



2023 01 29 The Basis of
Spiritual Security

See now that I, I am He,

and there is no god besides Me;

it is I who put to death and give life.

I have wounded, and it is I who heal,

and there is no one who can deliver from My hand.

Why does anyone
live or die?

Yahweh puts to death and makes alive;

He brings down to Sheol and raises up.

↳ hell

Who has the power
of life and death?

Does life signify anything?

For I, Yahweh,

do not change;

therefore you, O sons of Jacob,

are not consumed.

Declaration

Transformation

Why are we alive this morning?

The lovingkindnesses of Yahweh indeed never cease,
for His compassions never fail.

They are new every morning;

great is Your faithfulness!

“Yahweh is my portion,” says my soul,

“therefore I wait for Him.”

The footsteps of a man are established by Yahweh,
and He delights in his way.

When he falls, he will not be hurled headlong,
because Yahweh is the One who sustains his hand.

What sort of control does
God exert over people?

The Lord is not slow about His promise,
as some consider slowness,

but is patient toward you,
not willing for any to perish
but for all to come to repentance.

Why does the Lord wait so long to judge the wicked?

Rom 9

wrath

mercy

Acts 17

How secure is
our salvation?

But God demonstrates His own love toward us,
in that while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us.

Much more then, having now been justified by His blood,
we shall be saved from the wrath of God through Him.

For if while we were enemies we were reconciled to God
through the death of His Son, much more,
having been reconciled, we shall be saved by His life.

But we should always give thanks to God for you,

brothers beloved by the Lord,

because God has chosen you as the first fruits for salvation

through sanctification by the Spirit and faith in the truth.

It was for this He called you through our gospel,

that you may obtain the glory of our Lord Jesus Christ.

**Why does God
save ANYONE?**

My sheep hear My voice, and I know them, and they follow Me;

and I give eternal life to them, and they will never perish -- ever:

and no one will snatch them out of My hand.

My Father, who has given them to Me, is greater than all;

and no one is able to snatch them out of the Father's hand.

How are
we kept
secure?