



# The Book of Psalms

## Praise and Prayers for Every Day

### Psalm 7

#### Reading: Psalm 7:1-17

David must have really been experiencing extreme hopelessness, if he felt he was being torn to pieces by a lion. What kind of picture does that leave in your mind?

David starts questioning his own life, morality, and iniquity. What does iniquity mean in this context?

When we say that God is completely righteous and just – what does that mean?

**Romans 3:21-26** *“But now the righteousness of God apart from the law is revealed, being witnessed by the Law and the Prophets, even the righteousness of God, through faith in Jesus Christ, to all and on all who believe. For there is no difference; for all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God, being justified freely by His grace through the redemption that is in Christ Jesus, whom God set forth as a propitiation by His blood, through faith, to demonstrate His righteousness, because in His forbearance God had passed over the sins that were previously committed, to demonstrate at the present time His righteousness, that He might be just and the justifier of the one who has faith in Jesus.”*

The gospel is the good news that true righteousness that is only found in acknowledging our sin and accepting Jesus' gift. How did that truth impact the sinful, immoral woman in Luke 7?

Why does everything start with us acknowledging our need for God?

**Promise to cling to this week:** *“My defense is of God, Who saves the upright in heart.”*  
(verse 10)