

SERMON TITLE:

*"How are You
Walking Dad?!?"*

TEXT(s):

Psalms 37:1-40 (23-26)

**INTRODUCTORY
STATEMENT(S):**

**Psalms is one of
the five books of
Jewish Wisdom
Literature!**

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STATEMENT(S):**

Jewish Wisdom Books:

- > **Psalms...Proverbs;**
- > **Ecclesiastes...Job;**
- > **Song of Solomon;**

**INSPIRATION
FOR THIS
SERMON TITLE...
Daughter's
Day Care Poem
& Children's Birth!**

**"Walk a Little Slower Daddy,"
said a child so small,**

**I'm following; your footsteps
and I don't want to fall.**

**Sometimes your steps are very
fast,**

**Sometimes they're hard to see,
So walk a little slower Daddy
For you are leading me.**

**Someday when I'm all grown up
You're what I want to be.
Then I will have a child
who will want to follow me.**

**And I want to lead just right, and
know that I was true.**

**"So walk a little slower Daddy,
for I must follow you!"**

HENCE verse 23...
**"The steps of a
good man are
ordered by the
Lord."**

**SERMONIC PNT.
#1:**
**Stop expending
psycho-spiritual
energy...!**

SERMONIC PNT. #1:
Psalms 37:1:
"Do not FRET..."
Psalms 37:7b:
"Do not FRET..."
Psalms 37:8b:
"Do not FRET..."

**SERMONIC PNT.
#1:**
Psalms 37:1:
**"Do not FRET...
because of evildoers,
nor be envious of the
workers of iniquity."**

**SERMONIC PNT.
#1:**
Psalms 37:7b:
**"Do not FRET...
because of the man
who brings wicked
schemes to pass."**

**SERMONIC PNT.
#1:**
Psalms 37:8b:
**"Do not FRET...IT
ONLY CAUSES
HARM!!!"**

SERMONIC PNT.

#1:

SERENITY PRAYER:

"GOD grant me the serenity to accept the things I cannot change..."

SERENITY PRAYER:

"...the courage to change the things I can change...

...and the wisdom to know the difference."

SERENITY

PRAYER: Living one day at a time; enjoying one moment at a time; accepting hardships as the pathway to peace;

SERENITY PRAYER:

"...taking, as He did, this sinful world as it is, not as I would have it; trusting that He will make all things right if I surrender to His Will;

SERENITY PRAYER:

"...that I may be reasonably happy in this life and supremely happy with Him forever in the next. Amen.

--Reinhold Niebuhr

SERMONIC PNT.

#2:

The Ultimate Fate of the Wicked, Un-GOD-ly Person!

SERMONIC PNT.

#2:

Psalms 37:2:

“For they shall be cut down like the grass, and wither as the green herb.”

SERMONIC PNT. #2:

Psalms 37:9-10:

“For evildoers shall be cut off...For yet a little while and the wicked shall be no more;”

SERMONIC PNT.

#2:

Psalms 37:12-13:

“The wicked...Lord laughs at him, for HE sees that his day is coming.”

SERMONIC PNT. #2:

Psalms 37:14-15:

“The wicked...their sword shall enter their own heart, and their bows shall be broken.”

SERMONIC PNT. #2:

Psalms 37:17:

“For the arms of the wicked shall be broken...”

SERMONIC PNT.

#2:

Psalms 37:20:

“But the wicked shall perish...shall vanish away.”

**SERMONIC PNT.
#2:**

**Psalms 37:22b:
"...but those who
are cursed by HIM
shall be cut off."**

SERMONIC PNT. #2:

**Psalms 37:28b:
"...but the
descendants of the
wicked shall be cut
off."**

**SERMONIC PNT.
#2:**

**Psalms 37:34b:
"...when the
wicked are cut off,
you shall see it."**

**SERMONIC PNT.
#3:**

**The ultimate fate of
the Righteous or
GOD-ly person!**

**SERMONIC PNT.
#3:**

**Psalms 37:9b:
"...BUT those who
wait on the Lord,
they shall inherit
the earth."**

**SERMONIC PNT. #3:
Psalms 37:11:**

**"BUT the
meek...and shall
delight themselves
in the abundance
of peace."**

**SERMONIC PNT.
#3:
Psalms 37:17:
"BUT the LORD
upholds the
righteous."**

**SERMONIC PNT. #3:
Psalms 37:19-22a:
"THEY...
...shall not be
ashamed...shall be
satisfied...shall
inherit the earth."**

**SERMONIC PNT. #3:
Psalms 37:29-30:
"THEY...
...shall inherit the land
and dwell in it
forever...NONE of his
steps shall slide.**

**SERMONIC PNT.
#3:
Psalms 37:23:
"The STEPS of a
good man are
ordered by the
LORD."**

**Psalms 37:23-26:
INTIMATES...**
->GOD'S sovereignty (v23)
-> GOD's grace-mercy (v24)
->GOD's omnipresence²⁴
->GOD's immutability (v25)
->GOD's faithfulness (v26)
->GOD's omnipotence (v39)

CONCLUDING REMARKS:

"Trust in the LORD GOD and *Do* GOOD!
Dwell in the land, and *Feed* on HIS faithfulness.
(37:3)

"Delight...also in the LORD." (37:4a)

"Commit your way to the LORD, trust also in HIM."
(37:5)

"Rest in the LORD, and
Wait patiently for HIM... *Cease* from anger, and
Forsake wrath;" (37:7-8)