



## In Whom Do We Trust?

Part 1 of 1

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**Big Idea:** We are truly a blessed nation when we learn to rely on God's word, God's plans, and His love.

**Text:** Psalms 33:12-22; Proverbs 3:5-6; Psalm 20:7; Psalm 91

Blessed is the nation whose God is the LORD, the people he chose for his inheritance. – Psalm 33:12

From heaven the LORD looks down and sees all mankind; from his dwelling place he watches all who live on earth—he who forms the hearts of all, who considers everything they do. – Psalm 33:13-15

### I. \_\_\_\_\_ **TRUST.**

No king is saved by the size of his army; no warrior escapes by his great strength. A horse is a vain hope for deliverance; despite all its great strength it cannot save. – Psalm 33:16-17

#### A. **Military** \_\_\_\_\_.

#### B. **Strong** \_\_\_\_\_.

No warrior escapes by his great strength. – Psalm 33:16b

Some trust in chariots and some in horses, but we trust in the name of the Lord our God. They are brought to their knees and fall, but we rise up and stand firm. – Psalm 20:7-8

#### C. **Our own** \_\_\_\_\_.

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### II. \_\_\_\_\_ **TRUST.**

We wait in hope for the LORD; he is our help and our shield. In him our hearts rejoice, for we trust in his holy name. – Psalm 33:20-21

#### A. **Trust in** \_\_\_\_\_.

Your word is a lamp to my feet and a light for my path. – Psalm 119:105

**B. Trust in \_\_\_\_\_.**

From heaven the LORD looks down and sees all mankind; from his dwelling place he watches all who live on earth... – Psalm 33:13-14

I was ashamed to ask the king for soldiers and horsemen to protect us from enemies on the road, because we had told the king, “The gracious hand of our God is on everyone who looks to him, but his great anger is against all who forsake him.” So we fasted and petitioned our God about this, and he answered our prayer. The hand of our God was on us, and he protected us from enemies and bandits along the way. So we arrived in Jerusalem, where we rested three days. – Ezra 8:22-23, 31b-32

**C. Trust in \_\_\_\_\_.**

But the eyes of the Lord are on those who fear him, on those whose hope is in his unfailing love, to deliver them from death and keep them alive in famine. We wait in hope for the Lord; he is our help and our shield. In him our hearts rejoice, for we trust in his holy name. – Psalm 33:18-21

May your unfailing love rest upon us, O Lord, even as we put our hope in you. – Psalm 33:22

The LORD foils the plans of the nations; he thwarts the purposes of the peoples. But the plans of the LORD stand firm forever, the purposes of his heart through all generations. – Psalm 33:10-11

**MEMORY VERSES**

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