

Trusting in God's Salvation – Psalm 3 (Page #448 in Pew Bible)

BIG IDEA: We must learn to trust God in every situation.

Exposition

- I. David's Problem and the Accusation of the Wicked (3:1-2)
- II. David's Theological Reality and Supplication—and God's Response (3:3-4)
- III. David's Determination to Rest by Faith in God's Care and Character (3:5-6)
- IV. David's Cry for Salvation and His Confidence in God's Judgment of the Wicked (3:7)
- V. David's Confident Doxology to God and Rebuttal to the Accusation of the Wicked (3:8)

Observations: 3 Reasons Why We Must Learn to Trust God in Every Situation:

1. Because no matter how many wicked people may oppose us, God is always our mighty Shield and our perfect Sustainer.
2. Because when we cry out to God for help and deliverance, He always hears and answers our prayers.
3. Because God's deliverance, salvation, and judgment are always good, perfect, sovereign and true.

Application

1. Cry out to God with **worshipful prayer** when you need His help and deliverance. (3:1-4, 7a)
2. Rest with **confident trust** in God's sustaining salvation. (3:5, 8)
3. Do not be afraid of the wicked around you who oppose God's truth. (3:6, 7b)
4. Know God and His truth so well that His Word becomes *part and parcel* of your life.