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Psalm 71:14-24

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Psalm 71:14-24 But I will hope continually and will praise you yet more and more. 15 My mouth will tell of your righteous acts, of your deeds of salvation all the day, for their number is past my knowledge. 16 With the mighty deeds of the Lord God I will come; I will remind them of your righteousness, yours alone. 17 O God, from my youth you have taught me, and I still proclaim your wondrous deeds. 18 So even to old age and gray hairs, O God, do not forsake me, until I proclaim your might to another generation, your power to all those to come. -

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19 Your righteousness, O God, reaches the high heavens. You who have done great things, O God, who is like you?
20 You who have made me see many troubles and calamities will revive me again; from the depths of the earth you will bring me up again. 21 You will increase my greatness and comfort me again. 22 I will also praise you with the harp for your faithfulness, O my God; I will sing praises to you with the lyre, O Holy One of Israel. -

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23 My lips will shout for joy, when I sing praises to you; my soul also, which you have redeemed. 24 And my tongue will talk of your righteous help all the day long, for they have been put to shame and disappointed who sought to do me hurt. (ESV)

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I. Tell of His grace and mercy.

A. We have an enduring hope.

*14 But I will hope continually and **will praise** you yet more and more.*

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I. Tell of His grace and mercy.

B. We have experienced a perfect love.

*15 My mouth **will tell** of your righteous acts,*

- *John 15:13 Greater love has no one than this, that someone lay down his life for his friends.*

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I. Tell of His grace and mercy.

B. We have experienced a perfect love.

*15 My mouth **will tell** of your righteous acts,*

- 1 John 4:17-19 By this is love perfected with us, so that we may have confidence for the day of judgment, because as he is so also are we in this world. 18 There is no fear in love, but perfect love casts out fear. For fear has to do with punishment, and whoever fears has not been perfected in love. 19 We love because he first loved us.*

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I. Tell of His grace and mercy.

C. We have been saved from so much. V15

of your deeds of salvation all the day, for their number is past my knowledge.

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II. Tell of His presence and power.

A. Our God is all powerful.

16 With the mighty deeds of the Lord God I will come;

- *1 Timothy 6:15 ...he who is the blessed and only Sovereign, the King of kings and Lord of lords,*

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II. Tell of His presence and power.

B. Our God is righteous.

I will remind them of your righteousness, yours alone.

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II. Tell of His presence and power.

C. Our God does incredible things.

*17 O God, from my youth you have taught me, and I **still**
proclaim your wondrous deeds.*

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II. Tell of His presence and power.

D. Our God will never forsake us.

*18 So even to old age and gray hairs, O God, do not forsake me, until I **proclaim** your might to another generation, your power to all those to come.*

- *Deuteronomy 31:8 It is the Lord who goes before you. He will be with you; he will not leave you or forsake you. Do not fear or be dismayed.”*

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II. Tell of His presence and power.

D. Our God will never forsake us.

- *Joshua 1:5 No man shall be able to stand before you all the days of your life. Just as I was with Moses, so I will be with you. I will not leave you or forsake you.*
- *Psalms 94:14 For the Lord will not forsake his people; he will not abandon his heritage;*

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III. Tell of His comfort and guidance.

A. He gives us life in the midst of our struggles.

19 Your righteousness, O God, reaches the high heavens.

You who have done great things, O God, who is like you? 20

You who have made me see many troubles and calamities
will revive me again;

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III. Tell of His comfort and guidance.

B. He brings us up from the pit.

from the depths of the earth you will bring me up again.

- *1 Peter 5:6 Humble yourselves, therefore, under the mighty hand of God so that at the proper time he may exalt you,*

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III. Tell of His comfort and guidance.

C. He restores us.

21 You will increase my greatness

- *1 Peter 5:8-11 Be sober-minded; be watchful. Your adversary the devil prowls around like a roaring lion, seeking someone to devour. 9 Resist him, firm in your faith, knowing that the same kinds of suffering are being experienced by your brotherhood throughout the world. -*

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21 You will increase my greatness

- *10 And after you have suffered a little while, the God of all grace, who has called you to his eternal glory in Christ, will himself restore, confirm, strengthen, and establish you. 11 To him be the dominion forever and ever. Amen.*

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III. Tell of His comfort and guidance.

D. He comforts us.

and comfort me again

- *2 Corinthians 1:3 Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of mercies and God of all comfort, 4 who comforts us in all our affliction, so that we may be able to comfort those who are in any affliction, with the comfort with which we ourselves are comforted by God. -*

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- *5 For as we share abundantly in Christ's sufferings, so through Christ we share abundantly in comfort too.*

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IV. Tell of His faithfulness and goodness.

A. He will always be there for us.

*22 I will also **praise** you with the harp for your faithfulness,
O my God; I will **sing praises** to you with the lyre, O Holy
One of Israel.*

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IV. Tell of His faithfulness and goodness.

B. He has freed us from sin.

*23 My lips will shout for joy, when I **sing praises** to you; my soul also, which you have redeemed.*

- *John 8:34-36 Jesus answered them, “Truly, truly, I say to you, everyone who practices sin is a slave to sin. 35 The slave does not remain in the house forever; the son remains forever. 36 So if the Son sets you free, you will be free indeed.*

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V. Tell of His provision and protection.

A. He provides for us all day long.

*24 And my tongue **will talk** of your righteous help all the day long,*

- *Romans 11:36 For from him and through him and to him are all things. To him be glory forever. Amen.*

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V. Tell of His provision and protection.

B. He defends us from our enemies.

for they have been put to shame and disappointed who sought to do me hurt.

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