SERMON OUTLINE | Psalm 116

Living and Dying as Servant and Saint | Kyle Puelston

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INTRODUCTION
THE SITUATION OF GOD'S SERVANT
THE BOUNTY OF GOD'S DEALINGS
THE RESPONSE OF GOD'S SAINTS
THE FAITH IN GOD'S WORDS



SERMON DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

MAIN POINT

In times of distress and moments of death, God's servants and saints cry out to Him in prayer, find rest in His benefits, have faith in His words and praise Him for his salvation.

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

- 1. What were your thoughts on the text/sermon? What most stood out? How was it helpful? Confusing?
- 2. Are you inherently skeptical or inherently accepting of emotions that you experience? Or somewhere in between?
- 3. Have you considered the connection between thinking, feeling and obedience? What verses from the Bible can you draw from to help you think about it?
- 4. Do you think it is morbid or depressing to think about your funeral or think about death? Have you given serious thought to how the Bible wants you to think about death?
- 5. What moments of anguish, distress or death have you experienced in your life or in the life of those close to you?
- 6. How has the Sunday morning worship service or midweek Discipleship Group helped you walk through times of anguish?
- 7. Do you preach truth to your soul when you are in trials or are tempted to doubt God's promises? Is this a new idea to you?
- 8. Do you have a chapter of the Bible you have memorized that you go to again and again in hard times?

AREAS OF APPLICATION

- 9. What God-exalting feelings do you want to experience more of?
- 10. What God-revealed truths can fuel your soul to have those feelings?
- 11. What God-glorifying acts of obedience should flow from this?
- 12. In what areas of your life do you need to be crying out to God so that he may hear your pleas for mercy?
- 13. Where in your life do you need to be preaching truth to your soul? What Scripture verses can you use for this?
- 14. What passage or chapter of the Bible could you memorize to draw from when you need to preach to your soul?
- 15. Put together a playlist of Grace Church songs that we sing on Sunday morning and listen to them regularly.

PRAYER POINTS

- 16. Adoration. Praise God that he hears our prayers and our pleas for mercy. Praise him for his grace, mercy and righteousness.
- 17. Confession. Confess to God the ways you doubt His promises when you go through times of trials.
- 18. Thanksgiving. Thank God for all his benefits. Thank Him that you get to experience and share in these benefits with other brothers and sisters in Christ at Grace Church.
- 19. Supplication. Pray that God would keep you walking with the Lord in the land of the living until your final breath, come what may.

