

TRUSTING IN GOD ALONE

PSALM 62

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Essential truths about God as a foundation to trust in God:

God is completely sovereign, God is infinite in wisdom, and God is perfect in love.

I. Trust in God _____. (1-4)

II. Trust in God at _____. (5-8)

III. Trust in God _____. (9-10)

IV. Never be _____. (11-12)

Psalm 62

To the choirmaster: according to Jeduthun. A Psalm of David.

¹ For God alone my soul waits in silence; from him comes my salvation. ² He alone is my rock and my salvation, my fortress; I shall not be greatly shaken. ³ How long will all of you attack a man to batter him, like a leaning wall, a tottering fence? ⁴ They only plan to thrust him down from his high position. They take pleasure in falsehood. They bless with their mouths, but inwardly they curse. *Selah* ⁵ For God alone, O my soul, wait in silence, for my hope is from him. ⁶ He only is my rock and my salvation, my fortress; I shall not be shaken. ⁷ On God rests my salvation and my glory; my mighty rock, my refuge is God. ⁸ Trust in him at all times, O people; pour out your heart before him; God is a refuge for us. *Selah* ⁹ Those of low estate are but a breath; those of high estate are a delusion; in the balances they go up; they are together lighter than a breath. ¹⁰ Put no trust in extortion; set no vain hopes on robbery; if riches increase, set not your heart on them. ¹¹ Once God has spoken; twice have I heard this: that power belongs to God, ¹² and that to you, O Lord, belongs steadfast love. For you will render to a man according to his work.

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

These questions are for further study and application of today's text of Scripture. Thoughtfully writing out the answers to these questions will help to drive home the point of today's study. One of the best ways to grow as a disciple is by discussing these types of questions in a small group. Find a small group here: gracebiblecw.com/lifegroup or ask someone next to you if you can join their group!

- 1) Is it difficult to understand how God is completely sovereign in both good and bad times? See Lamentations 3:37, Isaiah 38:17, Daniel 4:35, Isaiah 46:10.
- 2) What stumbling blocks come into your path in understanding God's love for you? What can help get a greater grasp of God's love for you? See 1 John 4:9-10.
- 3) David instructs us in this psalm to trust God only. What are you tempted to trust in except God only?
- 4) What tests of your faith make you feel weak and feel like a leaning wall or a tottering fence like described in verses 3-4? Can you see the good God wants to develop in you from these times of desperation?
- 5) What promises of God do you cling to in trusting God more?
- 6) Discuss what David means in not trusting man in verses 9-10.
- 7) The message that David gives in verses 11-12 state that God's power and steadfast love is for those who trust in Him alone. Does this mean that those who do not trust in Him alone don't experience God's power and steadfast love? When has it been hard for you to experience God's power and steadfast love?
- 8) Describe what David intends in verse 12 where he states that God will render to a man according to his work.