

The Lord is my Light

## **Description**

- 1 The Lord is **my Light** and **my Salvation**—whom shall I fear or dread? The Lord is the **Refuge** and **Stronghold of my life**—of whom shall I be afraid?
- 2 When the wicked, even my enemies and my foes, came upon me to eat up my flesh, they stumbled and fell.
- 3 Though a host encamp against me, **my heart shall not fear**; though war arise against me, [even then] in this will I be confident.
- 4 One thing have I asked of the Lord, that will I seek, inquire for, and [insistently] require: that I may dwell in the house of the Lord [in His presence] all the days of my life, to behold and gaze upon the beauty [the sweet attractiveness and the delightful loveliness] of the Lord and to meditate, consider, and inquire in His temple.
- 5 For in the day of trouble **He will hide me in His shelter**; in the secret place of His tent will He hide me; **He will set me high upon a rock.**
- 6 And now shall my head be lifted up above my enemies round about me; in His tent I will offer sacrifices *and* shouting of joy; I will sing, yes, I will sing praises to the Lord.
- 7 Hear, O Lord, when I cry aloud; have mercy and be gracious to me and answer me!
- 8 You have said, Seek My face [inquire for and require My presence as your vital need]. My heart says to You, Your face (Your presence), Lord, will I seek, inquire for, *and* require [of necessity and on the authority of Your Word].
- 9 Hide not Your face from me; turn not Your servant away in anger, You Who have been my help! Cast me not off, neither forsake me, **O God of my salvation**!

- 10 Although my father and my mother have forsaken me, yet the Lord will take me up [adopt me as His child].
- 11 Teach me Your way, O Lord, and lead me in a plain *and* even path because of my enemies [those who lie in wait for me].
- 12 Give me not up to the will of my adversaries, for false witnesses have risen up against me; they breathe out cruelty *and* violence.
- 13 [What, what would have become of me] had I not believed that I would see the Lord's goodness in the land of the living!
- 14 Wait and hope for and expect the Lord; be brave and of good courage and let your heart be stout and enduring. Yes, wait for and hope for and expect the Lord.

Psalm 27 (AMP)

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