

Psalm 119:25-32

***Daleth* – Cleave to the LORD in Your Grief**

1. *My Souls Clings to the Dust: (25-27)*

- a. First Lament: I am utterly _____. –Gen 3:19; Ps 44:25
- b. First Request: *give me life according to your word!*
 - i. _____ me. –vs. 119: 37, 40, 50, 88, 107, 116, 144, 154, 156, 159, 175
 - ii. As your word _____. –Is 40:27-31
- c. Remembrance: *When I told of your ways, you answered me.* –v. 13
- d. Second Request:
 - i. *Teach me your statutes!* –v. 12
 - ii. *Make me understand the way of your precepts.* –v. 34
- e. Commitment: *and I will meditate on your wondrous works:*
 - i. In my depression I desperately need to see God's _____. –v. 18
 - ii. I will _____ upon the _____ God gives. –vs. 15-16, 23, 48

2. *My Soul Melts Away for Sorrow: (28-32)*

- a. Second Lament: I am _____ in anguish. –Job 16:20
- b. First Request: *Strengthen me according to your word!*
- c. Second Request:
 - i. *Put false ways far from me* – _____ me. –vs. 26, 27, 30, 32
 - ii. *And graciously teach me your law!* – _____ me. –vs. 26-27
- d. Commitment:
 - i. *I have chosen the way of faithfulness.* – _____ in God's Word.
 - ii. *I set your rules before me* – _____ attention. –Ps 16:8
 - iii. *I _____ to your testimonies.* –v. 25; Gen 2:24
- e. Third Request: *let me not be put to shame!* - _____
- f. Commitment:
 - i. *I will run in the way of your commandments* – _____. –v. 27
 - ii. *When you enlarge my heart!* – _____ in God's grace. –Is 60:5

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give me life according to your word!
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teach me your statutes!
²⁷ Make me understand the way of your precepts,
and I will meditate on your wondrous works.
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strengthen me according to your word!
²⁹ Put false ways far from me
and graciously teach me your law!
³⁰ I have chosen the way of faithfulness;
I set your rules before me.
³¹ I cling to your testimonies, O LORD;
let me not be put to shame!
³² I will run in the way of your commandments
when you enlarge my heart!