

Psalm 26 “Give Me Justice, or Give Me Heaven”

Main point: David pleads with Yahweh for vindication and deliverance from his enemies, which he argues for on the basis of his integrity, faithfulness, blameless life, his love for Yahweh, and trust that He will deliver him from his enemies.

I. David’s _____ for _____

A. His _____ for _____

B. His _____ to _____

C. His _____ of _____

II. David’s _____ of _____

A. His _____ of _____

B. His _____ of _____

C. His _____ of _____

III. David’s _____ for _____

A. A _____ for _____

B. A _____ for _____

C. A _____ of _____

Additional Notes:

Key Points of Consideration & Application:

1.) What are my initial thoughts or actions when I am unjustly treated, accused, or slandered, and should my responses be?

2.) How can a faithful Christian live in a way in which they can both assert their innocent and moral behavior, and yet also confess and repent from known sins?

3.) How can a Christian faithfully maintain a good reputation, and have a clear conscience before God and man?

Key Passage to Memorize & Meditate Upon: Ps. 24:4-6 One thing I have asked from Yahweh, that I shall seek: that I may dwell in the house of Yahweh all the days of my life, to behold the beauty of Yahweh and to inquire in His temple.⁵ For in the day of calamity He will conceal me in His shelter; in the secret place of His tent He will hide me; He will lift me up on a rock.⁶ And now my head will be lifted up above my enemies around me, and I will offer in His tent sacrifices with loud shouts of joy; I will sing, and I will sing praises to Yahweh.

Sermons to Listen to for Further Study:

Don Green: The Walk of Integrity

Jeremy Walker: Under God’s Eye

