

**“I WOULD HAVE LOST HEART UNLESS...”**  
(Psalm 27:13-14)

**A. The CONTEXT of PSALM 27**

- 1. The PROTECTION by the SAVIOR. (27:1-6)**
- 2. The PETITIONS to the SOVEREIGN. (27:7-12)**
- 3. The PROCLAMATION to the SAINTS. (27:13-14)**

**B. The CONTENT of PSALM 27:13-14**

**1. His *encouragement* by personal testimony to those going through trying times. (vs.13)**

**Psalm 27:13 I would have lost heart, unless I had believed That I would see the goodness of the LORD In the land of the living.**

- What is “I” emphasizing?
- What happens when we lose our focus or fail to faith-rest in the Lord?
- What prevented him from losing heart in his trials?
- What 2 words are the keys to overcoming your fears and despair?
- What is it that David believed?
- What is the “goodness of the Lord”?
- Consider Psalm 31:19; Isaiah 63:7; Psalm 23:1, 6; 107:8-9; Nahum 1:7
- What is “the land of the living”?

**2. His *exhortations* to himself & fellow believers. (vs.14)**

**a. You “\_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_.”**

\* What does “wait” mean?

\* On Whom are you to “wait”?

**b. You “Be of \_\_\_\_\_”. What is God’s promise connected with this?**

**c. You “\_\_\_\_\_, I say, on the \_\_\_\_\_!”**

\* How does this apply to you?