

Wisdom Not Worry
Tuesday, April 14, 2020
Psalm 91:1

“He who dwells in the shelter of the Most High...”

Every fireworks display I’ve ever witnessed saved the biggest bang for the grand finale. That was until my family and I watched the dazzling fireworks show at Disneyland, California. From the very first blast to the last exciting explosion, the sky was lit up! It was a grand finale from start to finish! Psalm 91 is like Disneyland fireworks. It starts with bang and never lets up. In the first two verses four names of our God of brilliant glory are offered up in rapid fire succession - Most High, Almighty, LORD and God. While our names are important, God’s name’s are essential. At best, we try to live up to our names. The names of God reveal the very nature of God. Our confidence in His ability to shelter us in life’s greatest storms builds as we consider the meaning of each name. Today, consider the first.

El Elyon, translated *Most High God* speaks of His sovereign power. His power surpasses that of any king or president. He is above all powers of plague and pestilence. For me, El Elyon recalls memories of me and my dad singing along to Gaither Homecoming videos. One song in particular captured the essence of El Elyon - “Bigger Than Any Mountain.” Click on the link below and join me, my dad and the Gaithers as we take shelter in the Most High God. Be forewarned, you’ll be singing this song all day! <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tr4blbZ49bk>

Bigger than all my problems, bigger than all my fears;
God is bigger than any mountain that I can or can not see.
Bigger than all my questions, bigger than anything;
God is bigger than any mountain that I can or can not see.

Bigger than all the shadows that fall across my path,
God is bigger than any mountain that I can or can not see.
He's bigger than all the confusion, bigger than anything;
God is bigger than any mountain that I can or can not see.

Grateful,
Pastor Ben