PSALM 118

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Alleluia

Blessed are the blameless in the way

Who walk in the law of the Lord

[NEXT VERSE] 2 Blessed are those who search out His testimonies

They shall search for Him with their whole heart

[NEXT VERSE] 3 For those who work lawlessness

Do not walk in His ways

[NEXT VERSE] 4 You commanded us regarding Your commandments

That we should be very diligent to keep them

[NEXT VERSE] 5 Would that my ways were led

That I might keep Your ordinances

[NEXT VERSE] 6 Then I would not be ashamed

When I regard all Your commandments

[NEXT VERSE] 7 I will give thanks to You O Lord with an upright heart

When I learn the judgments of Your righteousness

[NEXT VERSE] 8 I shall keep Your ordinances

Do not utterly forsake me

[NEXT VERSE] 9 How shall a young man keep his way straight

When he keeps Your words

[NEXT VERSE] 10 I searched for You with my whole heart

Do not drive me away from Your commandments

[NEXT VERSE] 11 I hid Your teachings in my heart

So as not to sin against You

[NEXT VERSE] 12 Blessed are You O Lord

Teach me Your ordinances

[NEXT VERSE] 13 With my lips I declared

All the judgments of Your mouth

[NEXT VERSE] 14 I delight in the way of Your testimonies

As much as in all riches

[NEXT VERSE] 15 I shall meditate on Your commandments

And I shall understand Your ways

[NEXT VERSE] 16 I shall meditate on Your ordinances

I shall not forget Your words

[NEXT VERSE] 17 Reward Your servant

I shall live and keep Your words

[NEXT VERSE] 18 Unveil my eyes

And I shall understand the wonders in Your law

[NEXT VERSE] 19 I am a sojourner on the earth

Do not hide Your commandments from me

[NEXT VERSE] 20 My soul longed to desire

Your judgments in every season

[NEXT VERSE] 21 You rebuke the arrogant

Those who turn aside from Your commandments are accursed

[NEXT VERSE] 22 Take away reproach and contempt from me

For I searched Your testimonies

[NEXT VERSE] 23 For rulers sat and spoke against me

But Your servant meditated on Your ordinances

[NEXT VERSE] 24 For Your testimonies are my meditation

And Your ordinances are my counsels

[NEXT VERSE] 25 My soul cleaves to the earth

Give me life according to Your word

[NEXT VERSE] 26 I made known my ways and You heard me

Teach me Your ordinances

[NEXT VERSE] 27 Cause me tounderstand the way of Your ordinances

And I shall meditate on Your wonders

[NEXT VERSE] 28 My soul fainted because of its listlessness

Establish me in Your words

[NEXT VERSE] 29 Remove the way of unrighteousness from me

And with Your law have mercy on me

[NEXT VERSE] 30 I chose the way of truth

I have not forgotten Your judgments

[NEXT VERSE] 31 I cleave to Your testimonies

O Lord do not disappoint me

[NEXT VERSE] 32 Iran on the path of Your commandments

When You enlarged my heart

[NEXT VERSE] 33 Give me as law O Lord the way of Your ordinances

And I shall always search them

[NEXT VERSE] 34 Cause me to understand and I shall search out Your law

And I shall keep it with my whole heart

[NEXT VERSE] 35 Guide me in the path of Your commandments

For I desire it

[NEXT VERSE] 36 Incline my heart to Your testimonies

And not to greediness

[NEXT VERSE] 37 Turn away my eyes that I may not see vanity

Give me life in Your way

[NEXT VERSE] 38 Establish Your teaching in Your servant

In regard to Your fear

[NEXT VERSE] 39 Take away my blame which I have suspected

For Your judgments are good

[NEXT VERSE] 40 Behold I long for Your commandments

Give me life in Your righteousness

[NEXT VERSE] 41 And may Your mercy come upon me O Lord

Your salvation according to Your teaching

[NEXT VERSE] 42 And I shall answer those who insult me with a word

For I hope in Your words

[NEXT VERSE] 43 Do not take away the word of truth completely from my mouth

For I hope in Your judgments

[NEXT VERSE] 44 So I shall keep Your law always

Forever and untoages of ages

[NEXT VERSE] 45 And I walk in a broad space

For I searched Your commandments

[NEXT VERSE] 46 I spoke of Your testimonies

Before kings and I was not ashamed

[NEXT VERSE] 47 And I meditate on Your commandments

Which I love exceedingly

[NEXT VERSE] 48 And I raise my hands to Your commandments which I love

And I meditate on Your ordinances

[NEXT VERSE] 49 Remember Your word to Your servant

In which You give me hope

[NEXT VERSE] 50 This comforted me in my humiliation

For Your teaching gives me life

[NEXT VERSE] 51 The arrogant transgressed exceedingly

But I did not turn away from Your law

[NEXT VERSE] 52 I remembered Your judgments of old O Lord

And I was comforted

[NEXT VERSE] 53 Despondency held me because of sinners

Who abandon Your law

[NEXT VERSE] 54 Your ordinances were sung to me

In the place of my sojourning

[NEXT VERSE] 55 I remembered Your name in the night O Lord

And I kept Your law

[NEXT VERSE] 56 This happened to me in the night

Because I searched Your ordinances

[NEXT VERSE] 57 You are my portion O Lord

I said I will keep Your law

[NEXT VERSE] 58 I sought Your presence with my whole heart

Have mercy on me according to Your teaching

[NEXT VERSE] 59 I considered Your ways

And I turned my feet toward Your testimonies

[NEXT VERSE] 60 I prepared myself and I was not troubled

That I might keep Your commandments

[NEXT VERSE] 61 The ropes of sinners ensnared me

But I did not forget Your law

[NEXT VERSE] 62 At midnight Iarose togive thanks to You

Because of the judgments of Your righteousness

[NEXT VERSE] 63 I am a companion of all who fear You

And keep Your commandments

[NEXT VERSE] 64 O Lord the earth is full of Your mercy

Teach me Your ordinances

[NEXT VERSE] 65 O Lord You dealt with Your servant in goodness

According to Your word

[NEXT VERSE] 66 Teach me goodness instruction and knowledge

For I believe Your commandments

[NEXT VERSE] 67 Before Iwas humbled Itransgressed

Therefore I kept Your teaching

[NEXT VERSE] 68 You are good O Lord and in Your goodness

Teach me Your ordinances

[NEXT VERSE] 69 The unrighteousness of the arrogant multiplied against me

But I will search out Your commandments with my whole heart

[NEXT VERSE] 70 Their heart was curdled like milk

But I meditated on Your law

[NEXT VERSE] 71 It is good for me that You humbled me

That I might learn Your ordinances

[NEXT VERSE] 72 The law of Your mouth is good for me

Rather than thousands of pieces of gold and silver

[NEXT VERSE] 73 Your hands made and fashioned me

Instruct me and I will learn Your commandments

[NEXT VERSE] 74 Those who fear You will see me and be glad

Because I hope in Your words

[NEXT VERSE] 75 I know O Lord Your judgments are righteousness

And You humbled me with truth

[NEXT VERSE] 76 Let Your mercy be for my comfort

According to Your teaching to Your servant

[NEXT VERSE] 77 Let Your compassions come to me and I shall live

For Your law is my meditation

[NEXT VERSE] 78 Let the arrogant be shamed for they transgressed unjustly against me

But I shall meditate on Your commandments

[NEXT VERSE] 79 Let those who fear You turn to me

And those whoknow Your testimonies

[NEXT VERSE] 80 Let my heart be blameless in Your ordinances

That I may not be disappointed

[NEXT VERSE] 81 My soul earnestly longs for Your salvation

And I hope in Your word

[NEXT VERSE] 82 My eyes strained to look at Your teaching

Saying When will You comfort me

[NEXT VERSE] 83 I am like a leather bag in a frost

I did not forget Your ordinances

[NEXT VERSE] 84 How many are the days of Your servant

When will You execute judgment for me upon those whopersecute me

[NEXT VERSE] 85 Transgressors described their meditations to me

But these are not like Your law O Lord

[NEXT VERSE] 86 All Your commandments are truth

They persecuted me unjustly help me

[NEXT VERSE] 87 They almost ended my life on earth

But I did not forsake Your commandments

[NEXT VERSE] 88 Give me life according to Your mercy

And I shall keep the testimonies of Your mouth

[NEXT VERSE] 89 Forever O Lord

Your word continues in heaven

[NEXT VERSE] 90 Your truth continues from generation to generation

You laid the foundation of the earth and it continues

[NEXT VERSE] 91 By Your arrangement each day continues

For all things are Your servants

[NEXT VERSE] 92 If Your law were not my meditation

I would have perished in my humiliation

[NEXT VERSE] 93 I will never forget Your ordinances

For in them You give me life O Lord

[NEXT VERSE] 94 I am Yours save me

For I search Your ordinances

[NEXT VERSE] 95 Sinners waited for me to kill me

I understood Your testimonies

[NEXT VERSE] 96 I saw the limit of every accomplishment

Your commandment is exceedingly broad

[NEXT VERSE] 97 How Ilove Your law O Lord

It is my meditation the whole day long

[NEXT VERSE] 98 You make me wiser than my enemies with Your commandment

For it is mine forever

[NEXT VERSE] 99 I understand more than all my teachers

For Your testimonies are my meditation

[NEXT VERSE] 100 I understand more than the elders

For I search Your commandments

[NEXT VERSE] 101 I withheld my feet from every evil way

That I might keep Your words

[NEXT VERSE] 102 Idid not turn away from Your judgments

For You taught me Your law

[NEXT VERSE] 103 How sweet to my taste are Your teachings

More than honey and the honeycomb in my mouth

[NEXT VERSE] 104 I gained understanding because of Your commandments

Therefore I hate every unrighteous way

[NEXT VERSE] 105 Your word is a lamp to my feet

And a light to my paths

[NEXT VERSE] 106 I swore and confirmed

That I would keep the judgments of Your righteousness

[NEXT VERSE] 107 I was humbled exceedingly

O Lord give me life according to Your word

[NEXT VERSE] 108 Be wellpleased with the freewill offerings of my mouth O Lord

And teach me Your judgments

[NEXT VERSE] 109 My soul is always in Your hands

And I have not forgotten Your law

[NEXT VERSE] 110 Sinners set snares for me

But I did not wander from Your commandments

[NEXT VERSE] 111 I inherited Your testimonies forever

For these are the exceeding joy of my heart

[NEXT VERSE] 112 I inclined my heart to do Your ordinances

Forever for a reward

[NEXT VERSE] 113 Transgressors I hate

But I love Your law

[NEXT VERSE] 114 You are my helper and my protector

Ihope in Your word

[NEXT VERSE] 115 Turn away from me you evildoers

And I shall search out the commandments of my God

[NEXT VERSE] 116 Uphold me according to Your teaching and give me life

And may You not disappoint my expectation

[NEXT VERSE] 117 Help me and I shall be saved

And I shall meditate always in Your ordinances

[NEXT VERSE] 118 You set at naught all who departed from Your ordinances

For their thought is unrighteous

[NEXT VERSE] 119 I counted as transgressors all the sinners of the earth

For this reason Ialways love Your testimonies

[NEXT VERSE] 120 Nail my flesh with the fear of You

For I fear You because of Your judgments

[NEXT VERSE] 121 I work judgment and righteousness

Do not deliver me to those who wrong me

[NEXT VERSE] 122 Take Your servant to that which is good

Do not let the arrogant falsely accuse me

[NEXT VERSE] 123 My eyes strained to look at Your salvation

And at the teaching of Your righteousness

[NEXT VERSE] 124 Deal with Your servant according to Your mercy

And teach me Your ordinances

[NEXT VERSE] 125 I am Your servant cause me to understand

And I shall know Your testimonies

[NEXT VERSE] 126 It is time for the Lord to act

They broke Your law

[NEXT VERSE] 127 For this reason I love Your commandments

More than gold and topaz

[NEXT VERSE] 128 Therefore I directed myself to all Your commandments

I hated every unrighteous way

[NEXT VERSE] 129 Wondrous are Your testimonies

For this reason my soul searches them out

[NEXT VERSE] 130 The revelation of Your words gives light

And it causes children to understand

[NEXT VERSE] 131 I opened my mouth and drew in my breath

For I longed for Your commandments

[NEXT VERSE] 132 Look upon me and have mercy on me

According to the judgment of those who love Your name

[NEXT VERSE] 133 Direct my steps according to Your teaching

And let no lawlessness rule over me

[NEXT VERSE] 134 Ransom me from the slander of men

And I will keep Your commandments

[NEXT VERSE] 135 Make Your face shine upon Your servant

And teach me Your ordinances

[NEXT VERSE] 136 My eyes poured down streams of tears

Because they did not keep Your law

[NEXT VERSE] 137 Righteous are You O Lord

And upright is Your judgment

[NEXT VERSE] 138 You commanded Your testimonies exceedingly

In righteousness and truth

[NEXT VERSE] 139 The zeal of Your house caused me to yearn for home

For my enemies forgot Your words

[NEXT VERSE] 140 Your teaching is exceedingly purified in fire

And Your servant loves it

[NEXT VERSE] 141 I am young and beheld as nothing

But I have not forgotten Your ordinances

[NEXT VERSE] 142 Your righteousness is righteousness forever

And Your law is truth

[NEXT VERSE] 143 Affliction and trouble found me

But Your commandments are my meditation

[NEXT VERSE] 144 Your testimonies are righteousness forever

Give me understanding and I shall live

[NEXT VERSE] 145 I cry out with my whole heart hear me O Lord

I shall search Your ordinances

[NEXT VERSE] 146 I cry out to You save me

And I shall keep Your testimonies

[NEXT VERSE] 147 I arose at midnight and cried out

I hoped in Your words

[NEXT VERSE] 148 My eyes awoke before dawn

That I might meditate on Your teachings

[NEXT VERSE] 149 Hear my voice O Lord according to Your mercy

Give me life according to Your judgment

[NEXT VERSE] 150 Those who persecute me in lawlessness drew near

They are far removed from Your law

[NEXT VERSE] 151 You are near O Lord

All Your commandments are truth

[NEXT VERSE] 152 From the beginning I knew Your testimonies

That You established them forever

[NEXT VERSE] 153 Behold my humiliation and deliver me

For I have not forgotten Your law

[NEXT VERSE] 154 Plead my cause and redeem me

Give me life because of Your word

[NEXT VERSE] 155 Salvation is far from sinners

For they have not searched Your ordinances

[NEXT VERSE] 156 Your compassions are many O Lord

Give me life according to Your judgment

[NEXT VERSE] 157 Many are those who pursue and afflict me

But I did not turn away from Your testimonies

[NEXT VERSE] 158 I saw those acting foolishly and I yearned for You

For they did not keep Your teachings

[NEXT VERSE] 159 Behold I love Your commandments

O Lord in Your mercy give me life

[NEXT VERSE] 160 The beginning of Your words is truth

And all the judgments of Your righteousness are forever

[NEXT VERSE] 161 Rulers persecuted me without cause

But my heart feared because of Your words

[NEXT VERSE] 162 I shall greatly rejoice in Your teachings

Like one finding great spoil

[NEXT VERSE] 163 I hate and abhor unrighteousness

But I love Your law

[NEXT VERSE] 164 I praise You seven times a day

For the judgments of Your righteousness

[NEXT VERSE] 165 Great peace have all who love Your law

And it is not an offense to them

[NEXT VERSE] 166 I long for Your salvation O Lord

And I love Your commandments

[NEXT VERSE] 167 My soul keeps Your testimonies

And I love them exceedingly

[NEXT VERSE] 168 I keep Your commandments and Your testimonies

For all my ways are before You O Lord

[NEXT VERSE] 169 Let my supplication draw near before You O Lord

Give me understanding according to Your teaching

[NEXT VERSE] 170 May my petition come before You

Deliver me according to Your teaching

[NEXT VERSE] 171 My lips shall overflow in song

When You teach me Your ordinances

[NEXT VERSE] 172 My tongue shall speak of Your teaching

For all Your commandments are righteousness

[NEXT VERSE] 173 Let Your hand be for saving me

For I chose Your commandments

[NEXT VERSE] 174 I long for Your salvation O Lord

And Your law is my meditation

[NEXT VERSE] 175 My soul shall live and praise You

And Your judgments shall help me

[NEXT VERSE] 176 I went astray like a lost sheep

Seek Your servant for I have not forgotten Your commandments