

079_Why_I_Try---308_Psalm_031

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1. C A^m
I think of all the things I'm missing
C A^m
Things to do that I just keep on listing
C A^m D^m G
Projects only time knows how to buy
C A^m
To write a book or paint a picture
C A^m
And take the time to stop trying to be richer
C A^m D^m G
Seems to me that all I do is try

C. D^m G
Trying hard is not so bad
C A^m
If I take time to enjoy what I've had
D^m G
And if I find friends along the way
C A^m
To build me up with good things to say
D^m G
Then it seems like there's nothing
C D^m G (Last C)
In this world I can not do

2. C A^m
I think of all the things I'm doing
C A^m
Dousing fires and jaw chewing
C A^m D^m G
Things that to eternity won't fly
C A^m
But there's times when a child stumbles
C A^m
And I can help and I feel so humbled
C A^m D^m G
And I know this is why I try

3. C A^m
I think of all the things I've got
C A^m
A lovely wife and four beautiful tots
C A^m D^m G
Family life that brings a loving sigh
C A^m
A nice house that we can call home
C A^m
With lovely things in every room
C A^m D^m G
Way too much for how little I try

4. C A^m
I think of all of God's other children
C A^m
And the things needed to bring them to him
C A^m D^m G
Then I set my goals way up high
C A^m
I never seem to meet the plans
C A^m
And success still returns seven fold to my hands
C A^m D^m G
The more my debt, the more I want to try

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1st Fret

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David trusts in the Lord and rejoices in His mercy--Speaking as the Messiah he says, Into Thine hand I commit my spirit--He counsels, O love the Lord, all ye His Saints, for the Lord preserves the faithful.

To the chief Musician, A Psalm of David.

1. C A^m
In thee, O Lord, do I put my trust
C A^m C A^m D^m G
Let me never be ashamed: deliver me in thy righteousness
C A^m C A^m
2. C A^m D^m G
Bow down thine ear to me; deliver me speedily
C A^m D^m G
Be thou my strong rock, for an house of defence to save me
3. D^m G
For thou art my rock and my fortress
C A^m D^m G
Therefore for thy name's sake lead me, and guide me
C A^m
4. C A^m
Pull me out of the net that they have laid privily for me
D^m G C D^m G
For thou art my strength
5. C A^m
Into thine hand I commit my spirit
C A^m
Thou hast redeemed me, O Lord God of truth
C A^m
6. C A^m
I have hated them that regard lying vanities
D^m G
But I trust in the Lord
C A^m C A^m
7. C A^m D^m G
I will be glad and rejoice in thy mercy: for thou hast considered my trouble
C A^m D^m G
Thou hast known my soul in adversities

8. ^{D^m} And hast not shut me up into the hand of the enemy ^G
^C Thou hast set my feet in a large room ^{A^m}
9. ^{D^m} Have mercy upon me, O Lord, for I am in trouble ^G ^C
^{A^m} Mine eye is consumed with grief, yea, my soul and my belly ^{D^m} ^G ^C ^{D^m} ^G
10. ^C For my life is spent with grief, and my years with sighing ^{A^m} ^C ^{A^m}
^C My strength faileth because of mine iniquity, and my bones are consumed ^{A^m} ^{D^m} ^G
11. ^C I was a reproach among all mine enemies, but especially among my neighbours ^{A^m} ^C ^{A^m}
^C And a fear to mine acquaintance: they that did see me without fled from me ^{A^m} ^{D^m} ^G
12. ^{D^m} I am forgotten as a dead man out of mind ^G
^C I am like a broken vessel
13. ^{A^m} For I have heard the slander of many: fear was on every side ^{D^m} ^G
^C While they took counsel together against me, they devised to take away my life ^{A^m} ^{D^m} ^G ^C ^{D^m} ^G
14. ^C But I trusted in thee, O Lord ^{A^m}
^C I said, Thou art my God ^{A^m}
15. ^C My times are in thy hand ^{A^m} ^{D^m} ^G
^C Deliver me from the hand of mine enemies, and from them that persecute me ^{A^m} ^{D^m} ^G
16. ^{D^m} Make thy face to shine upon thy servant ^G
^C Save me for thy mercies' sake ^{A^m}
17. ^{D^m} Let me not be ashamed, O Lord; for I have called upon thee ^G ^C ^{A^m}
^{D^m} Let the wicked be ashamed, and let them be silent in the grave ^G ^C ^{D^m} ^G

18. C A^m
 Let the lying lips be put to silence
 C A^m C A^m D^m G
 Which speak grievous things proudly and contemptuously against the righteous
19. C A^m
 Oh how great is thy goodness
 C A^m
 Which thou hast laid up for them that fear thee
 C A^m
 Which thou hast wrought for them
 D^m G
 That trust in thee before the sons of men!
20. D^m G C A^m
 Thou shalt hide them in the secret of thy presence from the pride of man
 D^m G C D^m G
 Thou shalt keep them secretly in a pavilion from the strife of tongues
21. C A^m
 Blessed be the Lord
 C A^m C A^m D G
 For he hath shewed me his marvellous kindness in a strong city
22. C A^m C A^m
 For I said in my haste, I am cut off from before thine eyes
 C A^m D^m G
 Nevertheless thou heardest the voice of my supplications when I cried unto thee
23. D^m G
 O love the Lord, all ye his saints
 C A^m
 For the Lord preserveth the faithful
 D^m G
 And plentifully rewardeth the proud doer
24. C D^m
 Be of good courage, and he shall strengthen your heart
 C
 All ye that hope in the Lord