**Psalm: 23-28, KJV,**

**“**The steps of a good man are ordered by the Lord: and he delighteth in his way. Though he fall, he shall not be utterly cast down: for the Lord upholdeth him with his hand. I have been young, and now am old; yet have I not seen the righteous forsaken, nor his seed begging bread.He is ever merciful, and lendeth; and his seed is blessed. Depart from evil, and do good; and dwell for evermore.For the Lord loveth judgment, and forsaketh not his saints; they are preserved for ever: but the seed of the wicked shall be cut off.”

Thirty-seven years ago I heard a radio sermon about the 37th Psalm of King David, and it has been one of my 'favs' ever since that day. When I contemplate, cogitate, ‘chew over,’ ‘conjecture about,’ and consider David's lexis, it converts cohesively, convincingly to a contract and collateral to my core! Today, this superlative, “Synergy-Saturated” Sunday, cling to the promises of King David (I have been young, and now am old; yet have I not seen the righteous forsaken, nor his seed begging bread), hold dear the Psalmist’s penning, then spend some real “Face Time” with God Almighty who guarantees that He

 **”Forsaketh not his saints!” HASHTAG THAT!**

and, one more thing that always brings hope is 'the rest of this story!'..........

David says, **“they (the faithful of God) are preserved forever!”**

And, here’s some “’s” to “jam about!”

**In A.D, Saul of Tarsus was converted to Christianity and renamed "Paul!"**

**“When you see anything related to number 37 (and its reverse 73) think about number 777, perfection, sanctification, consecration, truth and Jesus. Thirty-seven can be seen like three sevens - 777 - which has similar meeting. Examples speak for themselves and should make you wonder about this impossible claim...The 3700th verse of the Bible finds the Lord selecting the Levites to be the tribe of Priests who are to be holy and set apart for serving God - not coincidentally, this is also the 3rd chapter and 7th verse (37) of the book of Numbers. This is just one of the Bible's many examples showing how number 37 is related to being saved/raised up or being holy or perfect. Like all God's numbers, opposite meanings can also be found associated with them, so with #37 so you will find themes of not being saved or being defeated/destroyed.

One very compelling example of the consistent theme association with number 37 are the contents of the seven chapter thirty-sevens of the Bible. Each of these chapters speak of being saved, made perfect, lifted up or opposite themes such as being thrown down or not being saved. It seems no coincidence there happen to be *seven chapter thirty-sevens:*
Gen 37 -- Joseph thrown into a pit but is lifted out of it (saved)
Exodus 37 -- Perfection of furniture in tabernacle - things of Pure Gold, made perfect, anointing oil....
Job 37 -- God comes down, we cannot comprehend a perfect God - the 13,777th Bible verse is Job 37:7 he seals the hand of every man....
Psalm 37 -- The Lord will save his people - Psalm 37:37 says "Mark the blameless man" (saved)
Isaiah 37 -- God will save Jerusalem - the 733rd verse of Isaiah - Isa 37:35 'For I will defend this city to save it for My own sake and for My servant David's sake.' "
Jeremiah 37 -- Jerusalem was saved when the siege was lifted and Jeremiah was also saved from death - Jer 37:21 King Zedekiah commanded - they commit1 Jeremiah to the court of the guardhouse and gave him a loaf of bread daily (interesting c37 x v21 = 777 and both numbers reflect 3 sevens).
Ezekiel 37 -- The dry bones vision of Israel who will be saved - Ezek 37:28 "And the nations will know that I am the LORD who sanctifies Israel, when My sanctuary is in their midst forever."**

**And, so, today, may we (you and me, too!) think of thirty-seven reasons to praise our King. Start your itemizations, and keep them going! 1. His goodness, 2. HiS love, 3. His cross, 4. His forgiveness, 5. His mercy, 6. His grace.......AND, NUMBER**

**. He loves me!**

**Think about your own “list of” this single-minded, stupendously spectacular SUNDAY, and glory in the victory from His Word!!**

 **Tell "27+ 10" people today about Jesus!**

**"The LORD loves the just
and will not forsake his faithful ones."**

***It is always,***

***Because of Him,***

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**Dear LORD and God, I love you 37 times 37 times 37 times…..You get the picture! I thank You that inside Your holy Word there are mysteries and discoveries and evidences and revelations and truths and promises! Thank You for the encouragement and fun that always abound inside Your passages! Thank You for Jesus that gives me hope. Thank You for You! Today, I ask for protection and purpose. I ask for help and support. Show me Your will for me today, and take me deeper into Your energy. Heal broken hearts; raise up the faithful from their sick beds. Set us on a straight trajectory to You! I love You dearly. I pray for Your people today, my King, and ask that You protect Jerusalem. Bring Your Kingdom to earth. In Jesus’ name, Amen.**