

Sermon Notes – July 24, 2016
“Grumpy at God”
Psalm 13
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Have you ever been angry at, confused or frustrated by God?

Note that David’s expression is very personal. In verse 1, 3, and 6, he uses God’s personal name (the LORD, Yaweh). What is he asking or declaring of God in each of these lines?

Note the flow of the Psalm from David’s **complaint** (verses 1-2) to his **request** (verses 3-4) and finally his **declaration**.

- In each of these sections, what is David saying to or about God, and about himself and his circumstances?

Use the structure and pattern of this psalm as a pattern for your own prayers in times when you may be angry, frustrated, or confused by what God is doing or allowing in your life.