Precious Promises – Discouragement

Orlando Bible Students Special Study – Sunday, August 27, 2023

Psalms 121:1-3 "I will lift up mine eyes unto the hills, from whence cometh my help. My help *cometh* from the LORD, which made heaven and earth. He will not suffer thy foot to be moved: he that keepeth thee will not slumber". (KJV)

Reference Bible verses: *Psalms 121 and Bible Comments; Reprint 5549; Reprint 4311*

1) **Why does the Psalmist look to the hills (Mountains) for help? Give some typical examples and apply spiritual examples.** Mark 9:2-7; 1 Kings 18:19, 36-40; John 6:3; Exodus 19:1-11; Ezekiel 36:8-10;

2) **Is the help that comes from the Lord conditional or unconditional? Give examples to support your answer.** Psalm 1:1-3; Isaiah 26:3; Psalm 50:5; Jude 1:21; John 14:21;

3) **What does the Psalmist mean by "he will not suffer our foot to be moved" and he that keepeth thee will not slumber"?** Psalm 121:3-8; see bible comments for these verses. Reprint 5549

4) **Our adversary is wily and cunning and seeks to separate us from the Love of God. If a fellow new creature is discouraged, what scriptural evidence would you give to encourage them that they have not been forsaken?** 2 Corinthians 1:3-5; Romans 8:28-30; Luke 12:32; Jude 1:24-25