

## Daily Devotional, March 31, 2020

### *'The Lord Sits Enthroned'* (Psalm 29:10-11, NKJV)

*“The LORD sat enthroned at the Flood, And the LORD sits as King forever. The LORD will give strength to His people; The LORD will bless His people with peace”* (Psalm 29:10-11).

In our text, David recalls the days of the Great Flood in Noah’s day. Even in the midst of the greatest tempest that the world has ever endured, God still sat on His throne. Not only was it true in times past that the Sovereign Lord sat on his throne, but it is also true today, and it also will be true in times to come. Notice how the verbs in these verses flow from the past tense “**sat**” to the present tense “**sits**” to the future tense “**will bless.**”

Let us also note the use of the personal divine name, “**LORD.**” Anytime we see that, we have in the Hebrew “YHWH.” This name of God is both a personal and a covenant name of God. We find Him giving strength to and blessing His people, two things that reflect His personal dealings with all men and women who are His by virtue of saving faith. We also find reference to God the covenant keeper. Just as God kept His covenant with Noah and His family and gave the rainbow as a token of the covenant, He shall surely keep all of His covenants according to His word. For the New Testament believer today, we can find great hope in the fact that Christ Jesus shed His blood for the forgiveness of sins, with the result that all who trust in that have a sure hope of heaven awaiting.

So, friends, when your faith begins to lapse, always remember that God’s sovereignty has never lapsed. “**Jesus Christ is the same yesterday, today, and forever**” (Hebrews 13:8). And no matter how great the flood in your life today, divine help is available and divine deliverance is just around the corner.