

GOD'S HEARTBEAT FOR US
IN EVERY SEASON

PSALMS
FOR THE
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EVERY NATION
CHURCH · MALAYSIA

**GOD
RESCUES
US**
(PSALMS 18)

WEEK 3

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PSALMS 18:17-18

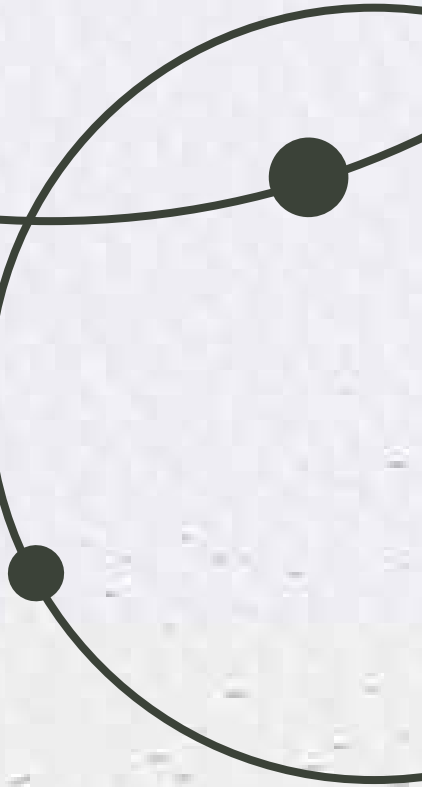
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PSALMS 18:17-18

Rescue :

Being set free from my extreme distress or ruthless enemies and brought into peace

**WOULD GOD
RESCUE ME?**



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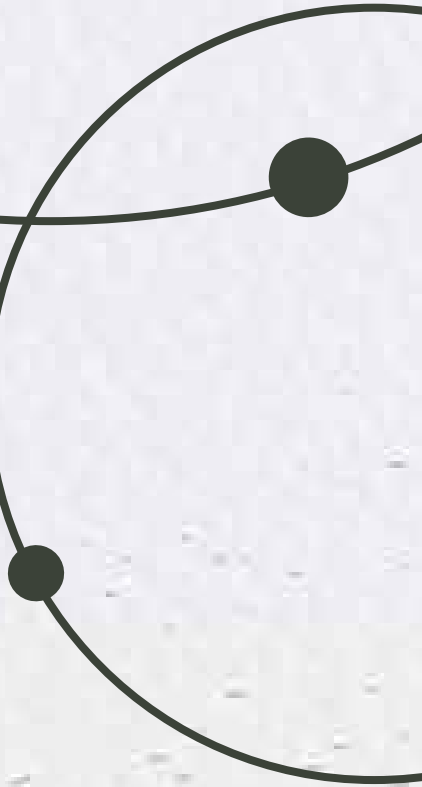
PSALMS 18:17-24

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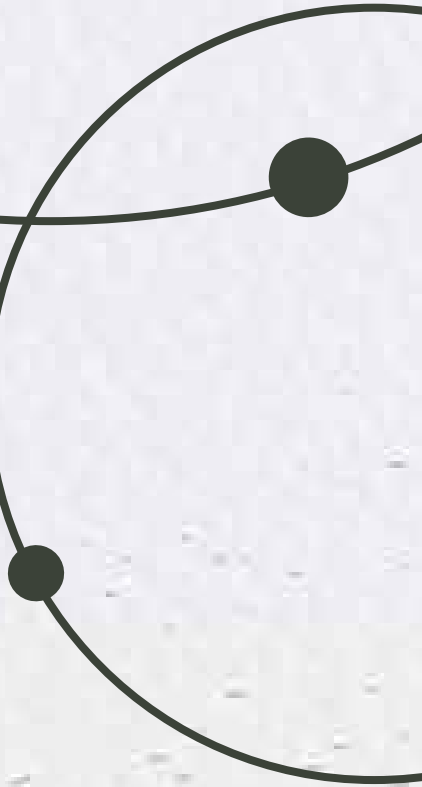
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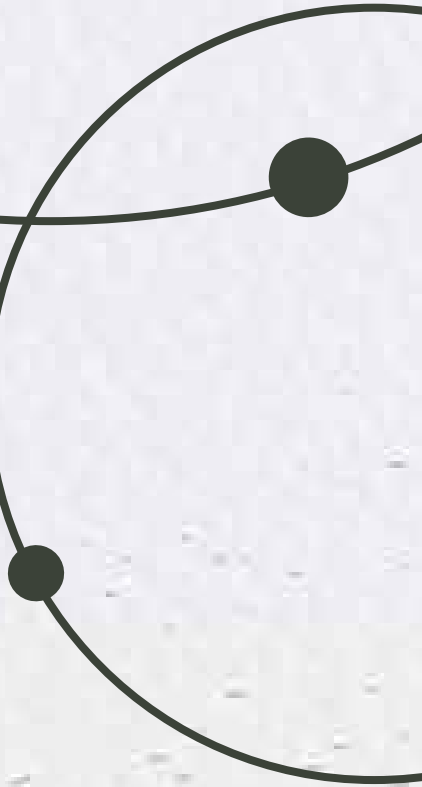
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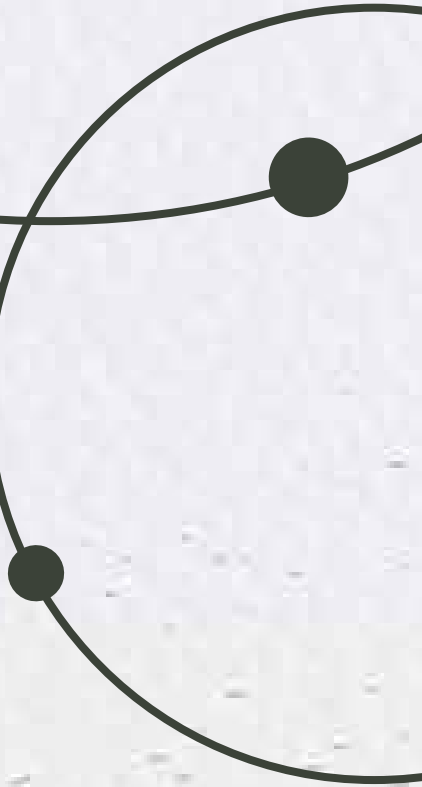
I AM NOT SURE



PREPARE CONTINGENCIES



**IN EXTREME CASES,
EVEN COMPROMISE**



Cleanness of my hands -> Get my hands dirty

Kept the ways of the Lord -> Kept whatever helps me

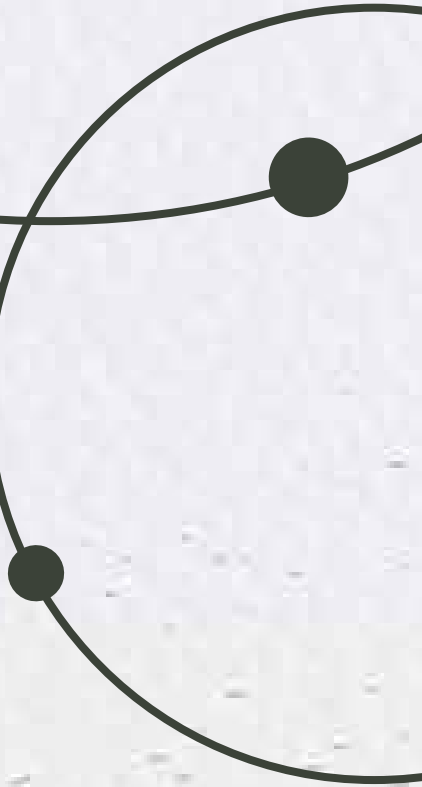
Not wickedly depart from God -> Occasionally return to God

His rules/statutes -> My rules

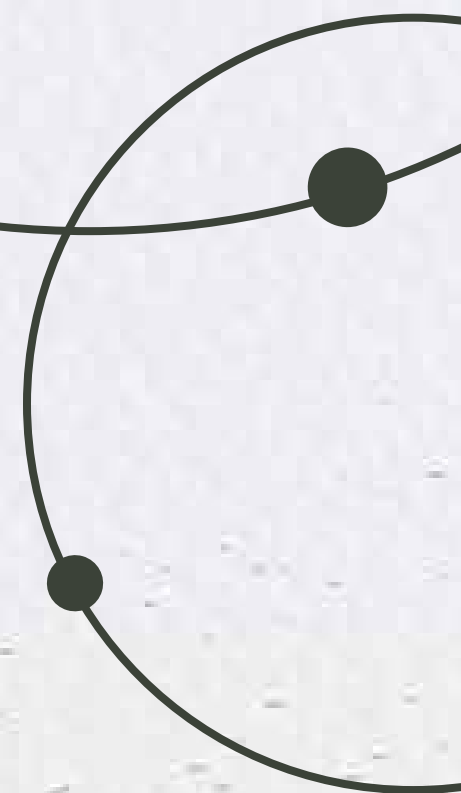
Blameless before God -> Ruthless before men

Kept myself from falling into sin -> Kept myself from falling into vulnerability

**WOULD GOD
RESCUE ME?**



SURELY NOT



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according to the cleanness of my hands **he rewarded me.**

(b) ²¹ For **I have kept** the ways of the Lord, and have not wickedly
departed from my God.

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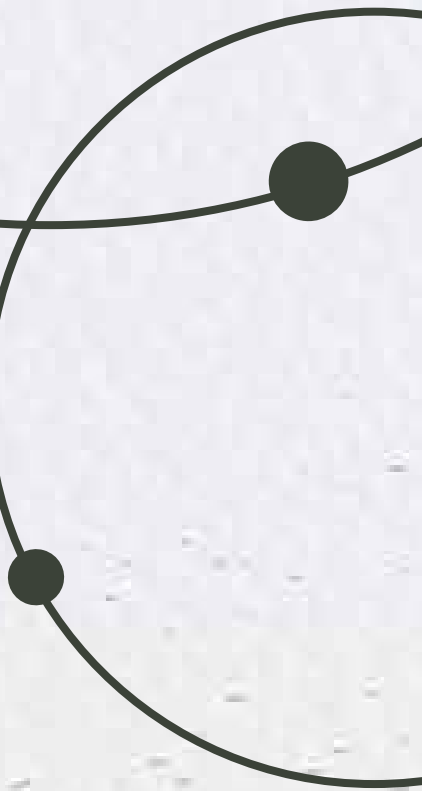
PSALMS 18:20-24

Statutes

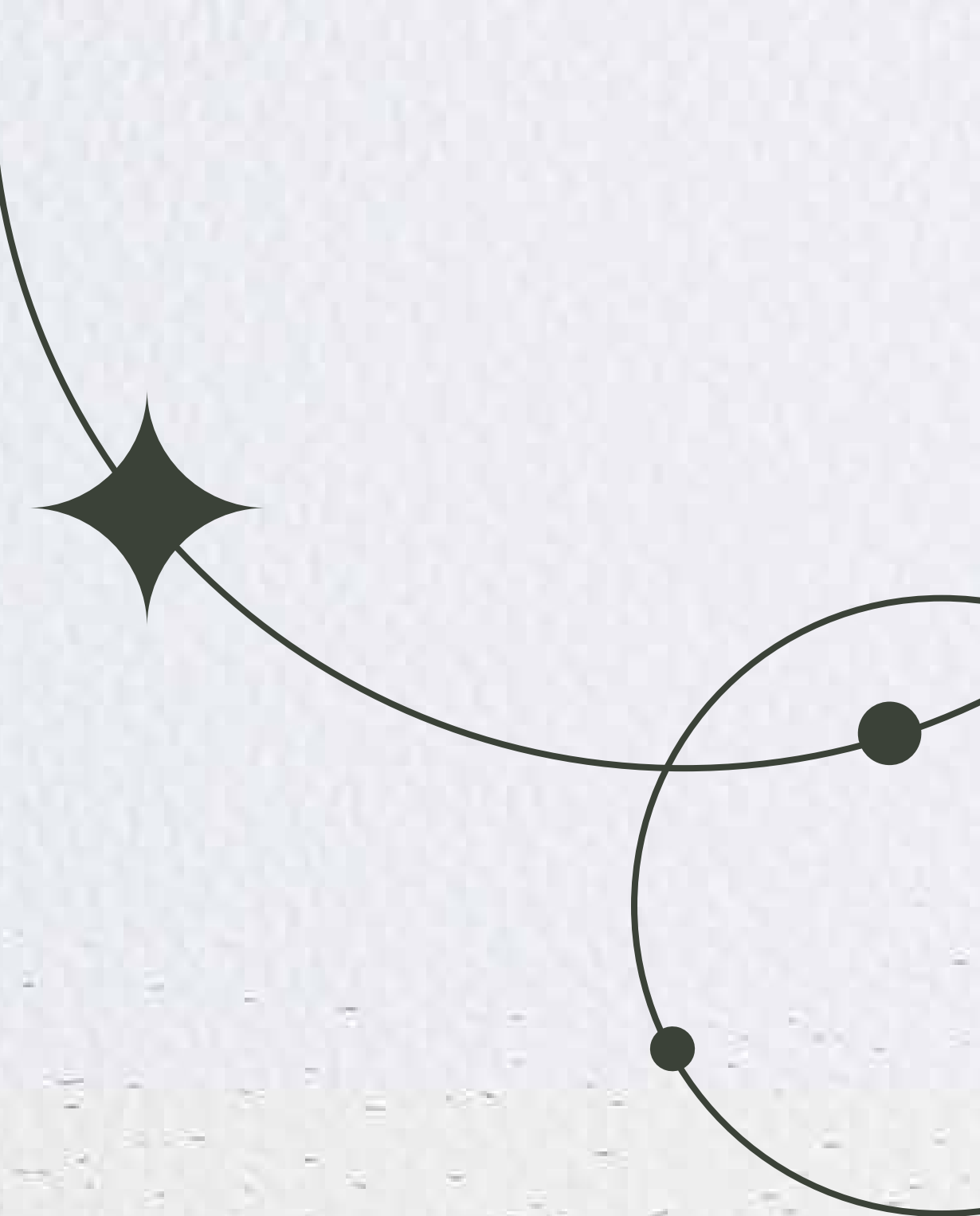
Strong's Hebrew 2708. Chuqqah (חֻקָּה)

Refers to a particular law related to a festival or ritual, such as Passover or the Days of Unleavened Bread

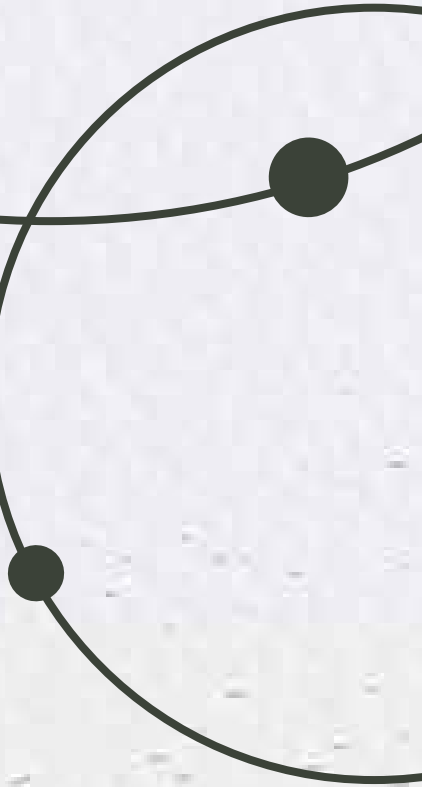
**REMEMBERING
WHAT THE LORD
HAS DONE**



**WOULD GOD
RESCUE ME?**



**YES, HE WOULD,
JUST AS HE HAS
DONE SO BEFORE**



Those who remember what the Lord has done will remain innocent in their days of distress because they have faith in God to rescue them as He did before

**CHRIST'S
SACRIFICE
ON THE CROSS**

