

The Lord will deliver you

Psalm 34:17-19 ¹⁷ The righteous cry, and the Lord heareth, and delivereth them out of all their troubles. ¹⁸ The Lord is nigh unto them that are of a broken heart; and saveth such as be of a contrite spirit. ¹⁹ Many are the afflictions of the righteous: but the Lord delivereth him out of them all.

Giving Honor to God the Father, the Son (Jesus Christ), and the Holy Spirit. To All of God's Sons, Daughters, and Children. Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow. Let's turn to Psalm 34:17-19, as we lift up the Name of the Lord. Our topic is "The Lord will deliver you."

To God be the Glory. We are the righteousness of God, through Christ Jesus. (2 Cor. 5:21) **The Lord hears our cry** (call for help) and delivers us out of various situations and circumstances. In life we all experience ups and downs. Can I get a witness? You may be experiencing a trial right now. I want you to know that the Lord can and will deliver you. **A broken heart and a contrite spirit** are core principles that encourage individuals to embrace and experience the power of Jesus Christ's saving grace. In this process, one will be receptive to **surrender**, **repentance**, and **humility**. The Lord will deliver you.

A willingness to **surrender**. There are times in life, when you have a broken heart and a contrite spirit. This allows the unique opportunity to be willing to put off the natural man and yield your will to God's will. This produces a willingness to surrender. **Recognition of sinfulness**. A contrite heart means recognizing your sinfulness and brokenness. In this state one sees themselves and understands that they have missed the mark. In the midst of the contrite heart, we realize that a change must occur and that the Lord must do it Himself. **Humility and teachability**. The result of a contrite heart produces a humble and teachable person who has a desire to hear and do what the Lord desires. The Lord will deliver you.

He is the assurance that we have. Not that we would go through life without difficulty, storms, or dry seasons. My brothers and sisters, every now and then we will go through trials, but the fact that when we go through the storms, rains, and the dry seasons... Jesus, 'O Bless His Holy Name.' He is right there with us through the storms and the rains. The Lord will deliver you.

Job said thou he slay me, yet shall I trust in Him. (Job 13:15) Trouble was in his way, he had to cry sometimes. I sure he laid awake at night and that's alright. But I believe we have some witnesses today that can testify that Jesus will fix it... after a while. I just believe that the Lord will deliver you.

Jonah was in the belly of the whale and cried out to God. In the midst of his affliction, Jonah cried out to the one who could deliver him. In Johan 2:2, he said "I cried by reason of mine affliction unto the Lord, and he heard me; out of the belly of hell cried I, and thou heardest my voice. God delivered Johan from the

midst of his affliction. I know the lord will deliver you.

David said "It was good for me that I was afflicted that I might learn your statutes." (Psalm 119:71) David acknowledged that the Lord used affliction in his life to bring him back from straying and to teach him His statutes. So, he acknowledges the Lord's use of affliction for his good. Have you ever gone through affliction (s)? How did the Lord show up in your life? However, wherever, and whenever the Lord show up – didn't He make a way and deliver you?

In this process of life experiences, I'm so thankful for the Lord's grace and mercy. Yes, one will be receptive to **surrender**, **repentance**, and **humility**. The Lord will deliver you. The Lord will deliver you. I'm telling you that the Lord will deliver you. Through the afflictions and through the outpouring of the blessings of an Able God... His Deliverance allows us to conclude that:

His goodness and mercy will follow us all the days of our lives. His name is Jesus Christ and He is the risen king. He is the Lord of Lords, and the king of kings. He is the alpha and the omega. He is our El-Shaddai. His Word has taught us that He is more for us than the whole world against us. He is our strong tower, a mighty good friend in a time of trouble. Our God is a refuge and a friend that sticketh closer than a brother. He is the more for us than the whole world against us and His name is Jesus Christ. Somebody needs to know today that they are going to make it. It's going to be alright, and the Lord himself will deliver you from the snare of the fowler. Surrender, Repent, and Humbly come to the Lord Jesus Christ. Come now, and let us reason together, saith the Lord: though your sins be as scarlet, they shall be as white as snow; though they be red like crimson, they shall be as wool. (Isaiah 1:18) The Lord will deliver you. Blessings and Favor, in the name of Jesus Christ. Amen.