

## Adult Impact Study Sheet – May 5, 2024

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Read **Psalm 27:1-12**; if possible from several translations.  
For additional insight go to [www.studylight.org](http://www.studylight.org) and [www.gotquestions.org](http://www.gotquestions.org).

1. How is David's confidence in the Lord expressed in the characteristics he ascribes to the Lord in verses 1-2? Do you live out the awareness of those characteristics in your relationship to the Lord?

Light:

Salvation:

Stronghold:

2. After conversion our God is our joy, comfort, guide, teacher, and in every sense our light; He is light within, light around, light reflected from us, and light to be revealed to us.<sup>1</sup> Discuss Spurgeon's thought further.
  - light within
  - light around
  - light reflected from us
  - light to be revealed to us
3. Read verse 4. God judges us very much by the desire of our hearts.<sup>2</sup> What does Spurgeon mean by that?
4. If you were to state your one desire, that one thing you would ask from the Lord, what would it be?
5. Since it's not possible to dwell in a church building all the days of our lives, what does it mean for us as believers to—as David desired—dwell in the house of the Lord, in His temple?
6. What does it mean for us to live consciously in the presence of the Lord?
7. In verse 8, David speaks of seeking the face of the Lord. What did that mean for him? What does it mean for us?
8. Verse 11 speaks of being led on a level path. (See also Psalm 26:11.) What does it mean to be on, to be led on, level ground?
9. Read verse 12. What are the adversaries of the soul?

<sup>1</sup> Charles Spurgeon, *Parallel Classic Commentary on the Psalms*, 110

<sup>2</sup> Ibid