LEST THOU DASH YOUR FOOT AGAINST A STONE



Psalm 91 Jessica Eli

For he shall give his angels charge over thee to keep thee in all thy ways. They shall bear thee up in their hands lest thou dash thy foot against a stone.

Psalm 91:11-12

If I deny myself, take up my cross daily and follow Jesus, I am under the protection of heaven.

I am watched over.

I am enveloped by the protection of God, until my work is done.

This does not mean that I will not suffer.

Jesus never promised me a smooth road.

But he did promise that if I am a servant of his kingdom, "not a hair on my head will perish."

"You will be delivered up even by parents and brothers and kinsmen and friends, and some of you they will put to death; you will be hated by all for my name's sake. But not a hair of your head will perish." Luke 21:16-18

I may be put to death, but not a hair on my head will perish?

Whatever happens to me, I will be surrounded by the presence of God.

I will be safe.

But what if I become careless?

What if I begin presuming on God's protection, while I veer from the path and start doing things my way?

What if I ignore the warnings from heaven and pursue the path of hypocrisy?

"Lord, Lord, did we not prophesy in your name and cast out demons in your name and do many mighty works in your name?"

"I never knew you. Depart from me, you evildoers."

Matthew 7:22-23

If I stay under the yoke with Jesus, I am protected, no matter what happens.

If I leave that yoke and go "solo" I'm on my own.

Lord, have mercy!



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Prayer

Thank you Lord for your tender care, your tender protection. No matter what we face, may we rest in your safety. May we never forget it. Remind us of your love, convict us, when we veer into hypocrisy, when our hearts begin to harden, when we begin to place ourselves on the throne. Bring us back to you, so you know us once again. Help us to embrace your cross, to seek your presence, and to be lovingly yoked to you, so we are recognized by you and welcomed by you as we seek citizenship in your kingdom.

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