

Volume 2 Books of Poetry Psalm 56:3 – 4, 8 – 11

"At times when I am afraid, I will trust in You. In God I will praise His Word, in God I have put my trust; I will not fear what flesh can do unto me. You take account of my wanderings: You put my tears into a bottle: are they not in Your book? ... When I cry unto You, then shall mine enemies turn back: this I know; for God is for me. In God will I praise His Word: in the LORD will I praise His Word. In God have I put my trust: I will not be afraid of what man can do unto me." Psalm 56:3 – 4, 8 – 11

Fear worries people to death from the inside out, a little at a time until their lives are bundle of anxious nerves and irrational concerns and fears.

## Unless...!

Unless when we are assailed by such fears we respond with an unqualified trust in the Lord by standing firmly upon His Word. Unless, when such fears sneak up upon us we counter them openly and boldly by the Word of the Lord.

## "It is written..."

Fear is the opposite of faith. Fear is putting confidence in the words of failure, or sickness, or harm, or broken relationships. Faith, on the other hand, is a confident expectation of good issuing forth from the heart and hand of God toward us.

Fear is realized and its fruit manifested by failing to respond to its suggestions with the Word of the Lord. Faith fruit is realized and its answers manifest by believing and acting upon the Word of the Lord.

"In God will I praise His Word."

"Today, I will stand firmly and completely upon the Word of the Lord. By His Word, I will live and I will prosper. All that I put my hand to today, because of God's Word working in my life, will prosper, gain favour and find good success! I pray found in Jesus, the Eternal Word, Amen!"

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