

## Questions for 062721

Have you ever been caught talking to yourself? Share, if you remember any details.

Psalms 103 is a pivotal Psalm regarding Scripture's truthfulness.

How do you understand verse 3, "and heals all your diseases"?

1. It is Hebrew parallelism so it is saying the same thing as the phrase before (the healing being talked about is forgiveness)
2. The passage is saying that anytime there is healing, God is the ultimate cause.
3. We have to expand our understanding healing to include death.
4. Scripture is speaking in hyperbole (over exaggerating to make a point). For those who do not know how Hebrew wisdom literature works this can sound threatening, but it really isn't.

Another example of this is Psalm 37.25 that says,

I was young and now I am old,  
yet I have never seen the righteous forsaken  
or their children begging bread.

Surely this cannot mean that if a child has had to beg for bread their parents were not righteous.

5. It is a mystery, but I believe it.
6. God's desire is always to heal every physical disease on this side of the grave.
7. I don't believe it.
8. Other?

Rob called the message, The Importance of Talking to Yourself.

What do you need to say to your own soul?

What blessings or acts of God do you need to recall?

If Rob is right that the Psalm is calling us to delight in God, what does that mean for you today?

Share and Prayer