

Finding Yourself in the Psalms
Psalm 70
A Psalm When You Need God's Help - FAST

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Many advertising slogans - "When you need it fast"

- mortgages
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Psalm 70. David needed help QUICKLY

- v. 1, v. 5
 - ★ "Hasten"
 - ★ "come quickly"
 - ★ "come quickly" (v. 5)
 - ★ "do not delay" (v. 5)

- What allows us to ask for God's immediate assistance?
 - ★ We are in God's **PROTECTION**.
 - Isaiah 43:1 " But now, thus says the Lord, who created you, O Jacob, And He who formed you, O Israel: "Fear not, for I have redeemed you; I have called you by your name; You are Mine. "
 - ★ We are God's **POSSESSION**.
 - Isaiah 41:10 "*Fear not, for I am with you; Be not dismayed, for I am your God. I will strengthen you, Yes, I will help you, I will uphold you with My righteous right hand.*"
 - 1 Peter 2:9 "*But you are a chosen generation, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, His own special people, that you may proclaim the praises of Him who called you out of darkness into His marvelous light;*"
 - ★ We are promised God's **POWER**.
 - Psalm 62:11 "*God has spoken once, Twice I have heard this: That power belongs to God. "*
 - Romans 16:25 "*Now to Him who is able to establish you according to my gospel and the preaching of Jesus Christ, according to the revelation of the mystery kept secret since the world began"*

- Examples of those who Received Immediate Attention from God
 - ★ Nehemiah. Neh 2:4
 - ★ Elijah. 1 Kings 18:36
 - ★ Thief on the cross. Luke 23:42
 - ★ Moses. Exodus 15:24-25 "*And the people complained against Moses, saying, "What shall we drink?" So he cried out to the Lord, and the Lord showed him a tree. When he cast it into the waters, the waters were made sweet. There He made*

a statute and an ordinance for them, and there He tested them,"

- SO, We better be
 - ★ Prayed up
 - ★ Confessed up
 - ★ Looking up