**PSALM 12**

Usquequo, Domine.

*A prayer in tribulation.*

**1** Unto the end, a psalm for David.

How long, O Lord, wilt thou forget me unto the end? how long dost thou turn away thy face from me?

**2** How long shall I take counsels in my soul, sorrow in my heart all the day?

**3** How long shall my enemy be exalted over me?

**4** Consider, and hear me, O Lord, my God. Enlighten my eyes, that I never sleep in death:

**5** lest at any time my enemy say: I have prevailed against him. They that trouble me, will rejoice when I am moved:

**6** but I have trusted in thy mercy. My heart shall rejoice in thy salvation: I will sing to the Lord, who giveth me good things: yea I will sing to the name of the Lord the most high.