

With CHRIST

Colossians 3:1-3

PSALM 42

To the chief Musician, Maschil, for the sons of Korah.
1 As the hart panteth after the water brooks, so
panteth my soul after thee, O God.
2 My soul thirsteth for God, for the living God:
when shall I come and appear before God?
3 My tears have been my meat day and night,
while they continually say unto me, Where is thy
God?

4 When I remember these things, I pour out my
soul in me: for I had gone with the multitude, and
praise, with a multitude that kept holidays of joy.
5 Why art thou cast down, O my soul? and why
art thou disquieted in me? hope thou in God: for he
shall yet praise him the help of his countenance.
6 O God, my soul is cast down: why hast thou
therefore with I remember these things, I pour out
my soul in me: for I had gone with the multitude,
and praise, with a multitude that kept holidays of
joy.

7 When I remember these things, I pour out my
soul in me: for I had gone with the multitude,
and praise, with a multitude that kept holidays of
joy.

PSALM 44

To the chief Musician for the sons of Korah, Maschil.

1 We have heard with our ears, O God, our fathers
have told us, what work thou didst in their days, in
the times of old.
2 How thou didst drive out the heathen with thy
hand, and plantedst them; how thou didst afflict the
people, and cast them out.
3 For they got not the land in possession by their
own sword, neither did their own arm save them:
but thy right hand, and thine arm, and the light of
thy countenance, because thou hadst a favour unto
them.

4 Thou art my King, O God: command deliver-
ances for Jacob.
5 Through thee will we push down our enemies:
through thy name will we tread them under that rise
up against us.

6 For I will not trust in my bow, neither shall my
sword save me.
7 But thou hast saved us from our enemies, and
hast put them to shame that hated us.
8 In God we boast all the day long, and praise thy
name for ever, Selah.

9 But thou hast cast off, and put us to shame;
and goest not forth with our armies.
10 Thou makest us to turn back from the enemy:
and they which hate us spoil for themselves.

11 Thou hast given us like sheep appointed for
meat; and hast scattered us among the heathen.
12 Thou sellest thy people for naught, and dost
increase thy wrath by their price.

PSALM 45

To the chief Musician upon Sheminith, for the sons
of Korah, Maschil, A Song of Love.

1 My heart is inclining a good matter: I speak
the things which I have made touching the king:
tongue is the pen of a ready writer.
2 Thou art fairer than the children of men:
is poured into thy lips therefore God hath
blessed thee for ever.

3 Gird thy sword upon thy thigh, O most
valiant, with thy glory and thy majesty.
4 And in thy majesty ride prosperously
of truth and meekness and righteousness.
5 Thine arrows are sharp in the hear-
ing of the king's enemies: whereby the people fall
and the sceptre of thy kingdom is a right sceptre.

6 Thy throne, O God, is for ever and
ever: thou lovest righteousness, and hatest
iniquity: therefore God, thy God, hath anointed
thee with the oil of gladness above thy fellows.
7 All thy garments smell of myrror, and
cassia, out of the ivory palaces, whereby
made thee glad.

8 Kings' daughters were among thy
women: upon thy right hand did stand
gold of Ophir.
9 Hearken, O daughter, and give
thine ear:cline thine

A black and white photograph of a baseball player, likely Jackie Robinson, in a batting stance. He is wearing a dark baseball cap with a white 'B' logo, a white jersey with the number '42' visible, and is holding a dark wooden bat. The background is a plain, light-colored wall.



*Shouldn't we
want to be with
Christ as long as
we can?*

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Raised with Christ, vs. 1-2

- We have heavenly aims
- Raised, Rom. 6:1-6, Col. 2:12
- Forget the past, press forward, Phil. 3:12-14
- Danger in looking back
- Set your mind

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Hidden with Christ, vs. 3

- We have heavenly assurance
- Do you remember dying?
- 2 Tim. 1:12: Rom. 8:35-39; 1 John 5:13

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PSALM 46
In the chief Musician: A Psalm of David.
1. I will not be afraid, though the earth be removed, and the mountains be carried away.
2. Though the sea be troubled, and the waves be high, yet will I be safe.
3. Though the mountains be moved, and the hills be shaken, yet will I be safe.
4. Though the fire kindle thorns, and the bush be kindled, yet will I be safe.
5. Though the lion be angry, and the bear be provoked, yet will I be safe.
6. Though the lion be angry, and the bear be provoked, yet will I be safe.
7. Though the lion be angry, and the bear be provoked, yet will I be safe.
8. Though the lion be angry, and the bear be provoked, yet will I be safe.
9. Though the lion be angry, and the bear be provoked, yet will I be safe.
10. Though the lion be angry, and the bear be provoked, yet will I be safe.

PSALM 47
In the chief Musician: A Psalm of David.
1. The Lord is with us, he will help us, he will deliver us from all our enemies.
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PSALM 49
In the chief Musician: A Psalm of David.
1. Hearken, O my people, to my voice, for I will speak of my glory.
2. Hearken, O my people, to my voice, for I will speak of my glory.
3. Hearken, O my people, to my voice, for I will speak of my glory.
4. Hearken, O my people, to my voice, for I will speak of my glory.
5. Hearken, O my people, to my voice, for I will speak of my glory.
6. Hearken, O my people, to my voice, for I will speak of my glory.
7. Hearken, O my people, to my voice, for I will speak of my glory.
8. Hearken, O my people, to my voice, for I will speak of my glory.
9. Hearken, O my people, to my voice, for I will speak of my glory.
10. Hearken, O my people, to my voice, for I will speak of my glory.

PSALM 50
In the chief Musician: A Psalm of David.
1. Have mercy upon me, O God, according to thy loving kindness.
2. Have mercy upon me, O God, according to thy loving kindness.
3. Have mercy upon me, O God, according to thy loving kindness.
4. Have mercy upon me, O God, according to thy loving kindness.
5. Have mercy upon me, O God, according to thy loving kindness.
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PSALM 51
In the chief Musician: A Psalm of David.
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Appearing with Christ, vs. 4

- We make our heavenly arrival
- 1 Thess. 4:17; Phil. 1:19-23
- Faithful living requires change, Col. 3:5-11

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With Christ

- If raised with Christ, we have heavenly aims
- If hidden with Christ in God, we have heavenly assurance
- Are you ready to appear with Christ when He comes again?

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Notes for stories in sermon

In the spring of 1946 young Ed Charles and his friends saw Jackie Robinson play baseball for the first time. "When the game was over, we kids followed Jackie as he walked with his teammates to the train station, and when the train pulled out, we ran down the tracks listening for the sounds as far as we could. When we couldn't hear them any longer, we put our ears to the tracks to feel the vibrations of the train carrying Jackie Robinson. We wanted to be part of him as long as we could."

On August 7th, 1954 during the British Empire and Commonwealth Games in Vancouver, B.C. Roger Bannister and John Landy met for the first time for the 1 mile run. Both men had beaten the 4 minute mark previously. Bannister was the first man to break the 4 minute mile and Landy was the current record holder. As 35,000 fans looked on, no one knew what would take place on that historic day. It would later be known as the "miracle mile." With only 90 yards to go, John Landy glanced over his left shoulder. At that instant, Bannister streaked by on Landy's right to win in a time of 3:58:8. Landy's second place finish of 3:59.6 marked the first time the 4 minute mile had been broken by two runners in the same race.