

“Your faithfulness extends to every generation, as enduring as the earth you created.”

Psalms 119:90 NLT

## [lectio] // PSALM 119:89-96

listen to the text by reading out loud slowly and repeat up to 3x if desired

Profoundly simple. The Psalmist writes about God's laws remain true and always serve his purpose. And, his purpose is ALWAYS fulfilled. Each generation? I wonder if the writer knew how long his words would echo throughout human history. God has consistently and faithfully showed up to thousands of generations. And specifically speaks to them, in context of their culture, their dreams, even their sin. What generation can truly bear the sins of themselves and their parents? It's too much. Each generation works to correct the missteps or overreaching of their parents. And, in doing so adjust and future, but also create new sin, new error that their children will have to deal with. Some sins, some selfishness and arrogance has the capacity to stick around for a several cycles or generations. Those become engrained into the fabric of culture for years. Only rebellions, revolutions or reformations seek to reset the cultural operating system, attempting to rid the deep viruses of society. Yet God shows up every time and in specifically splendid fashion to assist in reform, bring redemption and deal with the sin of each generation. He is marvelously faithful, true and just.

## [oratio]

pray as responding to the words, phrase, sentence that God has stirred within you

Dad,

I see your hand moving. I see the small signs of hope and redemption. Even though I know the world is wrapping up it's final rotations, you are STILL at work because it's still daylight. Thank You for pouring out grace and mercy in my life, my generation. The Jesus movement of the 60's and 70' were stunningly beautiful as you whispered and shouted to millions of youth like me.

## [contemplatio]

rest in the presence of God, allowing the words revealed to take root