

## **THIS IS WHERE YOU WANT TO BE** (Psalm 84:1-12)

\* Who were the sons of Korah?

\* What was their duty in the temple?

### **A. My DELIGHT Is In the LORD (v. 1-4)**

- *“Lovely”* -
- *“Lord of Hosts”* -
- *“My soul longs”* -
  
- *“Sparrow / swallow”* -
  
- *“Blessed”* -
  
- Summary of v. 1-4: As you walk with the Lord, you will find fellowship with God to be a \_\_\_\_\_ place of \_\_\_\_\_.

### **B. My STRENGTH Is In the LORD (v. 5-8)**

- *“Whose heart is set on pilgrimage”* -
  
- *“Valley of Baca”* -
  
- *“Each one appears before God in Zion”* -
  
- Summary of v. 5-8: As you pass through your earthly life, you will find that fellowship with God gives you \_\_\_\_\_ for the present and \_\_\_\_\_ for the future.

### C. My TRUST Is In the LORD (v. 9-12)

- *“Shield / Anointed”* -
- *“A day in Your courts is better than a thousand”* -
- *“I would rather”* -
- *“Doorkeeper”* -
- *“Tents of wickedness”* -
- Amplification of verse 10b: I would choose rather to \_\_\_\_\_ at the outskirts of the courts where my God is than to \_\_\_\_\_ apart from Him.

What are four reasons why fellowship with God is way better than the next best alternative?

1. Because God knows the future, He can shed \_\_\_\_\_ on our path as nothing else can. (v. 11a)
  2. Because God is all-powerful, He can \_\_\_\_\_ us from harm. (v. 11b)
  3. Because God is love, He shows us \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ when we come into His presence. (v. 11c)
  4. Because God is always good, He \_\_\_\_\_ anything that will benefit us. (v. 11d)
- *“Blessed is the man”*
  - *“Who trusts in You”*
  - Summary of v. 9-12: Walking with the Lord is \_\_\_\_\_ than any walk of life without Him, because God withholds \_\_\_\_\_ from those who trust Him.

\* How does this apply to you . . .

- . . . regarding your quiet time?
- . . . regarding your local church’s services?
- . . . regarding contentment?