## PSALM 46

## God Is Our Refuge and Strength, a Very Present Help in Trouble.

NOTE: Historical background of Psalm 46 is a bit unclear. There are many that attribute it being written in response to an Assyrians siege of Jerusalem in roughly 700 B.C. found in 2 Kings 18 and 19 & Isaiah 36 and 37)

Proverbs 18:10 - "The name of the Lord is a strong tower; the righteous man runs into it and is safe."

| 1. <u>In Cosmic Ch</u>   | iaos:               |   |
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| God is our               | and                 | (Verse 1)   |
| God is ι                 | us. (Verse 1)       |   |
| We                       | not fear. (Verse2)  |   |
| We don't need to         | fear                | (Verse 2)   |
| Spurgeon on Ps           | salm 3:4 (with Se   | elah):  |
| "                        | a pause for solemi  | n consideration. The sense invites the pause, and the |
| soul would not be        | e hurried onward."  |   |
| 2. <u>In Political C</u> | oncerns:            |   |
| God's                    | _ makes his people  | (Verse 4)   |
| God is                   | with and            | for His people. (Verse 5)\                            |
| No one can rival         | God. (Verse 6)      |   |
| God is a our             | (Verse 7            | )   |
| 3. <u>In Internatio</u>  | onal Conflict:      |   |
| To remember Go           | d is with us, we mu | ust remember the of the Lord. (Verse 8)               |
| Behold the warfa         | re of the Lord. (Ve | rse 8 & 9)  |
| We must Stop             | and                 | trust in God. (Verse 10)                              |
| God will be              | evervi              | where (Verse 10)                                      |