

## **SURRENDERED AND SATISFIED ~ Psalm 16:1-11**

→ Scripture Reading Psalm 16:1-8

### **GOD IS MY REFUGE ~ Psalm 16:1-4**

[1] Keep me safe, O God, for in you I take refuge. [2] I said to the Lord, "You are my Lord; apart from you I have no good thing." [3] As for the saints who are in the land, they are the glorious ones in whom is all my delight. [4] The sorrows of those will increase who run after other gods. I will not pour out their libations of blood or take up their names on my lips.

### **APPLICATION**

**Syncretism** = the mixing of different systems religious belief or practice

**Exodus 20:2-5** (NIV) I am the Lord your God, who brought you out of Egypt, out of the land of slavery. [3] You shall have no other gods before me. [4] You shall not make for yourself an idol in the form of anything in heaven above or on the earth beneath or in the waters below. [5] You shall not bow down to them or worship them; for I, the Lord your God, am a jealous God...

#### **PRETTY CLEAR...**

- God will not COMPETE with Anything else
- He wants our TOTAL Undivided and Complete Commitment

### **SATISFIED IN HIM ~ Psalm 16:5-8**

[5] Lord, you have assigned me my portion and my cup; you have made my lot secure. [6] The boundary lines have fallen for me in pleasant places; surely I have a delightful inheritance. [7] I will praise the Lord, who counsels me; even at night my heart instructs me. [8] I have set the Lord always before me. Because he is at my right hand, I will not be shaken.

### **APPLICATION**

#### **GOD PLUS...**

- activity/ being busy
- wrong relationships
- success/perfectionism

## GOD WILL NEVER ABANDON ME ~ Psalm 16:9-11

[9] Therefore my heart is glad and my tongue rejoices; my body also will rest secure, [10] because you will not abandon me to the grave, nor will you let your Holy One see decay. [11] You have made known to me the path of life; you will fill me with joy in your presence, with eternal pleasures at your right hand.

## TAKE AWAY ??

### DAVID'S CONFIDENCE IN GOD

#### ➤ Keep me SAFE

Isaiah 26:3 (NLT) You will keep in perfect peace all who TRUST in you, all whose thoughts are fixed on you!

#### ➤ I take REFUGE in You

Isaiah 26:4 (NLT) Trust in the Lord always, for the Lord God is the eternal Rock.

#### ➤ You are MY LORD

1 Peter 2:16-17 (HCS) As God's SLAVES, live as free people, but don't use your freedom as a way to conceal evil...

#### ➤ Everything GOOD comes from YOU

James 1:16-17 (NIV) Don't be deceived, my dear brothers. [17] Every good and perfect gift is from above, coming down from the Father of the heavenly lights, who does not change like shifting shadows.

### WE MUST ADMIT THAT WE...

- are HOPELESS without God
- are POWERLESS without God's Strength
- cannot make life WORK without Him

### WHAT MUST WE DO?

- Submit to Him Daily
- Growing MORE in Love with Jesus

Question: What does God want me to do about what I've learned today?