

WHO SHALL ABIDE IN THY TABERNACLE PSALMS 15

Text: Psalms 15:1

*(Psalms 15:1) "A Psalm of David. LORD, **who shall abide in thy tabernacle?** who shall dwell in thy holy hill?"*

Introduction:

This a day when people are lifting up the anchors and are drifting on the sea of life, changing moral standards, and even trying to change the way we think about what is right and wrong.

These changes can be witnessed not only in our society, but also in churches.

We must find out what the Bible teaches we should do in order to never be moved. The Word of God says we can come to the place in life where we are not moved from what is right.

In this passage we not the expression "shall never be moved."

Our God says clearly that there are certain things we can do and never be moved.

Note as we consider these things:

1. GODLY MAN'S WALK

A. Walketh uprightly. Vs. 2

(Psalms 15:2) "He that walketh uprightly, and worketh righteousness, and speaketh the truth in his heart."

B. Without respect for the vile man. Vs. 4

(Psalms 15:4) "In whose eyes a vile person is contemned; but he honoureth them that fear the LORD. He that sweareth to his own hurt, and changeth not."

C. Honors them that fear the Lord Vs. 4

(Psalms 15:4) "In whose eyes a vile person is contemned; but he honoureth them that fear the LORD. He that sweareth to his own hurt, and changeth not."

2. GODLY MAN'S WORKS

A. Righteous Vs. 2

(Psalms 15:2) "He that walketh uprightly, and worketh righteousness, and speaketh the truth in his heart."

B. Reliable in use of money. Vs. 5

(Psalms 15:5) "He that putteth not out his money to usury, nor taketh reward against the innocent. He that doeth these things shall never be moved."

C. He does no evil to his neighbor. Vs. 3

(Psalms 15:3) "He that backbiteth not with his tongue, nor doeth evil to his neighbour, nor taketh up a reproach against his neighbour."

3. A GODLY MAN'S WORDS

A. His heart speaks the truth. Vs. 2

(Psalms 15:2) "He that walketh uprightly, and worketh righteousness, and speaketh the truth in his heart."

B. He does not backbite. Vs. 3

(Psalms 15:3) "He that backbiteth not with his tongue, nor doeth evil to his neighbour, nor taketh up a reproach against his neighbour."

C. He does not argue. Vs. 3

(Psalms 15:3) "He that backbiteth not with his tongue, nor doeth evil to his neighbour, nor taketh up a reproach against his neighbour."

4. A GODLY MAN'S WARRANTY (VS. 5)

Psalm 15:5

⁵ *He that putteth not out his money to usury, nor taketh reward against the innocent. **He that doeth these things shall never be moved.***

Notice the word “doeth”. You may hear these things or even teach or preach these things, but those its only those that do these things that receives this promise.

The promise of stability – shall never be moved.

We read in 2 Timothy 4:

2 Timothy 4:7

⁷ *I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith:*

Paul wasn't moved.

He finished right.

He finished his course.

Close:

May we be willing to do the things that warrant our stability.