



## My Soul Thirsts for Him

By Johnny Caruso on March 19, 2024

### **TODAY'S READING:** Psalm 63

God has promised to be with those who are His, even in the dark nights. When we lie down to sleep, He is our shield and when we face the storms of life, He is our shelter. There have been times in my life when I have felt I was all alone and there was no one with me to be a real friend. Jesus is the kind of friend Who will hold our hand and walk beside us, no matter what we face or how deserted we feel. We can count on our Lord because He has promised that He will never leave us or forsake us. He is faithful.

His faithfulness does not depend on our faith. Regardless of whether or not we trust God, He is still faithful to His promises. We may miss out on His blessings because of our lack of faith, but that is on us not Him. Jesus will hold our hand and never let go, but that does not keep us from letting go of Him. As with Peter who was walking on the water but started sinking when he took his eyes off of Jesus, we can know that He is always there with His hand outstretched to save us from the waves and storms of life. God is true in all He does and says.

Like David, we too can rejoice in the Lord as we give thanks for all things. When things seemingly are going great, we rejoice in our Lord. When things are not going so well and it seems the world has crumbled or tumbled around us, we can still rejoice in the Lord. When others mistreat us and we face trials that seem to be more than we can bear, we can rejoice in the Lord because He is our strength, our refuge, and our hope. When we are weak, He is strong and gives us His strength.

**PRAYER:** Lord, thank You that You are a dependable God, through the good and bad.

**TOMORROW'S READING:** Psalm 77

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