Psalm 116

I'M SAVED

I am passionately in love with God because he listens to me. He hears my prayers and answers them. As long as I live I'll keep praying to him, for he stoops down to listen to my heart. Death once stared me in the face, and I was so close to slipping into its grisly clutches.

I was terrified and overcome with sorrow. I cried out to the Lord, "God, come and save me!"

He was so kind, so gracious to me. Because of his passion toward me, he made everything right and he restored me.

"So I've learned from my experience that God protects the childlike and humble. For I was broken and brought low, but he answered me and came to my help."

"Now I can say to myself and to all:

"Relax and rest, be confident and secure, for the Lord rewards fully those who trust in him!"

"God has rescued my soul from death and dried my eyes of many tears. He's kept my feet firmly on his path, and strengthened me so that I may praise him all my days."

116:9 As translated from the Septuagint.