

## HELP LORD! - Part 2

### **Psalms 121:1-2 ESV**

#### **LIFT UP YOUR EYES AND SEE YOU HAVE HELP**

- This is based on what God has said (*Hebrews 13:5-6 ESV*)
  1. This is different from seeing is believing
  2. Based on what God has said you can see that you are not abandoned
  3. You believe/ see that God is your helper
  4. When you believe the Lord is your helper
- When help was promised (*1 Samuel 11:1-4 NKJV*)
  1. The people of Jabesh were living in a pressure cooker situation
  2. Saul, a new king, rallied the people of Israel (*1 Samuel 11:9-10 NKJV*)
  3. The people of Jabesh chose to believe the promise
  4. Because they believed they were glad

#### **A TALE OF TWO CITIES: ONE CITY WAS HELPED**

- Jesus hometown of Nazareth (*Mark 6:1-6 NKJV*)
  1. They “saw” Jesus as the carpenter
  2. They never saw Jesus beyond the natural physical aspects of His life
  3. He could not do any big miracles there
- The town of Gennesaret (*Mark 6:53-56 NKJV*)
  1. They recognized Him - immediately
  2. They ran and carried the sick out
  3. They begged Jesus to let the sick touch the hem of His robe
- The different results were a function of how Jesus was seen
  1. How do you see Jesus?