



Summer IN THE Psalms

Week 1 - Psalm 1 - Devotion

“How happy is the one who does not walk in the advice of the wicked or stand in the pathway with sinners or sit in the company of mockers.” - Psalm 1:1

This verse reminds us that our company has a significant impact on our spiritual life. We must be intentional about surrounding ourselves with people who will uplift us and encourage us to pursue righteousness.

The Psalmist describes the blessed person as one who delights in the law of the Lord and meditates on it day and night. This person is compared to a tree planted by streams of water, which yields its fruit in season and whose leaves do not wither. Just as trees need constant sources of nourishment to grow and bear fruit, we need constant nourishment from God's Word to thrive spiritually.

The Psalmist warns that the wicked are like chaff that the wind blows away. Those who do not follow God's ways will ultimately be separated from Him and face destruction. This is a sobering reminder of the consequences of rejecting God's path for our lives.

As you reflect on Psalm 1, remember that your choices have consequences. May you strive to walk in God's ways and surround yourself with those who will encourage you. May you delight in His Word and allow it to provide nourishment so that you can bear fruit that brings glory to Him.

