

Psalm 92:2

Authorized King James Version (KJV)

To shew forth thy lovingkindness in the morning, and thy
faithfulness every night,

Analysis

The bipartite structure of morning 'lovingkindness' (hesed) and evening 'faithfulness' (emunah) reflects God's covenant attributes that sustain believers throughout each day. This pattern teaches that meditation on God's character should bookend our daily activities. The Hebrew hesed encompasses loyal love, mercy, and covenant faithfulness—a rich theological concept central to understanding God's relationship with His people.

Historical Context

The morning and evening pattern corresponds to the daily sacrifices (tamid) offered in the temple, creating a rhythm of worship that sanctified all of time.

Related Passages

James 2:17 — Faith and works

Romans 1:17 — The righteous shall live by faith

Study Questions

1. How can establishing morning and evening times of focusing on God's attributes transform your daily routine?

2. What specific evidences of God's lovingkindness and faithfulness have you experienced today?

Interlinear Text

בְּלִילּוֹת: אַמְּנוּתְךָ וְלִמְּנַתְּךָ בְּבֹאָתְךָ יְמִינְךָ
every night and thy faithfulness thy lovingkindness in the morning to shew forth

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Additional Cross-References

John 1:17 (Parallel theme): For the law was given by Moses, but grace and truth came by Jesus Christ.

Isaiah 63:7 (Parallel theme): I will mention the lovingkindnesses of the LORD, and the praises of the LORD, according to all that the LORD hath bestowed on us, and the great goodness toward the house of Israel, which he hath bestowed on them according to his mercies, and according to the multitude of his lovingkindnesses.

Psalms 42:8 (Parallel theme): Yet the LORD will command his lovingkindness in the daytime, and in the night his song shall be with me, and my prayer unto the God of my life.

Acts 16:25 (Parallel theme): And at midnight Paul and Silas prayed, and sang praises unto God: and the prisoners heard them.

Psalms 71:15 (Parallel theme): My mouth shall shew forth thy righteousness and thy salvation all the day; for I know not the numbers thereof.

Psalms 145:2 (Parallel theme): Every day will I bless thee; and I will praise thy name for ever and ever.

Job 35:10 (Parallel theme): But none saith, Where is God my maker, who giveth songs in the night;

Psalms 77:2 (Parallel theme): In the day of my trouble I sought the Lord: my sore ran in the night, and ceased not: my soul refused to be comforted.

