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WORKS CITED AND/OR FOR FURTHER STUDY:

I can't say enough about how highly I recommend Reggie Kidd's With One Voice and it's excellent treatment of this passage.

Bibliography/additional resources: John Calvin, Commentary on the Psalms; Tim Keller "The Doctrine of Salvation" (a sermon available from Redeemer Presbyterian Church); N.T. Wright "Jesus and the Victory of God"; Psalms, John Goldingay and Tremper Longman III; Message of the Psalms, Walter Bruggeman



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The 930 Office Hours
Sunday – Services
Monday – Closed
Tuesday – Friday – 9 a.m. – 4 p.m.
Saturday – Closed



Psalms

February 21, 2010

From Lament to Victory:
Song of a Condemned Man
Psalm 22

UPCOMING EVENTS

Men's & Women's Retreats in April.
Registration Open
Register now for the Sojourn annual Women's Retreat April 9-10, and the Men's Retreat April 23-24.
Visit: sojournchurch.com
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"What's New" Vision Update

Keep track of our vision campaign at vision.sojournchurch.com. Click the "Share Your Story" link at the bottom right to read stories of what God is doing through Sojourn. We'd love for you to add your story too, through the easy upload feature.

KNOW WHAT'S HAPPENING

Baptism Sunday
Our next Baptism Sunday is March 14. Email baptism@sojournchurch.com to participate. Or:
Visit: sojournchurch.com
Click: Next Steps
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Join Us In Prayer For Missions
This Tuesday morning, 6:30 – 7:30 in The 930, join us as we pray for our missions partners around the world and for our gospel mission in this city and beyond.

SERMON NOTES - FROM LAMENT TO VICTORY: SONG OF A CONDEMNED MAN

WHY WE NEED LAMENT

In harmony with creation (Romans 8:19-22)

In empathy with the hurting and broken (Romans 12:15)

In preparation for suffering in our own lives (2 Corinthians 1:5-7)

THE LAMENT SONG (PSALM 22:1-21)

THE FIRST 2/3 OF THE PSALM IS AN INNER DIALOGUE.

Vs. 1-2 - I'm forsaken...

Vs. 3-5 - but you're faithful to your people

Vs. 6-8 - I'm the object of mockery and scorn

Vs. 9-11 - but you've always been my provision

Vs. 12-18 - I'm being emptied and dying

Vs. 19-21 - But you will hear my prayer

THE LAMENT IS COUNTERED BY REMEMBRANCE - OF GOD'S FAITHFULNESS TO HIS PEOPLE AND TO THE PSALMIST.

THE VICTORY SONG (PSALM 22:21-31)

THE CONDEMNED LEADS A REVIVAL THAT SPANS THROUGH THE GLOBE AND HISTORY.

Vs 22-24 - The condemned man becomes the worship leader

Vs 25-28 - Worship spreads around the globe

Vs 29-31 - Worship spreads to the Past and Future

THE CROSS, LAMENT AND VICTORY

CHRIST'S LAMENT TEACHES US THAT WE NEVER ARE ALONE IN OUR SUFFERING.

JESUS' ONLY CRY OF AGONY ISN'T "MY HANDS, MY HANDS" - IT'S "MY GOD, MY GOD."

Because of his suffering, we can join him in victory and hope.

Christ was forsaken so that you and I wouldn't be forsaken.

There is a light at the end of the tunnel of our suffering; that light was made possible by the sacrifice of Jesus Christ.

JESUS NOW LEADS US IN WORSHIP BEFORE GOD'S THRONE (PSALM 22:25)

Hebrews 8:1-2 - Jesus is our worship leader, leading us into the throne room of God, where we could never have gone apart from Christ's suffering in our place.

Every time we worship, we are joining Jesus as he worships God the Father.

Never confuse someone who leads you in singing to someone who leads you into God's throne room.

Never miss an opportunity to join the chorus of praise that Jesus leads from the inner sanctuary of heaven.



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