

Promises Not Panic Day 22 4/14/2020

Unprecedented circumstances-

1Sam 21:10-15

Chased by Saul

Gath- Goliaths hometown

Before Goliaths King (Achish)

Carrying Goliaths sword- 1Sam 21:9

Pretending madness- Achish's wife and daughter mad.

Scratching cross? A. Barnes Commentary "Tau" ancient times a cross. Jerome and Francis. Ezekiel 9:4 mark of tau.

They release David!

Psa 34:1 I will bless the LORD at all times; His praise shall continually be in my mouth.

a) bless at all times- Rom 8:28 all things work together for my good.

b) Rom 8:26-27 Likewise the Spirit also helps in our weaknesses. For we do not know what we should pray for as we ought, but the Spirit Himself makes intercession for us with groanings which cannot be uttered. Now He who searches the hearts knows what the mind of the Spirit is, because He makes intercession for the saints according to the will of God.

c) praise continually in my mouth. Verbalized, mouth, not just mind. Expression.

d) naturally minded people just don't get blessing, praising, worshipping God in unprecedented circumstances.

e) they feel it's denial.

f) they feel it's irresponsible. Remember- worry, anxiety and fear aren't responsible kingdom responses to unprecedented circumstances.

g) they feel it's crazy.

h) **Eph 5:20** giving thanks always for all things to God the Father in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ,

i) **1Th 5:18** in everything give thanks; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you.

Listen- the ultimate act of faith and trust during tough times is blessing and worshipping God. It will release the miraculous for you while other sensible people remain in fear, dismay and bitterness.

Job 1:21-22 And he said: "Naked I came from my mother's womb, and naked shall I return there. The LORD gave, and the LORD has taken away; Blessed be the name of the LORD." In all this Job did not sin nor charge God with wrong.

Friends- let's grow into Believers who bless, praise and worship God in tough times. Let's not charge God with wrong! If so, we'll be better and not bitter.

Communion-

Prayer-

Share-

Notes-