

2 Truths and a Lie

Your best life now.....and forever

PSALM 73

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1. Lie: God has withheld His best from you, _____ v2-16

The goodness of God is that which disposes Him to be kind, cordial, benevolent, and full of good will toward men. He is tenderhearted and of quick sympathy, and His unfailing attitude toward all moral beings is open, frank, and friendly. By His nature He is inclined to bestow blessedness and He takes holy pleasure in the happiness of His people. –AW Tozer

God's goodness:

Mark 10:18 No one is good except God alone.

Psalm 31:19 How great is Your goodness.

Genesis 1:31 God saw all that He had made, and behold, it was very good.

Psalm 119:39 Your law is good.

Romans 12:2 The will of God is, that which is good and acceptable and perfect.

James 1:17 Every good thing given and every perfect gift is from above.

Psalm 145:9 The Lord is good to all.

Psalm 84:11 No good thing does He withhold from those who walk uprightly.

Romans 8:28 And we know that God causes all things to work together for good to those who love God.

- I am _____ than you v4-5

- I am _____ than you v6-10

- I have _____ than you v11-12

Hosea 7:2 And they do not consider in their hearts that I remember all their wickedness.

Jeremiah 12:1 Why has the way of the wicked prospered? Why are all those who deal in treachery at ease?

#2 Truth: God has withheld what you deserve, _____ v17-24

Psalm 119:130 The unfolding of Your words gives light; it gives understanding to the simple.

Obadiah 1:3-4 The arrogance of your heart has deceived you, you who live in the clefts of the rock, in the loftiness of your dwelling place, who say in your heart, 'who will bring me down to earth?'⁴ "Though you build high like the eagle, though you set your nest among the stars, from there I will bring you down," declares the Lord.

1 Thessalonians 5:3 While they are saying, "Peace and safety!" then destruction will come upon them suddenly like labor pains upon a woman with child, and they will not escape.

Hebrews 10:31 It is a terrifying thing to fall into the hands of the Living God.

- Faithful _____ I am continually with you.
- Total _____ You have taken hold of my right hand.
- Wise _____ With your counsel you will guide me.
- Eternal _____ And afterward receive me to glory.

#3 Truth: God has given you the greatest good, _____ v25-26

Psalm 63:2-4 Thus I have seen You in the sanctuary, To see Your power and Your glory.³ Because Your lovingkindness is better than life, My lips will praise You.⁴ So I will bless You as long as I live; I will lift up my hands in Your name.

Philippians 3:8 More than that, I count all things to be loss in view of the surpassing value of knowing Christ Jesus my Lord, for whom I have suffered the loss of all things, and count them but rubbish so that I may gain Christ.

Now What?????

1. Flee to Christ for _____
2. Set your _____ on Christ
3. _____ your mouth and speak