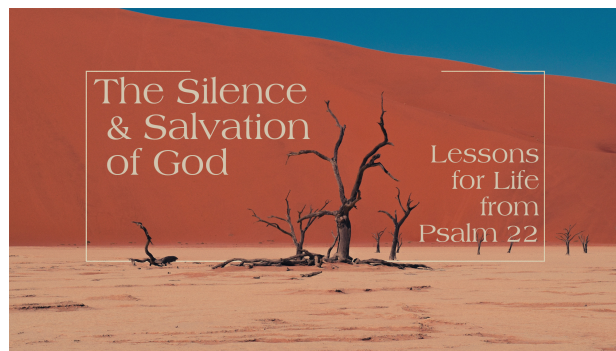


Of all the passages Jesus could have cried out from the cross, why **Psalm 22**?

| Psalm 22 | Matthew 27 |
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| v. 1: My God, my God, why have you _____ me? | v. 46: And about the ninth hour Jesus cried out with a _____ voice... |
| v. 7: All who see me _____ me... they wag their heads... | v. 39: those who passed by derided him, _____ their heads... |
| v. 8: "He _____ in the LORD; let him deliver him..." | v. 43: "He trusts in God; let God _____ him now..." |
| v. 16: they have _____ my hands and feet... | v. 35: And when they had _____ him... |
| v. 18: ...they _____ my garments among them, and for my clothing they cast lots. | v. 35: ...they divided his garments among them by _____ lots. |

Let us then with _____ draw near to the throne of grace... (**Heb 4:15-16**)



Notice how David is led from agonizing over the silence of God to confident hope in the salvation of God.

| PAST (God's Presence) | PRESENT (David's Plea) | FUTURE (David's Praise) |
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| | 22:1-2: I find no _____. | |
| 22:3-5: Yet you are holy... in you our fathers trusted... and were _____. | | |
| | 22:6-8: But I am a _____... all who see me mock me... | |
| 22:9-10: Yet _____... | | |
| | 22:11-21: Be not _____ from me... | |
| | | 22:22-31: I will _____; I will praise... |