

WELCOME TO WORSHIP!

New Life Church
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Experiencing Hope Together In Psalms!

GOD OUR GREAT LOVER

Message 4 – Psalm 91:1-16, NKJV

Safety of Abiding in the Presence of God

91 He who dwells in the secret place of the Most High

Shall abide under the shadow of the Almighty.

² I will say of the LORD, “*He is* my refuge and my fortress;

My God, in Him I will trust.”

³ Surely He shall deliver you from the snare of the fowler

And from the perilous pestilence.

⁴ He shall cover you with His feathers,
And under His wings you shall take refuge;
His truth *shall be your* shield and buckler.

⁵ You shall not be afraid of the terror by night,
Nor of the arrow *that* flies by day,

⁶ *Nor* of the pestilence *that* walks in darkness,
Nor of the destruction *that* lays waste at
noonday.

⁷ A thousand may fall at your side,
And ten thousand at your right hand;
But it shall not come near you.

⁸ Only with your eyes shall you look,
And see the reward of the wicked.⁹ Because you
have made the LORD, *who is* my refuge,
Even the Most High, your dwelling place,

¹⁰ No evil shall befall you,

Nor shall any plague come near your dwelling;

¹¹ For He shall give His angels charge over you,
To keep you in all your ways.

¹² In *their* hands they shall bear you up,
Lest you dash your foot against a stone.

¹³ You shall tread upon the lion and the cobra,
The young lion and the serpent you shall
trample underfoot.

¹⁴ “Because he has set his love upon Me,
therefore I will deliver him;
I will set him on high, because he has known My
name.

¹⁵ He shall call upon Me, and I will answer him;
I *will be* with him in trouble;
I will deliver him and honor him.

¹⁶ With long life I will satisfy him,
And show him My salvation.”

Faith In God – Our Hidden Life: vs 1-4, TPT (The Passion Translation)

¹When you sit enthroned under the shadow of Shaddai, you are hidden in the strength of God Most High. ²He’s the hope that holds me and the Stronghold to shelter me, the only God for me, and my great confidence. ³He will rescue you from every hidden trap of the enemy, and he will protect you from false accusation and any deadly curse. ⁴His massive arms are wrapped around you, protecting you. You can run under his covering of majesty and hide. His arms of faithfulness are a shield keeping you from harm.

❖ On this Valentine’s Day what will you begin to do to improve your hidden life with God?

❖ What will you do to encourage, support, and respect your spouse’s hidden life with God?

Peace From God – Our Protected Life: vs 5-13, TPT

⁵ You will never worry about an attack of demonic forces at night nor have to fear a spirit of darkness coming against you. ⁶ Don't fear a thing! Whether by night or by day, demonic danger will not trouble you, nor will the powers of evil launched against you. ⁷ Even in a time of disaster, with thousands and thousands being killed, you will remain unscathed and unharmed. ⁸ you will be a spectator as the wicked perish in judgment, for they will be paid back for what they have done! ⁹⁻¹⁰ When we live our lives within the shadow of God Most High, our secret hiding place, we will always be shielded from harm. How then could evil prevail against us or disease infect us? ¹¹ God sends angels with special orders to protect you wherever you go, defending you from all harm. ¹² If you walk into a trap, they'll be there for you and keep you from stumbling. ¹³ You'll even walk unharmed among the fiercest powers of darkness, trampling every one of them beneath your feet!

- ❖ On this Valentine's Day what can you do to experience more peace with and from God?
- ❖ What will you do to better protect your spouse and family from unresolved conflicts?

Love For God – Our Satisfied Life: vs 14-16, TPT

¹⁴ For here is what the Lord has spoken to me: "Because you have delighted in me as my great lover, I will greatly protect you. I will set you in a high place, safe and secure before my face. ¹⁵ I will answer your cry for help every time you pray, and you will find and feel my presence even in your time of pressure and trouble. I will be your glorious hero and give you a feast. ¹⁶ You will be satisfied with a full life and with all that I do for you. For you will enjoy the fullness of my salvation!"

- ❖ On this Valentine's Day what can you do to experience and enjoy more of the love of God?
- ❖ What will you do to better cultivate and celebrate God's love in your spouse and family?

NLC'S VERSE FOR 2021:

Now may the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing,
that you may abound in hope by the power of the Holy Spirit.
Romans 15:13, NKJV