

*Give ear to my prayer, O God; and hide not thyself from my supplication.
Attend unto me, and hear me: I mourn in my complaint, and make a noise;
Because of the voice of the enemy, because of the oppression of the wicked: for they cast
iniquity upon me, and in wrath they hate me. (Psalms 55:1-3)*

It suddenly occurred to me that the enemy has the *voice* in this world. His is every major TV and radio station and network, *including* the religious ones. His are the journalists and writers, the newspapers, magazines and book publishers. His is the entertainment industry and the sports world. Every influential voice sounds his lies and blasphemies - educational, medical, political, legal and industrial. For every faithful preacher of the truth in an obscure place, there are at least a hundred false ones in prominent positions.

How shall we prevail with the word of truth against such overwhelming opposition? We certainly shall not win in a shouting match, and we are wasting our time trying to silence them or counteract their words with better words of our own.

But we shall prevail, for though they have the voice of the devil, we have the ear of *God*. He *will hear* (vs. 19). Therefore we shall pray and cry aloud, "evening, morning and noon!"

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