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With God on Our Side

Psalm 124 | Session 10.39

Before the Session

- Have the Bible Background Video ready to view.
- Review today's scripture text and the session activities to help better facilitate the discussion.
- Encourage your group to listen to the Faithelement podcast ahead of the next session (Share the link via email or social media).

Context

Play the Driving video and ask:

- What do you think of the reaction of the passengers in this video?
- At what points do you think they most wanted to have their own brake pedal so they could stop the car themselves?
- How do you feel about the teen getting the right answer to the left turn on red question?
- Since so many inexperienced drivers eventually become decent drivers, what does this say about driver's education?
- At what points is this similar to the way people grow in faith?

Content

Read [Psalm 124](#), and watch the Bible Background Video before asking:

- In what ways could you relate to Nikki's young driver scary experience?
- When have you felt like only a power greater than yourself protected you or was on your side in a time of extreme stress?
- Why would they sing a song about a time of extreme terror on a regular basis?
- In what ways does our knowledge of the Exodus event influence our reading of words like: "flood," "torrent," and "raging waters?"
- Why is remembering special times of divine presence important. both for them and for us today?

Closure

Continue by asking

- How we know know the Lord is on our side when we have a parent in the hospital, a loss of a spouse, a serious life-threatening car accident, and or a small child in the ICU?

Play the [Shoulders music video](#) and ask:

- How can we know that that presence of Jesus is with us this week when we face difficulties?
- How can we learn when we are actually on Jesus' shoulders like in the music video?
- How do we continue to follow the Jesus after tragedy?
- What can we do to help others who face tragedy?

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