

BEING BLESSED

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Book 1: Psalms 1-41 (theme of Genesis)

Book 2: Psalms 42-72 (theme of Exodus)

Book 3: Psalms 73-89 (theme of Leviticus)

Book 4: Psalms 90-106 (theme of Numbers)

Book 5: Psalms 107-150 (theme of Deuteronomy)

Psalm 1:1 (NIV) *Blessed is the man who walks not in the counsel of the wicked, nor stands in the way of sinners, nor sits in the seat of scoffers; ² but his delight is in the law of the Lord, and on his law he meditates day and night. ³ He is like a tree planted by streams of water that yields its fruit in its season, and its leaf does not wither. In all that he does, he prospers. ⁴ The wicked are not so, but are like chaff that the wind drives away. ⁵ Therefore the wicked will not stand in the judgment, nor sinners in the congregation of the righteous; ⁶ for the Lord knows the way of the righteous, but the way of the wicked will perish.*

Psalm 1:1 (ESV) *Blessed is the man who walks not in the counsel of the wicked, nor stands in the way of sinners, nor sits in the seat of scoffers.*

Psalm 1:2 (ESV) *but his delight is in the law of the Lord, and on his law he meditates day and night.*

Psalm 1:3 (ESV) *He is like a tree planted by streams of water that yields its fruit in its season, and its leaf does not wither. In all that he does, he prospers.*

Psalm 1:4 (ESV) *The wicked are not so, but are like chaff that the wind drives away.*

Psalm 1:5 (NIV) *Therefore the wicked will not stand in the judgment, nor sinners in the congregation of the righteous*

Psalm 1:6 (ESV) *for the Lord knows the way of the righteous, but the way of the wicked will perish.*

Psalm 1 points us to Christ:

- Jesus never walked in sin.
- Jesus loved and obeyed the Scriptures
- Jesus delighted completely in the Father's will.
- Jesus remained faithful through every trial.
- Jesus bore fruit that changed the world.

3 Application Questions:

- 1). What path am I following?
- 2). Who's voices am I listening to?
- 3). Am I rooted in God's Word?