

**Psalms 16:1-2 (NLT)**

**[1] Keep me safe, O God, for I have come to you for refuge. [2] I said to the Lord, “You are my Master! Every good thing I have comes from you.”**

**Psalms 16:3-4 (NLT)**

**[3] The godly people in the land are my true heroes! I take pleasure in them! [4]**

**Troubles multiply for those who chase after other gods. I will not take part in their sacrifices of blood or even speak the names of their gods.**

## **Psalms 16:5-6 (NLT)**

**[5] Lord, you alone are my inheritance, my cup of blessing. You guard all that is mine. [6] The land you have given me is a pleasant land. What a wonderful inheritance!**

# **Surrendered and Satisfied**

**Psalm 16:1-11**

**Syncretism =**  
**MIXING** 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

# God PLUS...

- **activity** / always being busy
- **wrong** / sinful relationships
- **success** / perfectionism

# 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!

# David's **CONFIDENCE** in **GOD**

➤ I take **REFUGE** in You

Isaiah 26:4 (NLT) **TRUST** in the Lord  
**ALWAYS**, for the Lord God is the eternal  
**Rock.**

# David's **CONFIDENCE** in **GOD**

## ➤ 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...

# David's **CONFIDENCE** in **GOD**

➤ Everything **GOOD** comes from **YOU**

James 1:16-17 (NIV) Don't be deceived, my dear brothers. **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?**