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Sweet Deliverance

Psalm 59

I. IMPENDING DANGER

- **Psalm 59:1-3** Deliver me from Romans my enemies, O my God; defend me from those who rise up against me. Deliver me from workers of iniquity & save me from bloodthirsty men, for they lie in wait for my life.
- **1 Samuel 18:7** The women sang as they danced, and said: "Saul has slain his thousands, and David his ten thousands."
- **Romans 12:3** For I say, thru the grace given to me, to everyone among you, not to think of himself more highly than he ought to think, but to think soberly, as God has dealt to each one a measure of faith.

II. INNOCENCE DECLARED

- **Psalm 59:3-4** The mighty gather against me, not for my transgression nor for my sin, O LORD. They run & prepare themselves thru no fault of mine.
- **Isaiah 59:2** But your iniquities have separated you from your God; and your sins have hidden His face from you, So that He will not hear.
- **John 9:31** Now we know that God does not hear sinners;...
- **1 John 2:1** My little children, I write these things to you that you may not sin. And if anyone sins, we have an Advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous.
- **1 John 1:9** If we confess our sin God is faithful and just to forgive our sin and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

III. IMPROBABLE Demeanor

- **Nahum 1:2** God is jealous, & He avenges; The LORD avenges & is furious. He will take vengeance on His adversaries; He reserves wrath for His enemies;
 - **laugh**: laugh playfully; to mock; to scorn; to make sport of; to laugh
 - **derision**: mock; ridicule; taunt
- **Psalm 139:16** Your eyes saw my unformed body. All the days ordained for

IV. IMPASSIONED DELIGHT