THE CHARACTER OF THE PERSON WHO DWELLS WITH THE LORD

Psalm 15

Lesson 2: Psalms of Guidance

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The Righteous person Psalm 15

Psalms 15:1, "Jehovah, who shall sojourn in thy tabernacle? Who shall dwell in thy holy hill?"

- Character of integrity and holiness.
- Question asked. 15:1
 - Only certain people will dwell in that place with Him (Psalms 61:4; Revelation 21:3; 7:15; John 14:2-3, 23).
- Ouestion answered. 15:2-5

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Psalms 15:2-5

, 2 He that walketh uprightly, and worketh righteousness, and speaketh truth in his heart;

3 He that slandereth not with his tongue, nor doeth evil to his friend, nor taketh up a reproach against his neighbor;

4 In whose eyes a reprobate is despised, but who honoreth them that fear Jehovah; He that sweareth to his own hurt, and changeth not;

5 He that putteth not out his money to interest, nor taketh reward against the innocent. He that doeth these things shall never be moved.

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Stated Positively

Psalms 15:2, 4

- Walks uprightly (2)
 - Anyone who claims to abide in the Lord "ought ... to walk even as he walked" (1 John 2:6), without blemish (1 Peter 2:21-23; 1:19).
 - Walks in God's truth. Psalms 26:3
 - Guided by God's wisdom.
 Psalms 1:1-2; Proverbs 2:1-15; 4:5-9;
 Colossians 2:3

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Works righteousness (2);

Psalms 119:172; 1 Timothy 6:11; 2 Timothy 2:22; 3:16-17

- Sincere intent. Hebrews 13:18
- Not hypocritical. Isaiah 33:14-16
- cf. the character of Cornelius. Acts 10:1-3, 22, 34ff
- 1 John 2:29, "If ye know that he is righteous, ye know that every one also that doeth righteousness is begotten of him."
- 1 John 3:10, "In this the children of God are manifest, and the children of the devil: whosoever doeth not righteousness is not of God ..."

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- Speaks truth in his heart (2)
 - Consistent character. Psalms 101:6-7
 - Thoughts translate into character. Philippians 4:8
 - Matthew 12:34, "Ye offspring of vipers, how can ye, being evil, speak good things? for out of the abundance of the heart the mouth speaketh." (cf. Matthew 23:26)
- Ephesians 4:25

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