

A PSALM OF DELIVERANCE

II Samuel 22

Consider some reflections of a successful man.

I. THE PRELUDE (2-4)

- David's Confessions

A. I AM COMMITTED TO GOD (2-3)

B. I AM CONFIDENT IN GOD (4)

II. THE PROCLAMATIONS (5-46)

- David's Communications

A. GOD INTERVENES! (5-28)

- *When David is pursued*

1. David's Peril (5-7a)

- Desperate

2. God's Presence (7b-16)

- He came down (10a)

3. God's Protection (17-20)

- He rescued me! (20b)

4. God's Principle (21-25)

- He rewards the righteous (21a)

5. God's Payment (26-28)

- He is just

B. GOD IS INVOLVED! (29-46)

- *When David is pursuing*

1. His Enablement (29-37)

- He knows what to give and grants David ...

a. Sight (29)

b. Superiority (30)

c. Stamina (31-33)

d. Swiftiness (34)

e. Strength (35-36)

f. Stability (37)

2. His Excellence (38-46)

a. The soldier finds success (38-43)

b. The ruler gains respect (44-46)

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III. **THE POSTLUDE** (47-51)

- **David's Celebration**

A. DECLARATION (47)

1. Blessed be the rock
2. Exalted be God

B. REFLECTION (48-49)

1. God promotes me (48)
2. God protects me (49)

C. INTENTION (50)

1. Give thanks
2. Sing praise

D. SITUATION (51)

- God's deliverance and devotion are eternal

IV. **SOME PONDERINGS**

- **Application Questions**

A. WHAT CAN YOU DO? (21:15-17)

- When David could not longer be a warrior ... he could still be writer!

B. WHERE DO YOU HIDE? (2-3)

C. WHO DO YOU CALL? (4)

D. WHOM DO YOU TRUST?

- When pursued? (7) When pursuing? (40)

E. WHAT DOES YOUR RIGHTEOUSNESS MERIT? (21-25)

- Is God likely to rescue you because of your righteousness?

F. HOW WILL YOU PRAISE? (50)

- What do you say and sing?

CONCLUSION:

Has God saved you and made you successful?

- Have you written Him a thank you note?

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