do so.

Jer 29:11 “‘For I (already) know the plans that I have for you,’ declares the Lord, ‘plans for (your) welfare and not for calamity to give you a future and a hope’” (Emphasis Added)

Prov 3:5-6 (Reference)

2) The Praise

Exod 2:23-24 “23 ...the sons of Israel sighed because of their bondage, and they cried out(to God); and their cry for help because of their bondage rose up to God. 24 So God heard their groaning; and God remembered His covenant with Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob” (Emphasis Added)

Judges 10:16 “...and He (God) could bear the misery of Israel no longer”

God cannot r_____ it when His people cry out in desperation for Him to help them, and the odds are that God will come to your r_____ if you will do that.

Gen 21:16 “(She...Hagar)...lifted up her voice and wept...”

*Gen 21:18-19 “18 ‘Arise, lift up the lad, and hold him by the hand, for I will make a great nation of him.’
19 Then God opened her eyes and she saw a well of water; and she went and filled the skin with water and gave the lad a drink”*

Question = Why Does God Wait Until We Cry Out to Him for Help?

Answer = Because Our Cry for Help R_____ Our F_____

Heb 11:6 “And without faith it is impossible to please, for he who comes to God must believe that He is and that He is a rewarder of those who seek Him”

II. Our God Rescues Those Who are L_____ in a D_____

1) The Predicament

John 8:36 "...if the Son makes you free, you will be free indeed"

2) The Praise

a. First, I Want You to See Their C _____

b. Second, I Want You See Their C _____

2 Chron 33:12-13 "12 When he was in distress, he entreated the Lord his God and humbled himself greatly before the God of his fathers. 13 When he prayed to Him, He was moved by his entreaty and heard his supplication, and brought him again to Jerusalem to his kingdom. Then Manasseh knew that the Lord was God"

III. Our God Rescues Those Who are L _____ on a D _____

1) The Predicament

James 5:15 "and the prayer offered in faith will restore the one who is sick, and the Lord will raise him up, and if he has committed sins, they will be forgiven him"

That verse tells us that sometimes sickness does come as a d _____ r _____ of our sin, but even then, God is willing to forgive and heal.

2) The Praise

Ps 103:3 "Who (God) pardons all your iniquities, who (God) heals all your diseases"

Isa 38:2-3 "2 Then Hezekiah turned his face to the wall and prayed to the Lord, 3 and said, 'Remember now, O Lord, I beseech You, how I have walked before You in truth and with a whole heart, and have done what is good in Your sight.' And Hezekiah wept bitterly"

Isa 38:4-6 "4 Then the word of the Lord came to Isaiah, saying, 5 'Go and say to Hezekiah, 'Thus says the Lord, the God of your father David, 'I have heard your prayer, I have seen your tears; behold, I will add fifteen years to your life. 6 'I will deliver you and this city from the hand of the king of Assyria; and I will defend this city.'"

IV. Our God Rescues Those Who are L _____ in the D _____

1) The Predicament

Luke 5:4 "(Jesus Said)... 'Put out into the deep water and let down your nets for a catch.'" (Emphasis Added)

2) The Praise

God not only brings us through the storms of life; He takes us to a b _____ place.

Ps 66:11-12 "11 You brought us into the net; You laid an oppressive burden upon our loins. 12 You made men ride over our heads; we went through fire and through water,...Yet You brought us out into a place

John 8:34 "...everyone who commits sin is the slave of sin"

Jer 17:9 "The heart is more deceitful than all else and is desperately sick; who can understand it?"

Acts 2:21 "Whosoever shall call upon the name of the Lord shall be saved"

One of the Most Amazing Rescues That I Have Ever Heard About Happened in Coolidge Arizona Back in the Spring of 1987

- > **There Was Parachutist Convention There Sponsored by Skydive Arizona**
- > **Debbie Williams, a 31 Year Old 5th Grade School Teacher From Post, Texas, With 50 Jumps to Her Credit, Jumped Out of a DC-9 That Was Flying at an Altitude of 9,000 Feet**
- > **She Was Trying to Meet Up With Another Group of Skydivers in a Formation, But Something Went Terribly Wrong**
- > **She Collided With Another One of the Skydivers and Was Knocked Unconscious**
- > **Gregory Robertson, a Parachuting Instructor, With 1700 Jumps to His Credit, Had Assumed a Position 40 Feet Above the Other Divers**
- > **He Saw What Had Happened, and He Saw Debbie Williams Falling Like a Ragdoll to the Ground**
- > **So, He Immediately Straightened His Body Into a Vertical Dart, With His Arms Pinned to His Body, His Feet Crossed and His Head Aimed Towards the Ground in What Chutist Call a “*No Lift*” Dive**
- > **He Plummeted Towards Williams at a Speed of 200 mph**
- > **At 3,500 Feet, Only 10 Seconds Before Impact, Robertson Caught Up With Williams and Began Angling Her Body so That Her Parachute Could Open**
- > **At 2,000 Feet, Just 6 Seconds Before Impact, Robertson Managed to Pull Williams Ripcord, and Then, His Own**
- > **Fortunately, Robertson Walked Away Without Any Injuries, and He Resumed Skydiving**
- > **Williams, on the Other Hand, Suffered a Skull Fracture, 9 Broken Ribs and a Perforated Kidney, But She Did Survive**