

Delight

Psalm 34

1. THE PERSON WHO DELIGHTS

A. Constantly Talks About Him and Praises Him

Psalm 34:1 (ESV)-I will bless the LORD at all times; his praise shall continually be in my mouth.

i. Invites Others to Praise Him

Psalm 34:2 (ESV)-My soul makes its boast in the LORD; let the humble hear and be glad.

Psalm 34:3 (ESV)-Oh, magnify the LORD with me, and let us exalt his name together!

B. Radiant Face

Psalm 34:5 (ESV)-Those who look to him are radiant, and their faces shall never be ashamed.

C. Loves Life

Psalm 34:12 (ESV)-What man is there who desire life and loves many days, that he may see good?

John 10:10 (ESV)-The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy. I came that they may have life and have it abundantly.

D. Invites Others to Experience Him

Psalm 34: 8 (ESV)- Oh, taste and see that the Lord is good! Blessed is the man who takes refuge in him!

2. REASONS TO DELIGHT

A. He Listens

Psalm 34:6 (ESV)-The poor man cried, and the LORD heard him and saved him out of all his troubles.

Psalm 34:15 (ESV)-The eyes of the LORD are toward the righteous and his ears toward their cry.

B. He Answers

Psalm 34:4 (ESV)- I sought the LORD, and he answered me and delivered me from all my fears.

C. He Saves

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Psalm 34:18 (ESV)-The LORD is near to the broken-hearted and saves the crushed in spirit.

D. He Comforts

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E. He Provides

Psalm 34:10 (ESV)-The young lions suffer want and hunger; but those who seek the LORD lack no good thing.

F. He Protects

Psalm 34:7 (ESV)- The angel of the LORD encamps around those who fears him, and delivers them.

3. RESULT OF DELIGHT

Psalm 34:22 (ESV)- The LORD redeems the life of his servants; none of those who take refuge in him will be condemned.

Psalm 37:4- Delight yourself in the LORD, and he will give you the desires of your heart.

Psalm 36:8-They feast on the abundance of your house, and you give them drink from the river of your delights. For with you is the fountain of life in your light do we see light.

The Point Is

We were made to know and enjoy God. When we desire Him, we delight in Him which makes us desire more of Him...a never ending cycle of joy.