The more we trust Him and experience His hand the more secure we find ourselves and the more able to participate in His service....and the enjoyment of spiritual life.

IV. Item # 3 We are Under His Wing.

Psalm 91:4, 36:7, etc.

(Before I begin the "official" discussion I need to tell you my experience with this psalm and with the popular Gospel song associated with it. I cannot memorialize all the stories but this one is necessary.)

A. The Reality:

The concept in this speech figure is one of shelter and protection. In a figurative sense we are covered by the grace of God and so are under His wing. The bird imagery is found in this analogy and I will probably tell a pheasant story at this time. It looks like a long night for stories.

- 1. Psalm 91:4..under His wings
- 2. Psalm 36:7: movement for security. See also Psalms 17:8, 57:1, 61:4
- 3. A practical observation: Ruth 2:12. "under whose wings you have come to trust."
- 4. Some primary illustrations:

Deuternomy 32:11-12 Matthew 23:37 (Luke 13:34)