

Let's look again at these verses in Psalm 34:

To FEAR the Lord means to genuinely worship, and trust Him in all things. Do we trust Him? Or are we always trying to make things happen on our own? To FEAR the Lord means to Trust Him and Take Refuge in Him even when everything looks dark and bleak. If we will trust Him we will see His goodness. If we FEAR the Lord then we will *...lack nothing...* and right there our selfishness jumps in. We want God to be a Santa Clause God who gives us all the goodies we think we need. What does this verse mean?

**PRAYER:** Lord, help me to taste and see that YOU are GOOD. Help me to TRUST You no matter what the situation is and no matter what my physical needs may be. Please help me to live with a constant sense that YOU ARE ALL I NEED. Help this not to just be words, but a growing conviction which focuses everything in my life.

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