THE BLESSEDNESS OF THE FORGIVEN DAVID INSTRUCTS SINNERS IN GOD'S WAYS PSALM 32:1-11

- I. DAVID DECLARES THE BLESSEDNESS OF THE TRULY FORGIVEN (1-2)
 - A. The Context: A Psalm of David, a Maskil, Psalm 51:12-13
 - B. Important terms: Transgression, sin, iniquity, forgiven, covered, not imputed
 - C. The Wonderful Text: THE BLESSED ARE THOSE WHO HAVE HAD THEIR SINS FORGIVEN, and are not deceiving themselves, God, nor others concerning their sin (1-2)
- II. DAVID'S PREVIOUS EXAMPLE OF A DECEITFUL SILENT SPIRIT, IN NOT CONFESSING HIS SIN AND THUS GOD'S HEAVY HAND UPON HIM...Selah (Think about it) (3-4)
- III. DAVID'S PERSONAL EXAMPLE OF GENUINE HEART CONFESSION AND THUS THE LORDS GREAT FORGIVENESS...Selah (Think about it) (5)
- IV. DAVID'S EXHORTATION TO ALL TO LIKEWISE CONFESS TO THE LORD WHILE THERE IS STILL TIME, so that one will not be judged but rather FORGIVEN AND DELIVERED LIKE HE WAS...Selah (Think about it) (6-7)
- V. Through David THE LORD INSTRUCTS THE RIGHTEOUS TO HEED HIS INSTRUCTION, TRUST HIM AND REJOICE IN HIM (8-11)
 - A. Heed His Instruction, teaching and counsel, don't not be like the horse (8-9)
 - B. Trust in the Lord (10)
 - C. Rejoice in the Lord and His forgiveness (11)