

Today, we are beneficiaries of God's favour because His wrath against our sins has already been completely satisfied at the Cross. In Hebrew, the word used for "favour" is *ratsown*, which means His pleasure, delight, goodwill, and acceptance.

Our place of protection was purchased with the blood of our Lord Jesus Christ. In Him, we have been made righteous, and all the blessings of the righteous, including protection, provision, and length of days, are our inheritance. That's the place we are in today. Isn't that beautiful? No wonder the Scriptures tell us: "The wicked flee when no-one pursues, but the righteous are bold as a lion." (Proverbs 28:1) It also tells us: "The effective, fervent prayer of a righteous man avails much." (James 5:16) A righteous man (or woman) is who you are in Christ, and when you pray the prayer of protection in Psalm 91, your prayers avail much for God answers your prayers. Praise the Lord for His deliverance and protection. We are shielded from danger because of the righteousness we have in Christ!

Proverbs 19:12 "The king's wrath is like the roaring of a lion, but his favour is like dew on the grass."