PSALM 37

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A psalm by David for remembrance concerning the Sabbath

OLord do not rebuke me in Your wrath Nor chasten me in Your anger

[NEXT VERSE] 3 For Your arrows are fixed in me

And Your hand rests on me

[NEXT VERSE] 4 There is no healing in my flesh because of Your wrath

There is no peace in my bones because of my sins

[NEXT VERSE] 5 For my transgressions rise up over my head

Like a heavy burden they are heavy on me

[NEXT VERSE] 6 My wounds grow foul and fester

Because of my folly

[NEXT VERSE] 7 I suffer misery and I am utterly bowed down

I go all the day long with a sad face

[NEXT VERSE] 8 For my loins are filled with mockeries

And there is no healing in my flesh

[NEXT VERSE] 9 I am afflicted and greatly humbled

I roar because of the groaning of my heart

[NEXT VERSE] 10 O Lord all my desire is before You

And my groaning is not hidden from You

[NEXT VERSE] 11 My heart is troubled my strength fails me

And the light of my eyes even this is not with me

[NEXT VERSE] 12 My friends and neighbors draw near and stand against me

And my near of kin stand far off

[NEXT VERSE] 13 And those who seek my soul use violence

And those who seek evil for me speak folly

And they meditate on deceit all the day long

[NEXT VERSE] 14 But I like a deaf man do not hear

And I am like a mute who does not open his mouth

[NEXT VERSE] 15 I am like a man who does not hear

And whohas noreproofs in his mouth

[NEXT VERSE] 16 For in You O Lord I hope

You will hear O Lord my God

[NEXT VERSE] 17 For I said Let not my enemies rejoice over me

For when my foot was shaken they boasted against me

[NEXT VERSE] 18 For I am ready for wounds

And my pain is continually with me

[NEXT VERSE] 19 For I will declare my transgression

And I will be anxious about my sin

[NEXT VERSE] 20 But my enemies live and are become stronger than I

And those who hate me unjustly are multiplied

[NEXT VERSE] 21 Those who repaid me evil for good

Slandered me because I pursue righteousness

And they threw away my love as though it were a stinking corpse

[NEXT VERSE] 22 Do not forsake me O Lord

O my God do not depart from me

[NEXT VERSE] 23 Give heed to help me

O Lord of my salvation