

March 1, 2015 PM
SOMETHING TO SING ABOUT
Psalm 61

I. AN URGENT PRAYER

- **2 Samuel 18:14** Joab said, I cannot linger with you. And he took three spears in his hand and thrust them through Absalom's heart, while he was still alive in the midst of the oak tree.

A. DAVID'S HEARTFELT PLEA

- **Psalm 61:1** Hear my cry, O God; attend to my prayer.
 - cry: ri-nah' - "a shrill sound"; a shout of joy or grief

B. DAVID'S HEAVY BURDEN

- **Psalm 61:2** From the ends of the earth will I cry out to you.

C. GOD'S HEAVENLY PROVISION

- **Matthew 7:24** Whoever hears these sayings of Mine and does them will be like a wise man who built his house on the rock.
- **Psalm 61:2** Lead me to the Rock that is higher than I.

II. AN UNWAVERING PROTECTION

- **Psalm 61:3** You have been a shelter for me.
- **Psalm 61:3** A strong tower from the enemy
- **Psalm 61:4** I will trust in the shelter of Your wings (Selah)

III. AN UNUSUAL PETITION

- **Psalm 61:6** You will prolong the king's life, His years as many generations.
- **Psalm 61:5** You have given me the heritage of those who fear your name.
- **Psalm 61:8** So I will sing praise to Your name forever, that I may daily perform my vows