

Reflection on Psalm 83

The gospel accounts of Jesus' suffering and death show
Jesus attacked by all the forces of evil,
all focused on destroying Him.

Psalm 2 tells the same story,
written many centuries before Jesus' birth.

Psalm 83 says that we too,
His treasured ones,
His servants,
His brothers and sisters,
are the focus of the same
destructive,
coordinated Evil.

The Evil One has
many names, many faces,
many servants, many methods,
but only one intent:
to "steal, kill, and destroy"
God's people. (John 10:10)

No wonder Jesus taught us to daily, constantly pray,
"Deliver us from the evil one."

But God is Almighty,
all-sovereign,
our Savior.

He saves His dear children
from whatever and whomever
threatens or attacks them.

That's what He does.
That's who He is.

Whether Satan's attack is
subtle or
head-on,
turn to Your Savior and
simply trust Him.
You are safe in Him.

Hymn: [Psalm 83](#)