



Valley of Baca
Sometimes...
You Have to Go Through...
***...To Go Up* pt1**

Psalm 84

Psalm 84:1 (KJV)

Psalm 84:1-7 (KJV)

- 1 How amiable *are* thy tabernacles, O LORD of hosts!
- 2 My soul longeth, yea, even fainteth for the courts of the LORD: my heart and my flesh crieth out for the living God.
- 3 Yea, the sparrow hath found an house, and the swallow a nest for herself, where she may lay her young, *even* thine altars, O LORD of hosts, my King, and my God.
- 4 Blessed *are* they that dwell in thy house: they will be still praising thee. Selah.
- 5 Blessed *is* the man whose strength *is* in thee; in whose heart *are* the ways *of them*.
- 6 *Who* passing through the valley of Baca make it a well; the rain also filleth the pools.
- 7 They go from strength to strength, *every one of them* in Zion appeareth before God.

Psalm 84:1-7 NLT2

¹ How lovely is your dwelling place, O LORD of Heaven's Armies. ² I long, yes, I faint with longing to enter the courts of the LORD. With my whole being, body and soul, I will shout joyfully to the living God. ³ Even the sparrow finds a home, and the swallow builds her nest and raises her young at a place near your altar, O LORD of Heaven's Armies, my King and my God! ⁴ What joy for those who can live in your house, always singing your praises. Interlude

⁵ What joy for those whose strength comes from the LORD, who have set their minds on a pilgrimage to Jerusalem.

⁶ When they walk through the Valley of Weeping, it will become a place of refreshing springs. The autumn rains will clothe it with blessings. ⁷ They will continue to grow stronger, and each of them will appear before God in Jerusalem. **Psalm 84:1-7**

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The Place of the Tabernacle

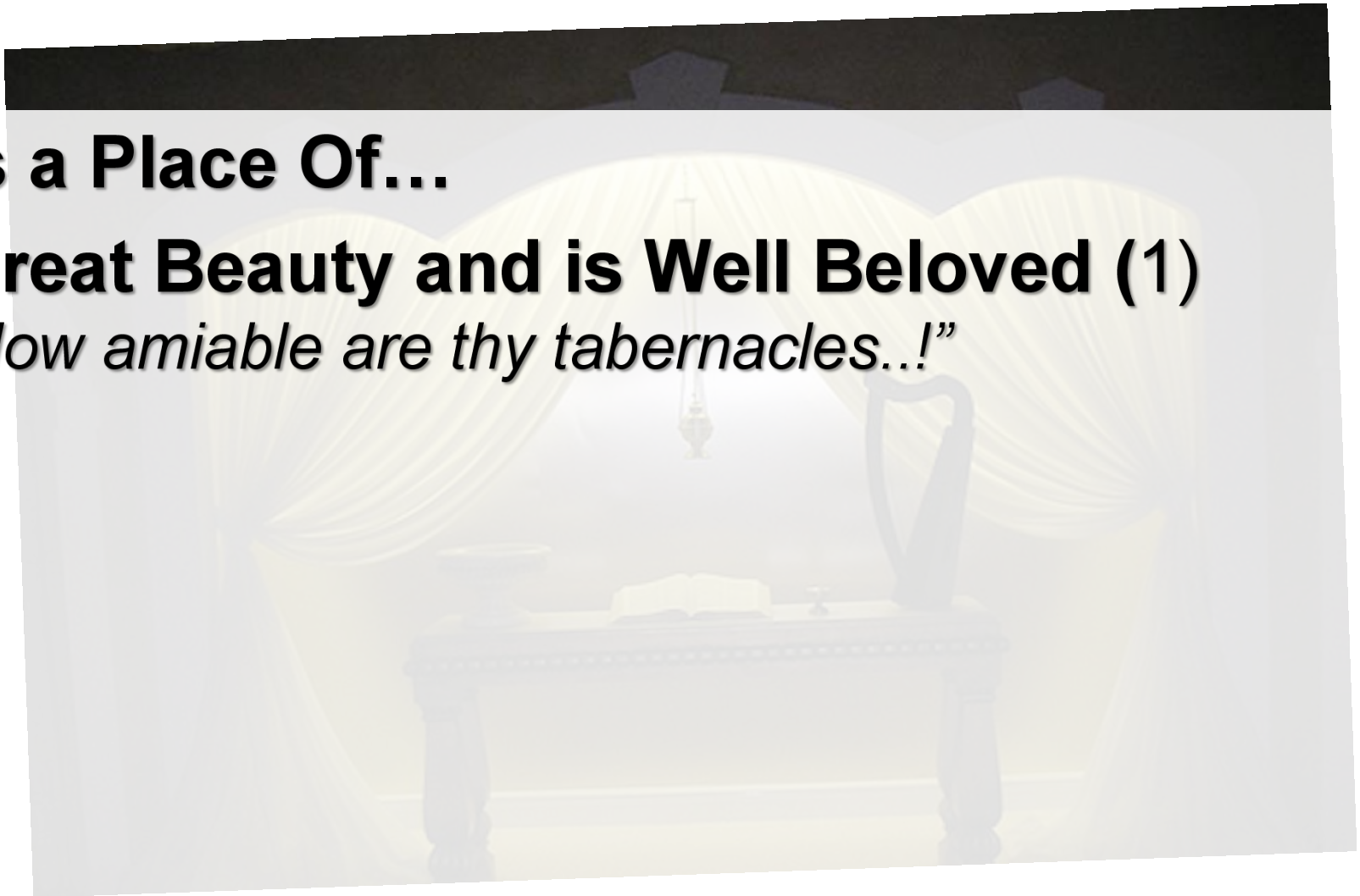


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It is a Place Of...

- **Great Beauty and is Well Beloved (1)**

“How amiable are thy tabernacles..!”



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- **Desire and Worship (2)**

“My soul longeth..fainteth..heart..flesh crieth out.”

- **Nesting and Sacrifice (3)**

“Yea, the sparrow hath found an house, and the swallow a nest for herself, where she may lay her young, even thine altars”

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It is a Place Of...

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- **Desire and Worship (2)**
- **Nesting and Sacrifice (3)**
- **Continuance and Glory (4)**

“Blessed are they that dwell in thy house: they will be still praising thee. Selah.”
- **Blessing and Strength (5)**

“Blessed .man whose strength is in thee; ..heart are ways of them.”

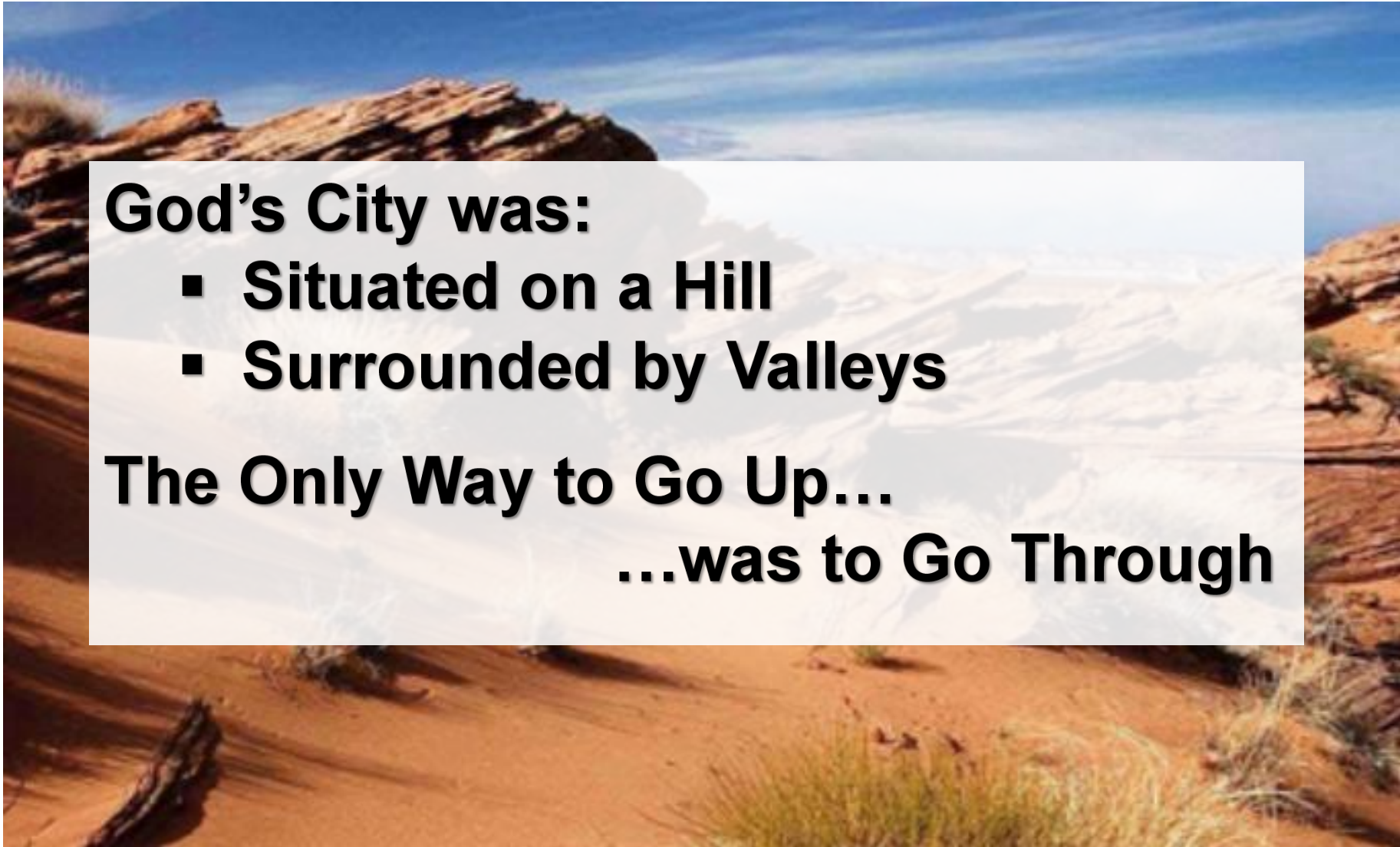
The Path to the Tabernacle

God's City was:

- **Situated on a Hill**
- **Surrounded by Valleys**

The Only Way to Go Up...

...was to Go Through



Jerusalem Surrounded by Valleys

- **Rephaiam- *Shadows***
 - **Valley of Giants**
 - **Stitch -Heal**

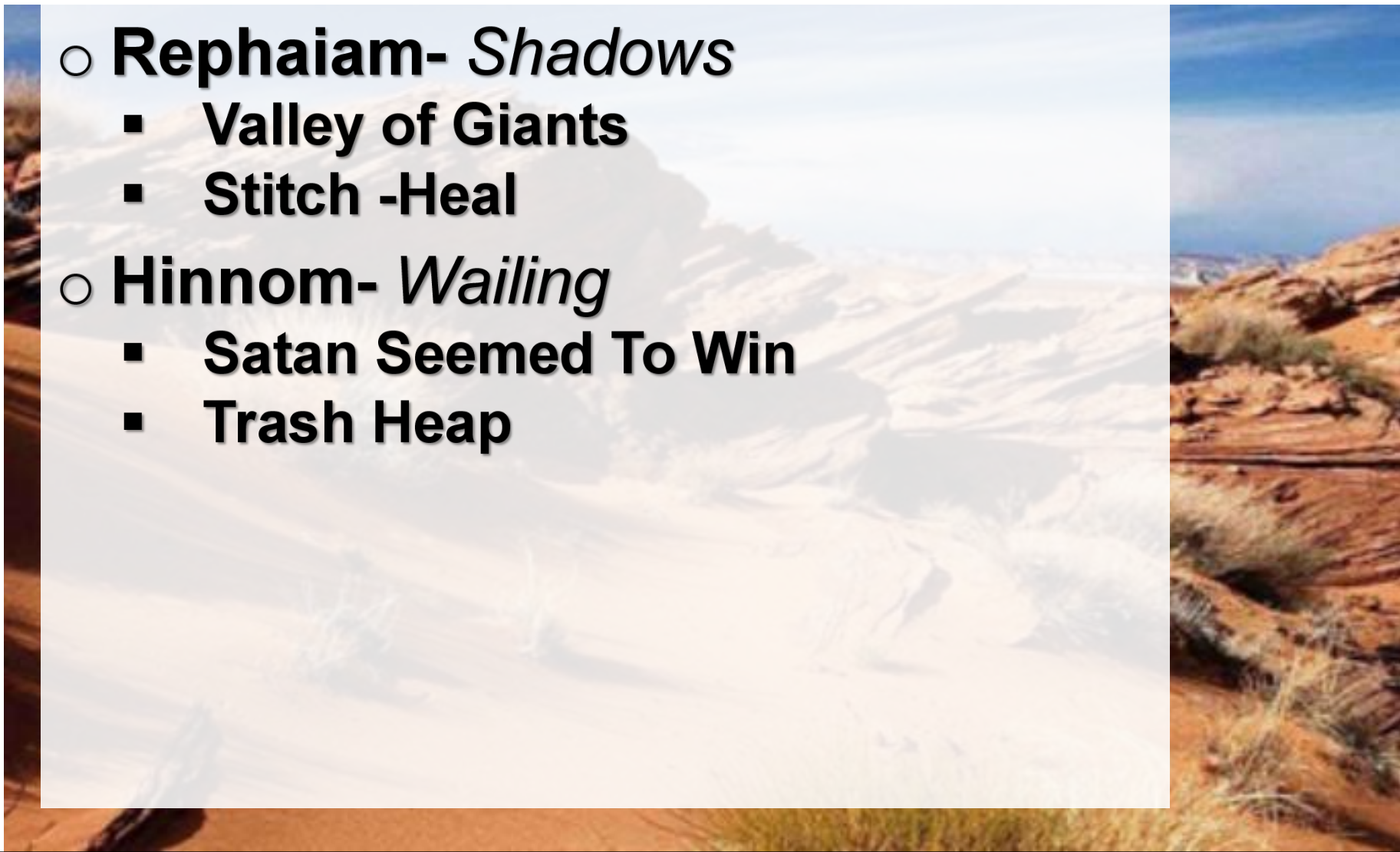


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- **Baca- *Weeping***
 - **Trapped**
 - **Despair**

It Can Be a Place and/or Condition



The Necessary Passage

“through the valley of Baca”

Faith is not immune to trials,

it is fueled by trials.

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Jerusalem=

The Place to Find...

- **His Presence**
- **His Power**
- **His Praise**
- **His Position**

There Can Be No Jerusalems...

...Without Valleys



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He restores my soul..

Psalm 23:3



**He Restores My Soul...
...Sets me Back Up on My Feet**

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A close-up photograph of a white dog's head resting on a person's hand. The dog's eyes are closed, and its fur is soft and white. The person's hand is visible on the right side of the frame, with their fingers gently supporting the dog's head. The background is dark and out of focus.

**He Restores My Soul...
...Sets me Back Up on My Feet**

**In Your Valley...
...You Will Have His**

- **Presence**
- **Power**
- **Promise**

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