

Psalm 44 • In the Midst of It

1. (v.1-3) Past success came about not by the works of man but the working of God.
2. (v.4-8) Just as the Lord was sovereign and in control in the past, so is He now; just as He provided victory in the past, so is able to provide it now; just as the outcome was in God's hands then, so is the present.
3. (v.9-16) We cannot make a judgment about what is happening based solely on the circumstances. It is the same God in charge regardless of external appearances one way or the other.
4. (v.17-19) Regardless of external conditions – good or bad – the overwhelming consideration is to remain spiritually faithful to God's Word and ways.
5. (v.20-26) It is not a test of knowledge but faith; it is not an issue of personal strength or circumstances but God's grace.