

PSALM 120 CURING DISCOURAGEMENT

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LYRICS

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READ DURING MUSIC PRELUDE:

Don't be DISCOURAGED BY PEOPLE, even church people: Deuteronomy 1:28

“Where can we go up? Our brethren have discouraged our hearts, saying, 'The people are greater and taller than we; the cities are great and fortified up to heaven'...” // EZRA 4:4 “Then the people of the land tried to discourage the people of Judah.”

Don't be DISCOURAGED BY OUR OWN SELVES & sins we won't give up: Ezra

18:31-32. “ 'Cast away from you all the transgressions which you have committed, and get yourselves a new heart and a new spirit. For why should you die...? For I have no pleasure in the death of one who dies,' says the Lord GOD. 'Therefore turn & live!'”

DO >> EN- COURAGED YOURSELF, Looking Unto Jesus:

“For consider Him who endured such hostility from sinners against Himself, lest you become weary and discouraged in your souls.” - Hebrews 12: 3

CHORUS

- at beginning & end

LOOK UNTO JESUS, Who with JOY &
with LOVE for you endured shame & Death.

LOOK UNTO JESUS, Who loves YOU. In
THIS way you CAN fight Discouragement.

This Hebrews 12 verse gives us PEACE:

The LORD comforts you, turn to Him for Strength.

Psalm One-Twenty also shows this cure:

Call God, Who then fights your Discouragement.

1

Psalm One-Hundred-Twenty Prayer that God inspired:

In distress, I CRIED to the LORD and LORD God heard me.

As a Father, God hears His true children: Psalm 34: 17.

Deliver my soul from lying LIPS and a deceitful tongue. And

not just others, but MY OWN: Deliver me from deceitful tongues.

ECHO: *Deliver me from deceitful tongues.*

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Reading 1: Psalm 34: 17

“The righteous cry out, and the LORD hears, and delivers them out of all their troubles.”

Psalm 120: 1-2, “In my distress I cried to the LORD, and He heard me. Deliver my soul, O LORD, from lying lips and from a deceitful tongue.”

2

Psalm One-Hundred-Twenty Prayer that God inspired:

What shall God DO to Liars? God's Sword pierces Lies: Ephesians 6: 17.

Woe is me to dwell with those who love lies. My soul has dwelt too long there.

Deliver my soul from lying HEARTS and a deceitful tongue. And

not just others, but MY OWN: Help me in ALL things to trust in You.

ECHO: *Help me in ALL things to trust in You.*

Reading 2: Psalm 120: 3 - 7

“What shall be given to you, Or what shall be done to you, You false tongue? Sharp arrows of the warrior, With coals of the broom tree! Woe is me, that I dwell in Meshech, That I dwell among the tents of Kedar! My soul has dwelt too long with one who hates peace. I am for peace; But when I speak, they are for war.” **NOTE:**

To “dwell in the tents of Kedar” meant to be cut off from the worship of THE true God.

3

Psalm One-Hundred-Twenty Prayer that God inspired:

In sadness, I'll LOOK TO JESUS. God's Son has endured far more-- and understands.

With His Help, I wil fight discouragement. My soul shall dwell on Jesus: NOT problems!

Deliver me from my selfishness, and a DISCOURAGED HEART. Help

me look only to Jesus, and share His Words to comfort others!

“ECHO” : *Give me YOUR Words to comfort others!*

Reading 3: Hebrews 12: 1, 3 - 5. “... Let us lay aside every weight, and the sin which so easily ensnares *us*, and let us run with endurance the race that is set before us, **LOOKING UNTO JESUS** ... For consider Him who endured such hostility from sinners against Himself, lest you become weary and discouraged in your souls. You have not yet resisted to bloodshed, striving against sin... *do not despise the chastening of the LORD, Nor be discouraged when you are rebuked by Him.*” [Proverbs 3:11-12].

ENDING CHORUS

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Song Story.

Written on a day when very very sad about some church band things... feeling unable to contribute anything toward the worship of our LORD thru music... God guided me to these verses in Psalm 120 and Hebrews 12, which indeed did lift my heart some....