

Jeduthun is not a name that you may be familiar with, he was a chief musician to whom David addressed (3) Psalms: Also Psalms 39,77.

Jeduthun's sons were porters or doorkeepers in the tent in Jerusalem, where the ark was kept after it was brought up from Obed-Edom's house.

Psalm 62:1-12

David speaks as one man who had many enemies against him. From verses 3-4, we know that he wrote this Psalm when his enemies were coming at him when they were planning and devising mischief against him seeking to overwhelm, overthrow, and destroy him.

These weren't your typical enemies; outwardly they blessed David and flattered him with their tongues, and acted like his friends, but inwardly and secretly they cursed him, hated him, and lied about him.

But neither David's enemies nor his troubles destroyed him or shattered his faith in His God, instead, his enemies and his troubles DISCOVERED and AWAKENED his faith in his God, and also refocused and refixed his faith in his GOD and in God alone!

The trials of your faith should never weaken you, or drive you away from God, (that is NOT their design), but they should strengthen you in your faith in Christ and drive you toward Him with even greater resolve and trust. Psalm 71:1-5, 61:1-2

Beloved of God, THIS is what every trial and every overwhelming trouble should do in our lives, this is what should happen in our souls! By faith, we should be able to personally recite David's words as if they were our own!

Psalm 62:1-2: Truly, my soul is silent unto God!

Whatever your tribulations might be, they are designed to produce patience, trust, and silence in your soul toward God, but also, to FIX your soul upon God, and God alone!

Your trials are never designed to hurt you! When they happen in your life, they are happening under "The Sovereign Direction and Supervision of your Heavenly Father" to remind you and to refocus you to trust God, and God alone, not in this world.....BUT ALSO TO wean you from trusting anything and anyone else.... that you would have "NO OTHER TRUSTS" upon whom you might THINK TO LEAN UPON!

Psalm 46:10: "Be still", Cease from all of your faithless human reactions to your trials.... KNOW THAT I AM GOD!

If you are God's dear child, He is going to teach you to be silent unto Him and to TRUST Him, WHO ONLY IS your Rock, your Salvation, your Strong Tower, your Refuge, and your Defender! Psalm 86:10

In (V2) : David wrote, "I shall not be greatly moved". In (V6) : "I shall not be moved".

David showed us his weakness in himself, in that when trials and troubles initially came upon him and overwhelmed him, he was shaken, troubled, and moved, but not greatly moved.

Beloved, when you're hit with an unexpected trial in your lives, although your faith may and will be "moved and "shaken", yet because of your faith in Christ, you should not be "greatly moved" or "moved away" from your God, who is your trust! Matthew 7:24-27, 6:47-49, 1 Peter 5:10-11

Note after THE INITIAL HIT, David refocused and refixed his faith and trust in his God, so that he was able to write, (V6), "I shall not be moved".

I hope you can see how important it is for you to be GROUNDED, ROOTED, and ESTABLISHED in your faith in Christ, IF YOU'RE NOT, it's going to be very difficult to be "silent unto God", or as David penned in (V8) TO.....

"Trust in Him at all times; ye people, pour out your hearts before Him: God is a Refuge for us. Selah".

Trust in God at ALL TIMES: In times of calm, and times of prosperity, on good days, but also, in times of difficulty, in times of affliction, and in times when your faith is under attack from the wicked one.

Trust in God at all times, which means in "every time" and "every when"! Psalm 34:1-2.

We'll finish this evening with this essential....

"Pour out your hearts before Him". 1 Samuel 1:9-18