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Psalm 27:4 (ESV)- One thing have I asked of the Lord, that will I seek after...

HISTORICAL CONTEXT

- ♦ Written as a song.
- + Written by David.
- Likely written at the very beginning of his fleeing from Saul.
- + David would spend the next 10 years on the run in exile.

In 2020 my one thing was:_____.

Notes:_____

1. ONE THING BELIEVED

Psalm 27:1-3 (ESV)- <u>The Lord is my light and my salvation;</u> whom shall I fear? The Lord is the stronghold of my life; of whom shall I be afraid? When evildoers assail me to eat up my flesh, my adversaries and foes, it is they who stumble and fall. Though an army encamp against me, my heart shall not fear; though war arise against me, <u>yet I will be confident</u>.

In our hearts do we believe that God is _____?

2. ONE THING ASKED

Psalm 27:4 (ESV)-<u>One thing have I asked of the Lord</u>, that will I seek after: that I may dwell in the house of the Lord all the days of my life, to gaze upon the beauty of the Lord and to inquire in his temple.

Matthew 7:7 (ESV)-<u>Ask, and it will be given to you;</u> seek, and you will find; knock, and it will be opened to you.

What is my honest _____?

3. ONE THING PURSUED

Psalm 27:4,8 (ESV)- One thing have I asked of the Lord, <u>that will I</u> <u>seek after</u>: that I may dwell in the house of the Lord all the days of my life...You have said, "<u>Seek my face</u>." My heart says to you, "Your face, Lord, do I seek.

Jeremiah 29:13 (ESV)-<u>You will seek me and find me</u>, when you seek me with all your heart.

What does my _____?

4. ONE THING NEEDED

Psalm 27:13-14 (ESV)- I believe that I shall look upon the goodness of the Lord in the land of the living! <u>Wait for the Lord</u>; be strong, and let your heart take courage; <u>wait for the Lord</u>!

Look for ______ not _____.

Here Is The Point: In 2021 we can find joy by pursuing one thing...

In 2021 my one thing will be:_____