



be better for him if a millstone were hung around his neck, and he were drowned in the depth of the sea."

4. God wants us to _____ ourselves to Him, verse 11

(Romans 12:1) "I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, that you present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable to God, which is your reasonable service."

(Numbers 30:2) ""If a man makes a vow to the LORD, or swears an oath to bind himself by some agreement, he shall not break his word; he shall do according to all that proceeds out of his mouth."

(Philippians 1:21) "For to me, to live is Christ, and to die is gain."

(Luke 14:25-33) "Now great multitudes went with Him. And He turned and said to them, {26} "If anyone comes to Me and does not hate his father and mother, wife and children, brothers and sisters, yes, and his own life also, he cannot be My disciple.

{27} "And whoever does not bear his cross and come after Me cannot be My disciple.

{28} "For which of you, intending to build a tower, does not sit down first and count the cost, whether he has enough to finish it; {29} "lest,

after he has laid the foundation, and is not able to finish, all who see it begin to mock him, {30} "saying, 'This man began to build and was not able to finish.' {31} "Or what king, going to make war against another king, does not sit down first and consider whether he is able with ten thousand to meet him who comes against him with twenty thousand? {32} "Or else, while the other is still a great way off, he sends a delegation and asks conditions of peace. {33} "So likewise, whoever of you does not forsake all that he has cannot be My disciple."



5. God wants us to _____ to Him, verse 11



(1 Corinthians 6:19-20) "... you are not your own.. {20} For you were bought at a price; ..."

(2 Corinthians 5:15) "and He died for all, that those who live should live no longer for themselves, but for Him who died for them and rose again."

(Galatians 5:13-14) "For you, brethren, have been called to liberty; only do not use liberty as an opportunity for the flesh, but through love serve one another. {14} For all the law is fulfilled in one word, even in this: "You shall love your neighbor as yourself."

(1 John 3:16) "By this we know love, because He laid down His life for us. And we also ought to lay down our lives for the brethren."



Heart Song

What Does God Want?

2 Kings 18:17, 19-25, 33, 35, 19:1, 15-19, 35-39

In Psalm 76 Asaph gives five answers to our question – What does God want of us?:

1. God wants us to _____ Him, verses 0-1,



2. God wants us to _____ Him, verses 1, 4, 9-10

(2 Kings 19:35) "And it came to pass on a certain night that the angel of the LORD went out, and killed in the camp of the Assyrians one hundred and eighty-five thousand; and when people arose early in the morning, there were the corpses; all dead."

(Genesis 50:20) ""But as for you, you meant evil against me; but God meant it for good, in order to bring it about as it is this day, to save many people alive."

(Romans 8:28-29) "And we know that all things work together for good to those who love God, to those who are the called according to His purpose. {29} For whom He foreknew, He also predestined to be conformed to the image of His Son, that He might be the firstborn among many brethren."

(Psalms 76:10) "...: the remainder of wrath shalt thou restrain." [KJV]

(Acts 4:26-28) "The kings of the earth took their stand, And the rulers were gathered together Against the LORD and against His Christ.' {27} "For truly against Your holy Servant Jesus, whom You anointed, both Herod and Pontius Pilate, with the Gentiles and the people of Israel, were gathered together {28} "to do whatever Your hand and Your purpose determined before to be done."



3. God wants us to _____ Him, verses 2, 3, 5-9, 12

(Matthew 18:6) ""But whoever causes one of these little ones who believe in Me to sin, it would