

The Right Way

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- [0 : 0 0] The 17th of June, The Right Way Ever since you took my hand, I'm on the right way. Psalm 16:1 from the Message Psalm 16 is, on the whole, a happy psalm.
- This is quite remarkable because it's probable that David wrote the psalm when he was in hiding because King Saul was searching for him in order to kill him. He begins the psalm by saying, Keep me safe, O God. I've run for dear life to you.
- Well, David found true security in God. See the text at the top. Ever since you took my hand, I'm on the right way. Do you ever wonder if you are on the right way in your life?
- Sometimes we give in to temptations that seem fun at the time, but end us up in disappointment and difficulty. Life can be full of choices. Who to be friends with? What job should I apply for?
- Is it wrong to take strong drink or drugs when everyone else seems to be doing it? Elvis Presley wrote a song, and the end of the first verse had some really good advice. Put your hand in the hand of the man of Galilee.
- [1 : 0 5] That's just what David did, and he found that God led him in the right and good way. Jesus, the man of Galilee, said he had come to give us life, abundant and full life, and to show us the right way by following him.
- When you wonder what you should or should not do, ask yourself, What would Jesus do? Can I honestly take Jesus with me into this place or company? He shows us the right way.
- And a prayer. Dear Lord, help me to take your hand, so I will go in the right way. Amen. Amen. Thank you.