



Christ Alone

PSALM 22

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- *“For the preaching of the cross is to them that perish foolishness; but unto us which are saved it is the power of God.” 1 Corinthians 1:18*
- This psalm is all about Christ and the cross. It allows you to see into the inner thinking processes of Christ as He hung on the cross that day.
- The time to turn to Christ and worship Him is _____!
- Why is this?

First, Christ alone has made a sacrifice for _____ vs. 1-21

- Why did God the Father have to forsake Christ on the cross? vs. 1
- *“For he hath made him to be sin for us, who knew no sin; that we might be made the righteousness of God in him.” 2 Corinthians 5:21*
- *“Who his own self bare our sins in his own body on the tree, that we, being dead to sins, should live unto righteousness: by whose stripes ye were healed.” 1 Peter 2:24*

- *“For when we were yet without strength, in due time Christ died for the ungodly. But God commendeth his love toward us, in that, while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us.”*

Romans 5:6, 8

- The cross clearly demonstrates two things about God:
 - God hates _____.
 - God loves _____!

Second, Christ alone has defeated _____.
vs. 22-26

- What does this mean for us? When we _____ Him, we live forever, too! We get His _____!
- *“And I give unto them eternal life; and they shall never perish, neither shall any man pluck them out of my hand.”* **John 10:28**

Third, Christ alone will _____ and reign forever. vs. 27-31

Conclusion:

- In this psalm we see the Messiah:
 - Rejected. vs. 1-21
 - _____ vs. 22-26
 - _____ vs. 27-31