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2 Samuel 5:25-26

"Then the king said to Zadok, "Carry the ark of God back into the city. If I find favor in the eyes of the Lord, He will bring me back and show me both it and His dwelling place. But if He says, "I have no delight in you," here I am, let Him do to me as seems good to Him." 2 Samuel 15: 25-26

Despite all of David's troubles, faults and sin, his heart remains true to God. He walks in an integrity of heart that beckons believers everywhere to emulate – a yielded heart that yearns for God's will, that longs for His plan, that thirsts for His presence! "As the deer pants for the water brook, so my soul longs after Thee." (Psalm 42:1

You too, no doubt, have your own share of troubles, faults and sin. It is then all the more important for you to follow closely and determinedly after God, isn't it? "My soul follows hard after You, Your right hand upholds me." (Psalm 63:8)

Yes, we all make mistakes, but to the one who errs or even fails miserably, yet who has been pursuing God wholeheartedly, that person will God uphold and defend!

"Lord, my heart longs for You – to know You, to walk with You, to please You. In my failings and sins, uphold me and preserve my coming in and my going out! In Jesus' Name, Amen."

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