

## Trust In Jesus

**Text: Psalms 62:1-8**

1. *"Tis So Sweet To Trust In Jesus"*

- a. The old hymn suggests the sweetness of the peace that comes from trusting in Jesus.
- b. He loves us and will not forsake us.
- c. We trust in the Father as we trust in the Son, for you cannot have one without the other. He deserves our confidence (**Titus 1:1,2; 2 Corinthians 1:18-22**).
- d. We commit ourselves to Him because we believe in Him.
- e. We believe He has both the desire and the ability to bring our lives to their **very best** possible conclusions.
- f. In fact, without Him, our lives would have no conclusion at all. Jesus said to her, *"I am the resurrection, and the life: he that believeth in me, though he were dead, yet shall he live:.."* (**John 11:25**).

2. In both Testaments, the theme is expressed by this same statement: *"The just (righteous) shall live by faith."* (**Habakkuk 2:4; Romans 1:17**).

3. We are happy, spiritual people only to the extent that **we have put our trust in God**.

4. This morning we are going to look at some words that make up the word **'Trust'**.

**I. T**rials – In Trials we can **trust** Him to help us.

A. Trial of our faith (**1 Peter 1:7**)

- a. Unforeseen trials (*seems as though the world has come down on your head*).
- b. Tragic loss of a loved one.
- c. Those who have been in the faith all their lives, who have given up.
- d. Seems as if we are all by ourselves and nobody cares. – God Cares as the in the case of Elijah (**1 Kings 19:18**)
- e. Daily troubles in this world that tend to get us *'down'*.

B. We are to cast our burdens upon the Lord (**Psalms 55:2**)

1. He will sustain us
2. He will help us in time of need
  - a) He knows what is going on in our lives every minute of the day.
  - b) He asks that we pray to Him and ask for help.
  - c) Let the Lord have our burdens

- II. Redemption** – We can **trust** Him in our redemption
  - A. For redemption comes from God (**Psalms 111:9**)
  - B. Redemption is plentiful (**Psalms 130:7**)
  - C. Jesus Christ provides us with redemption with His own blood (**Hebrews 9:12-15**)
    - 1. With His blood shed on the cross (**Ephesians 1:7**)
    - 2. Even the forgiveness of our sins (**Colossians 1:14**)
- III. Uncertainty** – We can **trust** Him to help in our uncertainty
  - A. Let God take care of our tomorrows (**Matthew 6:33-34; Proverbs 27:1**)
  - B. God knows the future
  - C. God knows best – He is our Creator (**Genesis 1 & 2**)
  - D. God will help us in our uncertainties (**Hebrews 13:6**)
  - E. God has given us the spirit of power (**2 Timothy 1:7**)
- IV. Salvation** – We can **trust** Him in our salvation
  - A. See the salvation of the Lord (**Exodus 14:13a**)
  - B. He is our strength and salvation (**Exodus 15:2**)
  - C. Belongs to the Lord (**Psalms 3:8**)
  - D. Salvation only in Jesus Christ (**Acts 4:12**)
  - E. Sent by God (**Acts 28:28**)
  - F. The gospel is the power unto salvation (**Romans 1:16**)
  - G. Now is the day of salvation (**2 Corinthians 6:2**)
- V. Temptations** – During temptations we can **trust** Him to help us.
  - A. God is faithful that He will not allow not us to be tempted above what we can bare (**1 Corinthians 10:13**)
  - B. Blessings come when we endure temptations (**James 1:12**)

**Conclusion:**

1. Today we can put our total trust in Christ in that He:
  - a. Will help us in our trials
  - b. Will give us redemption
  - c. Will help us in this uncertain world
  - d. Will give us salvation from the wrath to come
  - e. Will help us in our temptations – He was tempted like us but without sin.
2. Yes, today we can put our total trust in someone who will never fail us, even though everything is crashing down around us he will never leave us.