## A Playlist for the 1st Century Church A Search for a Rock of Refuge Psalm 18

Question: To where do we run when everything in our life goes sideways?

- I. An Exuberant Expression of Love for God (1-3)
  - ~ my rock in whom I take refuge
- II. An Explosive Description of God's Deliverance (4-30)
  - ~ He is a shield for all those who take refuge in him
- III. An Expansive and Eternal Kingdom of David's Offspring (31-50)
  - ~ for this I will praise you, O LORD among the nations

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**Point to Ponder:** We sing: "Rock of Ages, cleft for me. Let me hide myself in thee." David penned Psalm 18 in essence to give testimony that he had hidden himself in the Rock of Ages in days of great need. How might you testify that these words are also true for you? If you journal, maybe take time to write your story concerning how God has been a Rock of Refuge for you - and maybe share that with another.

## **Next Week:**

Next Sunday morning we will continue our sermon series entitled *A Playlist for the 1st Century Church* by considering **Psalm 19**, A Search for Acceptance.

