

Volume 3 The Prophetic Books Micah 7:7 – 8

"Therefore I will look unto the LORD; I will wait for the God of my salvation: my God will hear me. Rejoice not against me, O mine enemy: when I fall, I shall arise; when I sit in darkness, the LORD shall be a light unto me." Micah 7:7-8

Believers who look to the LORD rather than to men to meet their needs are filled with a certain joy, a peaceful confidence, and a liberating assurance of their personal worth. (Romans 14:17). Placing our expectations on the LORD allows us to see others as they are and it also allows us the boldness to minister to them without fear of their rejection or reaction. Being "accepted in the Beloved" is a wonderful tonic that satisfies the soul and dispels fears! "Perfect love casts out all fear." (1 John 4:18).

"Wait for the LORD" – He is your salvation – that is, He holds the answer to whatever you face. "My God will hear me" – His hearing is your assurance of the answer requested (1 John 5:14 – 15). "Don't rejoice over me, my enemies" – because, My Father will defend me, protect me, and put me over! "When I fall" – yes, there are always moments of failure or set back – but in Christ – "I will arise!" And "when I sit in darkness" – clouds of confusion may swirl around me or waves of trouble may overflow me – but of this I can be confident – "The LORD will be a light to me!"

Look to the LORD and wait patiently for Him!

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