



# The Abundant Mercy of God

## INTERACTIVE OUTLINE

Sunday Afternoon

September 5, 2010

Scripture Reading: Psalm 86.1-11

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### Introduction:

Psalm 86 was written in a time of trouble for David. Not sure exactly, as to the situation, but it appears that he was in some sort of physical danger. (86:14) David's appeal, however, is not based so much on the physical danger he may be in, it is on the character of God. When the chips are down, David appeals to the character of God. He needs mercy, more than anything. See 86:3

### I. Psalm 86:5a – it brings us \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. Not only do we see the truth communicated to us here in Psalm 86:5, but we also see it in Ephesians 2:4.
- B. Sin is a relationship \_\_\_\_\_.
- C. Psalm 103 – an amazing fact about God. See Psalm 103:10-12
  - 1. We deserve \_\_\_\_\_. We deserve punishment.
  - 2. Gods' mercy means we can be forgiven.
- D. Isaiah 43 – Israel had continually sinned against God.

### II. Psalm 86:5b – Mercy comes to us without \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. 86:5b – *abundant in lovingkindness to all who call upon You.*
- B. The mercy of God knows no bounds.
  - 1. David says it is "\_\_\_\_\_."
- C. God's mercy is so great that it is almost inexpressible.

### III. Psalm 86:5c – it is available to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. More precisely, God's mercy is available to all who call upon God.
- B. 1 Timothy 2:3-6 – Paul says God's mercy is unlimited.
- C. As we reach out & teach about God's mercy, we must communicate that it is:
  - 1. Not obtained \_\_\_\_\_.

### IV. Psalm 86:7b – it is \_\_\_\_\_ to us.

- A. It is not an empty guarantee. **When our humble and penitent hearts are connected with God**, No terms/conditions. No disclaimer.
- B. 86:7b – David is absolutely \_\_\_\_\_ of God's response. No question. No doubt.
- C. We need to believe the \_\_\_\_\_.

### Conclusion

- A. We must see our need for God's mercy.
- B. What a great God we have! Let us use this lesson today as motivation to grow closer to Him.

## ANSWERS

Automatically	All
Breaker	Certain
Judgment	Abundant
Forgiveness	Limit
Guaranteed	Bible

## MY NOTES