

YAG 6th RETREAT
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Theme: “Revive me”

Session 7

A DAVIDIC PSALM
Psalm 138

FAITH-RELATIONSHIP WITH GOD
(Starting point)

1. Praise

*“I will praise You with my whole heart;
Before the gods I will sing praises to you”* Psalm 138:1

2. Worship

“I will worship toward Your holy temple, and praise Your name” Psalm 138:2a

KNOWLEDGE OF GOD
(Experiential)

1. Lovingkindness of God

“I will worship... and praise Your name... for Your lovingkindness” Psalm 138:2b

2. Truth of God

“For Your... truth” Psalm 138:2b

3. Word of God magnified

“You have magnified Your word above all Your name” Psalm 138:2

4. Prayer-answering God

“In the day when I cried out, You answered me” Psalm 138:3a

5. Strength-giving God

“And made me bold with strength in my soul” Psalm 138:3b

6. Greatness of the Glory of God

“Great is the glory of God” Psalm 138:5

7. Majesty of God

“The LORD is on high” Psalm 138:6a

8. Graciousness of God

“Yet He regards the lowly” Psalm 138:6b

9. Justice of God
"But the proud He knows from afar" Psalm 138:6c

10. Mercy of God
"Your mercy, O LORD, endures forever" Psalm 138:8b

LIFE ON EARTH

1. Trouble
"I walk in the midst of trouble" Psalm 138:7a

2. Enemies
"The wrath of my enemies" Psalm 138:7b

GOD'S WORK IN OUR LIFE

1. Revival amidst trouble
*"Though I walk in the midst of trouble,
You will revive me"* Psalm 138:7a

2. Protection from enemies
*"You will stretch out Your hand
Against the wrath of my enemies"* Psalm 138:7b

3. Deliverance from enemies
"And Your right hand will save me" Psalm 138:7c

4. Work of Perfecting
"The LORD will perfect that which concerns me" Psalm 138:8a

NON-PRESUMPTUOUS PRAYER

In Conclusion

"Do not forsake the works of Your hands" Psalm 138:8c