The Psalms of the Coptic Agpeya, as translated by Burmester

# Changes:

* Thou / Thy / Thine / ye / mine, etc., to modern form, including ending of following verb
* “eth” and “st” removed from verbs
* Remove italics, parentheses, asterisks, (Je) and footnotes
* Impious -> ungodly
* “: “ 🡪 “: “
* Roman numeral Psalm titles to Arabic
* Ps 118 headings from letters to numbers (could also switch to Hebrew letters)

Requested:

* Lo 🡪behold?
* Behold 🡪behold? Look/see?
* Shall 🡪will (unless imperative)?
* Wilt 🡪will?
* Amenti 🡪Hades?
* For ever 🡪Forever?
* Shew 🡪show
* Any more 🡪anymore
* Allophyloi 🡪 philistines? foreigners?
* Sion 🡪 Zion
* Fulness 🡪fullness?
* Wast 🡪were
* Privily 🡪privately?
* Every thing 🡪everything
* Sware -> Swore
* Wilt 🡪will
* Vivify 🡪revive?
* Any grammar form updates (e.g. take not 🡪 do not take)

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## Psalm 50

3 Have mercy upon me, God, according to Your great mercy, and according to the multitude of Your tender-mercies wipe out mine iniquities. 4 You shall wash me thoroughly from my iniquity and You shall purify me from my sin. 5 For I know my iniquity, and my sin is before me at all times. 6 Against You alone have I sinned, and I have done that which is evil before You: that You may be justified in Your words, and may prevail, when You shall be judging. 7 For, in iniquity was I conceived, and in sins my mother conceived me. 8 For, You have loved truth: those things which are hidden and those which are not revealed of Your wisdom You hast caused me to know. 9 You shall sprinkle upon me Your hyssop-wood; I shall be purified: 10 You shall wash me; I shall be whiter than snow. You shall cause me to hear joy and gladness: my bones which are humbled will rejoice. 11 Turn Your face away from my sins, God, and You shall wipe out all my iniquities. 12 A pure heart You shall create in me, God, a right spirit renew in my inward parts. 13 Cast me not away from Your face; and Your Holy Spirit take not from me. 14 Give to me the joy of Your salvation: and establish me with a guiding spirit. 15 I will instruct the lawless in Your ways; and the impious shall turn unto You. Save me from blood-guiltiness, God, God of my salvation: my tongue will rejoice in Your justice. 17 Lord, You shall open my lips; and my mouth will declare Your praise. 18 For, if You had desired sacrifice, I would also have given it: You have not taken pleasure in burnt-offerings. 19 The sacrifice of God is a contrite spirit: a contrite and humble heart, this despise not, God. 20 Do good, Lord, in Your good-pleasure to Sion; and let the walls of Jerusalem be built. 21 Then You will take pleasure in sacrifices of righteousness, and offering and burnt-offerings: then they shall offer up calves upon Your altar.

## Psalm 1

1 Blessed is the man who has not gone in the counsel of the impious, nor stood in the way of the sinners, nor sat in the seat of the pestilent: 2 but his desire is the Law of the Lord; meditating on His Law day and night. 3 And he will be as the tree planted beside channels of water, which will give its fruits in its season, and its foliage will not fall: all things which he does, he prospers in them. 4 Not thus, the impious, not thus, but they are as the dust which the wind separates from upon the face of the earth. 5 Therefore, the impious will not rise up in the judgement, nor the sinners in the counsel of the righteous. 6 For the Lord knows the way of the righteous: the way of the impious will perish.

## Psalm 2

1 Why have the nations cried out, and the peoples meditated on vanities? 2 The kings of the earth have stood up, and the rulers also have gathered together to fight against the Lord, and to fight against His Christ. 3 Let us break their bonds, and let us cast also their yoke from upon us. 4 He who dwells in the heavens will deride them, and the Lord will sneer at them. 5 Then He will speak with them in His anger, and in His wrath He will vex them. 6 But I, the Lord, have set me up a king through Him upon Sion, His holy mountain, 7 to proclaim the commandments of the Lord. The Lord said to me: You are my son. I have begotten you today. 8 Ask of me, that I may give to you the nations for your heritage, and your possession unto the ends of the earth. 9 You will pasture them with an iron rod, and you will crush them as a clay vessel. 10 Now, kings, understand and be instructed, everyone who judges the earth. 11 Serve the Lord in fear: and rejoice Him with trembling. 12 Take hold of instruction, lest the Lord be angered and you perish from off the way of righteousness, should His anger burn swiftly. Blessed is everyone who trusts in Him.

## Psalm 3

2 Lord, why have those who afflict me increased? Many have arisen against me. 3 There are many who say to my soul, there is no salvation for him in his god. 4 But You, Lord, You are my protector, my glory and the elevation of my head. 5 With my voice I have cried unto the Lord, and He heard me from His holy mountain. 6 But I laid down and I slept and I arose; for the Lord is He who protects me. 7 I shall not fear in the presence of a multitude of ten thousands, those who surround me, who rise up against me. 8 Arise, Lord, save me, my God, for You have smitten everyone who is an enemy unto me in vain. The teeth of the sinners, Thou hast trampled upon them. 9 Salvation belongs to the Lord, and His blessing is upon His people.

## Psalm 4

When I cried out, the God of my righteousness heard me. In affliction You have dilated me: be pitiful towards me, Lord, and hear my prayer. 3 Sons of men, until when are your hearts slow? Why do you love vanity and seek after falsehood? 4 Know that the Lord has caused His Holy One to be wonderful. The Lord will hear me in my crying unto Him. 5 Be angry and sin not: those things which you say in your, hearts, grieve over them upon your couch. 6 Sacrifice a righteous sacrifice: trust in the Lord. 7 There are many who say to my soul: Who will show us good things? The light of Your countenance is marked upon us, Lord. 8 You have given gladness to my heart. They have been increased by the fruit of their corn and wine and oil. 9 In peace together I will lie down and I will sleep: for You alone, Lord, You have caused me to be in hope.

## Psalm 5

2 Hearken, Lord, to my words and understand my cry. 3 Attend to the voice of my supplication, my King and my God: for You it is unto Whom I shall pray, Lord. 4 In the early morning You will hear my voice: in the morning, I will present myself before You: You will see me. 5 For You are a God Who desires not iniquity; neither will he abide in You who does evil; 6 nor will the transgressors be established before Your eyes. Lord, You have hated everyone who workes iniquity. 7 You will destroy everyone who speaks falsehood: a man of blood and guile the Lord abhors. 8 But I, according to the multitude of Your mercy, I will enter into Your House; I will worship before Your holy Temple in Your fear. 9 Lord, guide me in Your righteousness on account of my enemies; make straight my way before You. 10 For truth is not in their mouths; vanity is their heart: an open sepulchre is their throat; they are guileful with their tongue. 11 Judge them, God: let them fail by all their counsels: according to the multitude of their iniquities, wipe them out, for they have angered Your, Lord. 12 And let everyone be glad who trusts in You: they will rejoice unto age, and You will dwell in them. And all those who love Your Name will boast in You, 13 for You have blest the righteous. Lord, as an arm of good-will, You hast placed a crown upon us.

## Psalm 6

2 Lord, rebuke me not in Thine anger, neither correct me in Thy wrath. 3 Have mercy upon me, Lord, for I am weak: heal me, Lord, for my bones are vexed. 4 And my soul is exceedingly vexed: but Thou, Lord, until when? 5 Turn, save my soul: revive me on account of Thy mercy. 6 For there is not he who is in death who remembereth Thee. But who will be able to confess Thee in Amenti ? 7 I am wearied with my groaning; I will wash my bed every night. With my tears I will drench my sleeping-mat. 8 Mine eye hath become troubled through anger; I have become old through all mine enemies. 9 Withdraw ye from me, everyone who worketh iniquity, for the Lord hath heard the voice of my weeping. 10 The Lord hath heard my entreaty, the Lord hath received my prayer. 11 All my enemies will be ashamed and vexed exceedingly: they will turn back and they will be ashamed exceedingly of a sudden.

## Psalm 10

1 I have put my trust in the Lord, how say ye to my soul that I shall betake myself to the mountains as a sparrow? 2 For, lo, the sinners have bent their bows, they have prepared arrows in their quivers to draw them in concealment against those who are upright in their heart. 3 For those things which Thou hast prepared, they have put down, but the righteous, what is it that he hath done? 4 The Lord is in His holy Temple: the throne of the Lord is set in the heaven. His eyes look upon the poor; His eyelids examine the sons of men. 5 The Lord shall examine the righteous and the impious; but he who loveth violence, hateth his soul. 6 He shall rain snares upon the sinners; fire and sulphur and a tempestuous wind, this is the portion of their cup. 7 For righteous is the Lord, and righteousness is that which He hath loved: His face beholdeth with equity.

## Psalm 11

2 Revive me, Lord, for he who is holy ceaseth, and the righteous diminish from among the sons of men. 3 Everyone speaketh in vanity with his neighbour, deceitful lips in their hearts, and they have spoken from their hearts. 4 The Lord shall wipe out every guileful lip and tongue speaking boastfulness: 5 These who have said: We will exalt our tongues: our lips are our own: who is he who is lord for us? 6 By reason of the misery of the poor and the groaning of those who are afflicted, now will I arise, saith the Lord, I will be in salvation and I will manifest Myself in it. 7 the words of the Lord are pure words; molten silver tried on the earth, purified seven times. 8 But Thou, Lord, wilt save us and wilt guard us from this generation and unto age. 9 The impious will walk in a circle; according to Thy exaltedness Thou hast caused the sons of men to be long-lived.

## Psalm 13

2 Until when, then, Lord, dost Thou forget me for ever? Until when, then, dost Thou turn Thy face away from me? 3 Until when, then, shall I set these counsels in my soul, and these griefs in my heart all the day? Until when, then, doth mine enemy exalt himself over me? 4 Behold, hearken to me, Lord my God: enlighten mine eyes lest I sleep in death. 5 lest mine enemy say, I have prevailed against him. Those who afflict me will rejoice when I am moved. 6 But I, I have trusted in Thy mercy; my heart will rejoice in Thy salvation. I will sing to the Lord Who hath done good to me and I will sing to the Name of the Lord Who is exalted.

## Psalm 14

1 Lord, who shall be able to abide in Tny dwelling-place? Or who shall rest upon Thy holy mountain, 2 except he who walketh in blamelessness, working righteousness, speaking truth in his heart? 3 He who hath not deceived with his tongue, and hath not done evil to his fellow and hath not taken up a reproach against his neighbours. 4 He is despised before him who doeth evil; but he giveth glory to those who fear the Lord. He who taketh an oath to his fellow and doth not deny it. 5 His silver he hath not given .at interest, and hath not received rewards against those who are innocent. He who doeth these things shall not be moved unto age.

## Psalm 15

1 Guard me, Lord, for I have trusted in Thee. 2 I said to the Lord: Thou art my Lord; of my goods Thou hast not need. 3 He hath shewn His wonders to those who are holy, who are on His earth, and He hath wrought all His desires in them. 4 Their sicknesses have multiplied, after these things they have hastened. I will not assemble at their synagogues of blood, nor will I remember their names with my lips. The portion of mine inheritance and my cup is the Lord: Thou it is who shall return mine inheritance to me. 6 Measuring cords have fallen to me among those who hold fast; for also mine inheritance hath been made firm for me. 7 I will bless the Lord Who hath given understanding to me: and, moreover, even until night my reins will give instruction to me. 8 I have seen the Lord before me at all times, being at the right of me that I be not moved. 9 Therefore my heart is glad and my tongue rejoiceth; and, moreover, even my flesh also shall be in hope. 10 For Thou wilt not leave behind my soul in Amenti, neither wilt Thou give Thy Holy One to see corruption. 11 The ways of life, Thou hast instructed me in them: Thou wilt fill me with gladness with Thy face: he is content who is at Thy right hand unto age.

## Psalm 18

2 The heavens declare the glory of God, the firmament proclaimeth the creation of His hands. 3 Day uttereth speech unto day: the night sheweth forth knowledge unto night. 4 There are not words neither are there speeches: there are not those who will hear their voice. 5 Their sound hath gone over all the face of the earth and their words have reached unto the ends of inhabited world. 6 His dwelling is set in the sun; and it as a bridegroom cometh forth from its bridechamber, and it will rejoice as a giant running on his way. 7 From the ends of the heaven is its going forth, and its goal unto the ends of the heaven. There is not he who is able to hide from its heat. 8 The Law of the Lord is pure, restoring souls: the testimony of the Lord is faithful, instructing little children. 9 The statutes of the Lord are right, giving gladness to the heart. The commandment of the Lord is a light from afar, giving light to the eyes. 10 The fear of the Lord is pure, it abideth unto age of the ages. The judgements of the Lord are true, they are justified altogether. 11 The desires of His heart are more exquisite than gold and the stone which is of great price, and they are sweeter than honey and the honeycomb. 12 For, moreover, it is Thy servant who will guard them; and in guarding them there is great reward. 13 Who is he who is able to understand transgressions? Purify me, Lord, from those which are hidden in me, 14 from those which are not mine restrain Thy servant. If they have not dominion over me, then I shall be pure, and I shall be purified from great sin. 15 All the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart will be in assent before Thee at all times. The Lord is my helper and my redeemer.

## Psalm 24

1 I have lifted up my soul unto Thee, Lord. 2 My God, I have put my trust in Thee; cause me not to be ashamed, neither cause mine enemies to laugh at me. 3 For, moreover, all who wait upon Thee will not be ashamed: let those who work iniquity be ashamed in vain. 4. Thy ways, Lord, shew them to me; teach me Thy paths. 5 Guide me to Thy truth and teach me ; for Thou art God my Saviour; I have waited upon Thee all the day. 6 Be mindful, Lord, of Thy tender-mercies and Thy mercies, for they are from the age. 7 The sins of my youth and those of my ignorance, remember them not: according to Thy mercy remember me, on account of goodness, Lord. 8 For good and upright is the Lord: therefore He will teach the Law to those who sin in the way. 9 He will guide the meek in judgment: He will teach the meek His paths. 10 For all the paths of the Lord are mercy and truth for those who seek after His covenant and His testimonies. 11 On account of Thy Name, Lord, Thou wilt forgive unto me my sin, for it is great. 12 Who is the man who feareth the Lord? He will teach the Law to him in the way which He hath pleased. 13 His soul will be in good things; his seed will inherit land. 14. The Lord is strength to those who fear Him, and the Name of the Lord belongeth to those who fear Him, and He will shew His covenant to them. 15 Mine eyes look unto the Lord at all times, for it is He Who will draw forth my feet from the snare. 16 Look upon me 'and have mercy upon me, for I am an only son, and I am poor. 17 The afflictions of my heart have multiplied: bring me out of my distresses. 18 Behold my humility and my labour; forgive unto me all my sins. 19 See mine enemies, for they have multiplied, and they have hated me with a violent hatred. 20 Guard my soul and save me: cause me not to be ashamed, for I have trusted in Thee. 21 The innocent and the upright have cleaved to me, for I have waited upon Thee, Lord. 22 God, redeem Israel out of all his affliction.

## Psalm 26

1 The Lord is my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear? The Lord is He Who provideth for my safety; of whom shall I be fearful? 2 In drawing nigh to me to eat of my flesh, those who vex me, even those who afflict me and mine enemies, became sick and they fell. 3 If a camp be drawn up against me, my heart will not fear: if a war rise up against me, in this will I hope. 4 One thing is that which I asked of the Lord, this also is what I will seek after; that I may dwell in the House of the Lord all the days of my life" to see the delightfulness of the Lord, and to visit His holy Temple. 5 For He hid me in His tabernacle in the day of my evils: He made a covering over me in the hidden place of His tabernacle. He hath exalted me upon a rock. 6 And now, 10, He hath exalted my head over mine enemies: I went round and I sacrificed in His tabernacle a sacrifice of shouting; I will sing and I will chant to the Lord. 7 Hear, Lord, my voice with which I have cried: have mercy upon me and hear me. 8 For Thou art he to Whom my heart said: I have sought Thy face: Thy face, Lord, it is which I will seek. 9 Turn not Thy face from me, and turn not away from Thy servant in anger: be to me a helper and forsake me not; disregard me not, God my Saviour. 10 For my father and my mother it was who forsook me, but the Lord it was Who took me to Himself. 11 Teach the Law to me, Lord, in Thy way, and guide me in the straight way on account of mine enemies. 12 Give me not over to the souls of those who afflict me, for there have risen up against me unjust witnesses, and injustice hath spoken falsehood to itself. 13 I win believe to see the good things of the Lord in the land of those who are alive. 14 Wait on the Lord: find strength: let thy heart be strengthened, and wait on the Lord.

## Psalm 62

2 God, my God, early will I come unto Thee, for my soul hath thirsted for Thee, that my flesh may blossom forth for Thee in a desert land and pathless place and a waterless place; 3 accordingly, I have shewn myself to Thee in that which is holy to see Thy power and Thy glory. 4 For Thy mercy is more choice than the ways of life: my lips will praise Thee. 5 Accordingly, I will bless Thee in my life: I will lift up my hands in Thy Name. 6 As with marrow and fat will my soul be satisfied: lips of joyfulness will praise Thy Name. 7 I was remembering Thee upon my sleeping-mat: I was wont to meditate on Thee in the morning hours. 8 For Thou hast been to me a helper, and I shall rejoice under the shadow of Thy wings. 9 My soul is cleft behind Thee, but as for me, Thy right hand hath taken me unto it. 10 But they have sought after my soul in vain. They will go into the lower places of the earth. 11 They will be given into the hand of the sword: they will become portions for foxes. 12 But the king will rejoice in God: all who swear by Him will be praised, for the mouth of those who speak falsehoods will be closed.

## Psalm 66

2 God will have pity upon us, and He will bless us, and He will shew His face upon us and He will have mercy upon us: 3 to make known Thy way upon earth and Thy salvation among all the nations. It Let the peoples confess Thee, God, let all the peoples confess Thee. 5 Let the nations be glad and rejoice, for Thou wilt judge the peoples with equity, and Thou wilt guide nations upon the earth. 6 Let the peoples confess to Thee, God, let all the peoples confess to Thee. 7 The earth hath given its fruit. God, our God, will bless us. 8 God will bless us. Let all the ends of the earth fear Him.

## Psalm 69

God, give heed speedily to my help: Lord, help me. 3 Let them be ashamed and be scorned who seek after my soul: let them be turned backward and be ashamed. who desire to do that which is evil to me. It Let them be turned forthwith ashamed who say to me: Well! Well! 5 Let them rejoice and be glad in Thee, all who seek after Thee, Lord; let them who love Thy salvation say at all times: Let the Lord be magnified! 6 But I am poor and weak; Goel, help me. Thou art my helper and my Saviour: Lord, delay not.

## Psalm 112

1 Praise the Lord, children, praise the Name of the Lord. 2 Let the Name of the Lord be blessed from now and unto age. 3 From the risings of the sun until its settings, praise the Name of the Lord. 4 The Lord is exalted over all the nations, and His glory, in the heavens. 5 'Who is like unto the Lord, our God, Who dwelleth in the heights, 6 and looketh upon the lowly parts in the heaven and upon earth? 7 He Who raiseth up a poor man from the earth and lift.eth up from a dung-hill him who asketh alms, 8 that He may seat him with the rulers and the rulers of His people. 9 He Who causeth a barren woman to be in a house, a rejoicing mother of sons.

## Psalm 142

1 Lord, hear my prayer: hearken to my supplication in Thy truth: hear me in Thy justice. 2 Enter not into judgment with Thy servant, for none living will be justified before Thee. 3 For the enemy hath pursued after my soul: he hath humbled my life unto the earth: he hath caused me to sit in a dark place, as one eternally dead. 4 My spirit hath become painful for me: my heart is troubled within me. 5 I have been mindful of the ancient days: I have meditated on all Thy works, and I was meditating on the creation of Thy hands. 6 I spread upwards my hands towards Thee: my soul hath become as a waterless land for Thee. 7 Hear me speedily, Lord, for my spirit hath failed. Turn not Thy face from me ; and I become as those who go into the pit. 8 Let me hear Thy mercy in the morning, for I have trusted in Thee. Instruct me, Lord, in the way in which I should walk, for I have lifted up my soul towards Thee. 9 Save me from the hands of mine enemies, Lord, for I have fled towards Thee. 10 Teach me to do Thy will, for Thou art my God. Let Thy Holy Spirit guide me in that which is upright. 11 On account of Thy Name, Lord, revive me in Thy truth: Thou wilt bring my soul out of affliction: 12 And in Thy mercy Thou wilt wipe out mine enemies; Thou wilt destroy all who afflict my soul, for I am Thy servant.

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## Psalm 19

2 The Lord will hear thee in the day of thy affliction, the Name of the God of Jacob will defend thee. 3 He will send to thee help from the sanctuary: He will support thee out of Sion. 4 He will be mindful of all the sacrifices, and thy burnt-offerings are fat to Him. 5 The Lord will give to thee according to thy heart, and He will fulfil for thee all thy counsel. 6 We shall confess to Thee, Lord, in Thy salvation, and we shall be magnified in the Name of our ,God. 7 The Lord will fulfil all thy petitions. Now I know that the Lord hath saved His anointed: He will hear him from His holy heaven: the salvation of His right hand is prowesses. 8 These rust in chariots and these in horses, but we shall be magnified in the Name of the Lord our God. 9 They are fettered and they are fallen, but we are risen and we have stood up. 10 Lord, save Thy king, and hear us in the day in which we cry unto Thee.

## Psalm 22

1 The Lord is He Who will shepherd me, He will not cause me to be in want of anything. 2 He hath caused me to be in a verdant place: He hath nourished me beside the water of rest. 3 He hath restored my soul: . He hath guided me in the ways of truth on account of His Name. It Though I should walk in the midst of the shadow of death, I shall not fear evils, for Thou art with me: Thy rod and Thy staff, they are the things which have fortified me. 5 Thou hast prepared a table before me, before those who afflict me: Thou hast anointed my head with oil; my cup is inebriating as power. 6 And Thy mercy will follow me all the days of my life, and my dwelling will be in the House of the Lord unto far-reaching days.

## Psalm 23

The earth belongeth to the, Lord and its fulness: the inhabited world and everything which is in it. 2 He hath laid the foundation of it upon the waters, and He hath prepared it upon the rivers. 3 Who will be able to ascend upon the mountain of the Lord, or who will be able to stand in His holy place? It he who is clean in his hands, who is pure in his heart; who hath not brought his soul into vanity, nor hath sworn in guile to his fellow. 5 This one will receive a blessing from the Lord, and compassion from God his Saviour. 6 This is the generation of those who seek the Lord, who seek the face of the God of Jacob. 7 Raise up your gates, rulers, lift up yourselves, eternal gates: and the King of Glory will come in. 8 Who, then, is this King of Glory? The Lord Who is mighty, to Whom there is strength: the Lord Who is strong in the battles. 9 Raise up your gates, rulers, and lift up yourselves, eternal gates, and the Lord of Glory will come in. 10 Who, then, is this King of Glory? The Lord of hosts, He is the King of Glory.

## Psalm 25

1 Judge me, Lord, for I have walked in mine integrity: I have trusted in the Lord: I shall not be sick. 2 Prove me, Lord, and try me: set fire to my heart and my reins. 3 For Thy mercy is before mine eyes, and I have been pleased in Thy truth. 4 I have not sat with a vain assembly, and I shall not enter with transgressors. 5 The congregation of the evil-doers I have hated, and I shall not sit with the impious. 6 I shall wash my hand among those who are holy, and I shall compass Thine altar, Lord, 7 that I may hear the voice of Thy praise, and that I may declare all Thy wonders. 8 Lord, I have loved the beauty of Thy House and the place of the dwelling of Thy Glory. 9 Destroy not my soul with that of the impious, and my life with men of blood. 10 Those in whose hands is iniquity, and their right hand is full of bribes. 11 But I, I shall walk in mine integrity: save me and have mercy upon me; 12 for my foot hath stood in rectitude: I shall bless Thee, Lord, in the churches.

## Psalm 28

1 Bear unto the Lord, sons of God, bear unto the Lord the young of rams: bear unto the Lord glory and honour. 2 Bear unto the Lord glory to His Name: worship the Lord in His holy court. 3 The voice of the Lord is upon the waters: the God of glory hath thundered; the Lord is upon many waters. 4 The voice of the Lord is in strength; the voice of the Lord is in great beauty. 5 The voice of the Lord will crush the cedar. The Lord will crush the cedar of the Lebanon, 6 and He will cause them to be slender as the calf of the Lebanon: and the beloved as a son of the unicorns. 7 The voice of the Lord will cleave a flame of fire. 8 The voice of the Lord will shake the desert; the Lord will shake the desert of Cades. 9 The voice of the Lord will make ready the hinds, and He will lay bare forests: it is everyone who saith « Glory» in His holy Temple. 10 The Lord is in the flood: the Lord will sit, being King unto age. 11 The Lord will give strength to His people: the Lord will bless His people with peace.

## Psalm 29

I will exalt Thee, Lord, for Thou hast accepted me, and Thou hast not caused mine enemies to rejoice over me. 3 Lord, my God, I have cried unto Thee, and Thou hast healed me. 4 Lord, Thou hast brought my soul up from Amenti, and Thou hast saved me from the hands of those who go down to the pit. 5 Sing to the Lord, all Saints of His, and confess the remembrance of His holiness. 6 For there is anger in His wrath, and life in His will: at night, there will be weeping, and, in the morning, joy. 7 But I, I said in my prosperity, that I shall not be moved unto age. 8 Lord, in Thy will, Thou hast given strength to my beauty: Thou hast turned Thy face away from me and I shall become troubled. 9 I cry unto the Lord, and I shall pray to my God. 10 What is the profit of my blood when I go down to destruction? Will earth confess Thee, or will it be able to declare Thy truth? 11 The Lord hath heard and hath had mercy upon me. The Lord hath become for me a helper. 12 Thou hast turned for me my mourning into rejoicing; Thou hast rent my sackcloth and Thou hast girded me with joyfulness, 13 in order that my glory may sing to Thee, and that I shall not be troubled at heart. Lord, my God, I will confess Thee unto age.

## Psalm 33

I will bless the Lord at all times: at all times His praise shall be in my mouth. 3 My soul will pride itself in the Lord. Let the meek hear and be glad. a Give greatness to the Lord with me, and let us exalt His Name together. 5 I have sought the Lord, and He hath heard me, and He hath delivered me from all my dwelling-places. 6 Come unto Him that ye maybe enlightened, and that your faces be not ashamed. 7 This is the poor man who cried out, and the Lord heard him: He saved him from all his afflictions. 8 The angel of the Lord encampeth around everyone who feareth Him, and he will deliver them. 9 Taste, see that the Lord is sweetness: blessed is the man who trusteth in Him. 10 Fear the Lord, all Saints of His, for those who fear Him will not be in want of anything. 11 The rich have become poor and have hungered, but those who seek the Lord will not be in want of any good things. 12 Come, my sons, hear ken to me, that I may teach you the fear of the Lord. 13 Who is' the man who desireth life, and thinketh to see good days? 14 Cause thy tongue to desist from that which is evil, and thy lips from speaking guile. 15 Turn away from that which is evil and do that which is good: seek after peace and pursue it. 16 For the eyes of the Lord are upon the just, and His ears are inclined to their prayers. 17 But the face of the Lord is upon those who do that which is evil, that He may wipe out the remembrance of them from upon the earth. 18 The just have cried out: the Lord hath heard them, and He will deliver them from all their afflictions. 19 The Lord is nigh to those who are contrite in their heart; and those who are humble in their spirit He will deliver. 20 Many are the afflictions of the just: the Lord will deliver them out of them all. 21 The Lord will guard all their bones: not one of them will perish. 22 The death of the "sinners is evil, and those who hate the just man will be held guilty. 23 The Lord will save the soul of His servants, and none of them who trust in Him will be held guilty.

## Psalm 40

Blessed is he who attendeth to a poor man and a wretched one ; in the evil day the Lord will deliver him. 3 The Lord will guard him, He will keep him alive, and He will make him blessed upon the earth, and He will not give him into the hands of his enemies. 6. The Lord will help him upon the bed of his grief: all his couch Thou hast turned in his sickness. 5 I, I said, saying: Lord, have mercy upon me: heal my soul for I have sinned against Thee. 6 Mine enemies have said to me evil things saying: When will he die, and his name perish? 7 He was coming in to see me, he was speaking vanity, and his heart gathered to him iniquity; he was going out, and he was speaking 8 against me at once. All mine enemies have whispered against me: they have devised against me evil things. 9 And a transgresing word is that which they have established against me: will he who sleepeth rise any more? 10 For, also, the man of my peace in whom I trusted, who eateth my bread, hath lifted up his heel against me. 11 But Thou, Lord, have mercy upon me, and raise me up: I shall requite them. 12 By this I knew that Thou hast desired me, that mine enemy will not rejoice at me. 13 But I, on account of mine integrity, Thou hast accepted me, and Thou hast established me before Thee unto age. 16. Blessed is the Lord God of Israel from the age unto age. So be it! So be it!

## Psalm 42

1 Judge me, God, and take vengeance of my cause against an impure nation; and from an iniquitous and guileful man save me. 2 For Thou art my God, my strength; why hast Thou rejected me? Why shall I walk rueful, when mine enemy afflicteth me? 3 Send Thy light and Thy truth, for they are those which have guided me, and they have brought me up upon Thy holy mountain, and into Thy dwelling-place. 6. shall go in unto the altar of God, before the face of God Who hath given the joy of my youth: I will confess Thee, God, my God, with a harp. 5 Why art thou oppressed, my soul? Why dost thou trouble me? Trust in God; for I shall confess Him: the health of my countenance is my God.

## Psalm 44

My heart hath welled up with a good matter; I will declare my works to the king: my tongue is a pen of a keen-writing scribe. 3 Beauty is in his youth more than the sons of men: grace is poured into thy lips; on account of this God hath blessed thee unto age. 6. Gird thy sword upon thy thigh, thou to whom there is power, in thy youth and thy beauty, 5 stretch, attain, reign, on account of truth, meekness and justice thy right hand will guide thee wonderously. 6 Thine arrows are sharp, thou to whom there is power, peoples fall under thee, they are in the heart of the enemies of the king. 7 Thy God, abideth unto age of the age, a rod of equity is the rod of thy kingdom. 8 For thou hast loved truth and thou hast hated iniquity; on account of this, God, thy God, hath anointed thee with oil of gladness more than those who are beside thee. 9 Thy garments smell of myrrh and stacte and cassia: from heavy ivories with which they have caused thee to be glad. 10 The daughters of the kings are in thine honour: the queen stood at the right of thee in clothing inwrought with gold and adorned in variegated manner. 11 Hear, my daughter, see, incline thine ear; forget thy people and all the house of thy fatber, 12 for the king hath desired thy beauty, because he is thy lord. 13 And the daughters of Tyre will worship him with gifts,. and the rich of the people of the earth shall entreat thy face. 1a All glory is to the daughter of the king within, adorned with fringes inwrought with gold in variegated manner. 15 Virgins will be brought unto the king behind her; all her companions will be brought in unto him. 16 They will be brought in with gladness and joy: they will be brought in to the temple of the king. 17 Instead of fathers, there shall be to thee sons: thou wilt make them rulers upon all the earth. 18 They will remember thy name in every generation and generation: on account of this the peoples will confess Thee, God, unto age and unto age of the ages.

## Psalm 45

2 Our God is our refuge and our strength: He is our help in our afflictions which come upon us speedily. 3 On account of this, we shall not be afraid though the earth be disturbed, and the mountains be removed into the heart of the seas. 4 The waters have roared and are disturbed: the mountains are disturbed by His power. 5 The impetuousities of the river will cause to be glad the city of God: He Who is exalted hath sanctified His dwelling-place. 6 And God will not be moved in her midst: God will help her face. 7 Nations have been troubled, and kingdoms have tottered: He hath uttered His voice, and the earth hath been moved. 8 The Lord God of the powers is with us: our strength is the God of Jacob. 9 Come that ye may see the works of God, the, wonders which He hath established upon the earth: 10 Who maketh wars to cease unto the ends of the earth: He will crush their bows, and He will split their weapons, and their shields also He will burn in the fire. 11 Be at leisure and know that I am God: I shall be exalted among the nations, and I shall be exalted upon the earth. 12 The Lord of powers is with us: our supporter is the God of Jacob.

## Psalm 46

All nations, clap your hands: shout aloud to God with a joyful voice. 3 For the Lord is exalted and He is fearful: He is a great king upon all the earth. It Peoples He will cause to be subdued to us, and nations under our feet. 5 He hath chosen for us His heritage, the beauty of Jacob which He hath loved. 6 God hath ascended with a shout, and the Lord with a sound of a trumpet. 7 Sing to our God, sing. Sing to our King, sing. 8 For the Lord is King of all the earth. Sing with understanding, 9 For the Lord hath reigned over all the nations; God sitteth upon His holy throne. 10 Rulers of peoples have assembled with the God of Abraham, for those who are strong in God have been exceedingly exalted upon the earth.

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## Psalm 53

3 God, save me by Thy Name: judge me in Thy strength. It God, hear my prayer,. hearken to all the words of my mouth. 5 For strangers have risen up against me; and the strong have sought after my soul: they have not set God before them. 6 Lo, God will help me, and the Lord is the supporter of my soul. 7 He shall requite the evil to mine enemies: and in Thy truth wipe them out. 8 Willingly will I sacrifice to Thee: I will confess Thy Name, Lord. 9 For Thou hast delivered me from every affliction; and mine eye hath looked upon mine enemies.

## Psalm 56

2 Have mercy upon me, God, and have mercy upon me, for my soul hath trusted in Thee, and I will have confidence beneath the shadow of Thy wings until the iniquity passeth. 3 I will cry unto God Who is exalted: Who hath done that which is good to me. 4 He hath sent forth from the heaven, and He hath delivered me, and those who trample upon me He hath given over to scorn. God hath sent forth His mercy and His truth. 5 He hath delivered my soul from the midst of lion-cubs. I slept, being disturbed: the sons of men, their teeth are weapons and arrows, and their tongue is a whetted sword. 6 Be exalted, God, above the heavens; and Thy glory over all the earth. 7 They have prepared snares for my feet, and they have bowed down my soul: they have dug a pit before me, and they have fallen into it. 8 My heart is prepared, God, my heart is prepared. I will sing, I will chant in my glory. 9 Rise up, my glory, rise psaltery and harp. I will. rise early. 10 I will confess to Thee, Lord, among the peoples: I will sing to Thee among the nations. 11 For Thy mercy is magnified unto the heavens, and Thy truth unto the clouds. 12 Be exalted, God, above the heavens; and Thy glory over all the earth.

## Psalm 60

2 Hear, God, my supplication; attend unto my prayer. 3 From the ends of the earth I have cried aloud unto Thee, when my heart was grieved. Thou hast exalted me upon a rock: Thou hast led. 4 Thou hast been for me a helper and a tower of strength from the face of the enemy. 5 I will abide in Thy dwelling-place unto age; I will shelter beneath the covering of Thy wings. 6 For Thou, God, Thou hast heard my prayers: Thou hast given a heritage to those who fear Thy Name. 7 Days upon days of the king Thou shalt add to his years, unto days of generation and generation. 8 And he shall abide unto age before God. His mercy and His truth, who hath sought after them? 9 Thus I will sing to His Name unto age of the ages, that I may offer my prayers day after day.

## Psalm 62

2 God, my God, early will I come into Thee, for my soul hath thirsted for Thee, that my flesh may blossom forth for Thee in a desert land and pathless place and a waterless place; 3 accordingly, I have shewn myself to Thee in that which is holy to see Thy power and Thy glory. 4 For Thy mercy is more choice than the ways of life: my lips will praise Thee. 5 Accordingly, I will bless Thee in my life: I will lift up my hands in Thy Name. 6 As with marrow and fat with my soul be satisfied: lips of joyfulness will praise Thy Name. 7 I was remembering Thee upon my sleeping-mat: I was wont to meditate on Thee in the morning hours. 8 For Thou hast been to me a helper, and I shall rejoice under the shadow of Thy wings. 9 My soul is cleft behind Thee, but as for me, Thy right hand hath taken me unto it. 10 But they have sought after my soul in vain. They will go into the lower places of the earth. 11 They will be given into the hand of the sword: they will become portions for foxes. 12 But the king will rejoice in God: all who swear by Him will be praised, for the mouth of those who speak falsehoods will be closed.

## Psalm 66

2 God will have pity upon us, and He will bless us: He will show His face upon us and He will have mercy upon us: 3 to make known His way upon earth and His salvation among all the nations. 4 Let the peoples confess Thee, God, let all the peoples confess Thee. 5 Let the nations be glad and rejoice, for Thou wilt judge the peoples with equity, and Thou wilt guide nations upon the earth.6 Let the peoples confess to Thee, God, let all the peoples confess to Thee. 7 For the earth hath given its fruits. God, our God, will bless us. 8 And God will bless us. Let all the ends of the earth fear Him.

## Psalm 69

2 God, give heed speedily to my help: Lord, help me. 3 Let them be ashamed and be scorned who seek after my soul: let them be turned backward and be ashamed who desire to do that which is evil to me. 4 Let them be turned forthwith ashamed who say to me: Well! Well! 5 Let them be glad and rejoice in Thee, all those who seek after Thee; let them who love Thy salvation say at all times: Let the Lord be magnified! 6 But I am poor and weak; God, help me. For Thou art my helper and my Saviour: Lord delay not.

## Psalm 83

2 How worthy of love are Thy dwelling-places, Lord, God of the powers. 3 My soul yearneth and faileth to enter to the courts of the Lord: my heart and my flesh have rejoiced in the living God. 4 For also a sparrow hath found him a house, and a turtle-dove a nest for herself, to lay her young:: Thine altars, Lord, God of the powers, my King and my God. 5 Blessed are all who dwell in Thy House: they shall praise Thee unto age of the ages. 6 Blessed is the man whose support is from Thee, Lord: he hath established high ways in his heart; 7 in a valley of weeping, in the place in which he hath established it. For also the law-giver shall give blessings: 8 they shall go from strength to strength: the God of the gods shall appear in Sion. 9 Lord, God of the powers, hear my prayer: hearken, God of Jacob. 10 Behold, God, our defender, and look upon the face of Thy Christ. 11 For a day in Thy courts is better than thousands: I have chosen to abase myself in the House of God, rather than to dwell in the tents of the sinners. 12 For the Lord God loveth mercy and truth, glory and grace He will give: the Lord will not cause those who walk in innocence to be lacking in good things. 13 Lord, God of the powers, blessed is the man who trusteth in Thee.

## Psalm 84

2 Lord, Thou hast been pleased with Thy land: Thou hast brought back the captivity of Jacob. 3 Thou hast forgiven the iniquities of thy people: Thou hast covered over all their sins. 4 Thou hast taken away all Thine anger: Thou hast turned away from anger of Thy wrath. Turn us, God of our salvation, and turn Thy wrath from us. 6 Wilt Thou be angry with us unto age? Or wilt Thou draw out Thine anger from generation to generation? 7 Thou, God, Thou wilt turn, Thou wilt revive us, and Thy people shall be glad in Thee. 8 Make known to us, Lord, Thy mercy, and grant to us Thy salvation. 9 I will hear what it is which the Lord will say in me, for He will speak peace unto His people and unto His Saints and those who will turn to Him with their heart. 10 Nevertheless, His salvation is nigh to everyone who feareth Him, that glory may dwell in our land. 11 Mercy and truth have met together; justice and peace have grasped hands with one another. 12 Truth hath arisen from the earth, and justice hath looked forth from the heaven. For also the Lord shall give kindness, and our land shall give its fruit. 14 Truth shall go before Him, and shall set His footsteps in the way.

## Psalm 85

1 Incline Thine ear, Lord, and hear me, for I am poor and weak. 2 Guard my soul; for I am pure: save Thy servant, my God, who trusteth in Thee. 3 Have mercy upon me, Lord, for I have cried aloud unto Thee all the day. 4 Make glad the soul of Thy servant, for I have lifted up my soul unto Thee, Lord. 5 For Thou art kind, Lord: Thou art patient: plenteous is Thy mercy to everyone who crieth unto Thee. 6 Give ear, Lord, to my prayer: pay heed to the voice of my supplication. 7 In the day of my affliction I cried aloud unto Thee, for Thou hast heard me. 8 There is not who is like to Thee among the gods, Lord; and there is not who shall be able to do according to Thy works. 9 All the nations which Thou hast made shall come: they shall worship before Thee, Lord, and they shall give glory unto Thy Name unto age. 10 For Thou art great, and Thou doest wonders. Thou art God alone Who is great. 11 Guide me, Lord, in Thy way, and I will walk in Thy truth. Let my heart be glad to fear Thy Name. 12 I will confess to Thee, Lord, my God, with all my heart, and I will give glory unto Thy Name unto age. 13 For great is Thy mercy towards me; and Thou hast delivered my soul from the Under-Amenti. God, transgressors are they who have risen against me, and a synagogue of the powerful hath sought after my soul; they have not set Thee before them. 15 But Thou, Lord, God, Thou art compassionate and merciful. Thou art long-suffering; plenteous is Thy mercy and true. 16 Look upon me and have mercy upon me: give strength to Thy servant, and deliver the son of Thine handmaid. 17 Make with me a sign unto good. Let those who hate me see, and let them be ashamed; for Thou, Lord, hast helped me, and Thou hast comforted me.

## Psalm 86

1 His foundations are in the holy mountains. 2 The Lord loveth the gates of Sian more than all the dwelling-places of Jacob. 3 Honourable things are spoken concerning thee, city of God. I will recall Raab and Babylon as those who know me: lo, the Allophyloi and Tyre and the people of the Ethiopians. These were there. 5 Sion the mother shall sav a man, and a man became in her; and He Who is exalted laid the foundation of her unto age. 6 The Lord shall declare in writings of peoples and rulers, these are they who became in her, 7 as the dwelling-place of all those who are glad in thee.

## Psalm 90

1 He who abideth with the help of Him Who is exalted, shall rest under the shadow of the God of the heaven. 2 He shall say to the Lord, Thou art my supporter: my refuge, my God. I will trust in Him. 3 For He it is Who will deliver me from the snare of the hunter and from a perturbing word. 4 He shall overshadow thee in the midst of His pinions, and thou shalt trust beneath His wings: His truth shall encompass thee as a weapon. 5 Thou shalt not be afraid of the terror of the night, of the arrow which flieth in the day, 6 of a thing: which walketh in the darkness, of a destruction and a demon of the noon. Thousands shall fall at thy left hand, and myriads at thy right hand, but they shall not come nigh to thee. 8 Yet thou shalt observe with thine eyes, and thou shalt see the reward of the sinners. 9 For Thou, Lord, art He Who is my helper; thou hast set Him Who is exalted as a place of refuge for thee. 10 No evils shall come upon thee; and a scourge shall not come nigh to thy place of dwelling. 11 For He shall command His angels concerning thee, that they guard thee in all thy ways. 12 And they shall bear thee up upon their hands, lest thou stumble with thy feet on a stone. 13 Thou shalt tread upon a serpent and a basilisk: thou shalt trample upon a lion and a dragon. 14 For he trusted in Me and I will deliver him: I will cover him, for he hath known My Name. 15 He shall pray to Me, and I will hear him. I am with him in affliction: I will deliver him, and I will glorify him. With long life I will satisfy him, and I will make known to him my salvation.

## Psalm 92

1 The Lord hath reigned; He hath clothed Himself with beauty; He hath clothed Himself with strength, and He hath girded Himself with it; for also He hath set up the inhabited world, which shall not be, moved. 2 Thy throne is prepared from the beginning: and from the age Thou art. 3 Rivers have raised themselves up, Lord; rivers have lifted up their voice, 4 above the voice of many waters. Wonderful are the breakers of the sea, and wonderful in our eyes is the Lord among those who are exalted. 5 His testimonies' are exceedingly trustworthy: holiness befitteth Thine House, Lord, until far-reaching days.

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## Psalm 95

1 Sing to the Lord with a new song: sing to the Lord all the earth. 2 Sing to the Lord, bless His Name: proclaim His salvation day by day. 3 Declare His glory among the nations, and His wonders among all the peoples. 4 For great is the Lord and exceedingly blessed: He is fearful above all the gods. 5 For all the gods of the nations are demons, but the Lord, He created the heavens. 6 Confession and beauty are before Him: purity and great beauty are in that which is holy to Him. 7 Offer to the Lord, all the families of the nations: offer to the Lord glory and honour. 8 Offer to the Lord glory to His Name: bring sacrifices, and enter ye in to His courts. 9 Worship the Lord in His holy court, Let all the earth be moved from before His face. 10 Say among the nations: The Lord hath reigned from a Wood. For, also, He hath set up the inhabited world which shall not be moved: He will give judgment to peoples with equity. 11 Let the heavens be glad and let the earth rejoice: let the sea be moved, and all its fulness. 12 Let the plains rejoice, and everything which is in them. Then all the trees of the wood shall rejoice 13 before the Lord, for He cometh: He cometh to give judgment to the earth. He shall give judgment to the inhabited world with justice, and the peoples with righteousness.

## Psalm 96

1 The Lord hath reigned; let the earth rejoice; let the many islands be glad. 2 A cloud and a thick cloud it is which surroundeth Him: righteousness and judgment are the support of His throne. 3 A fire shall proceed before Him, and with a flame He shall burn His enemies who surround Him. 4 His lightnings lightened the inhabited world, the earth saw and was moved. 5 As wax the mountains melted from before the face of the Lord, and from before the face of the Lord of all the earth. 6 The heavens have declared His righteousness, and all the peoples have seen His glory. 7 All they who worship things made by hand shall be ashamed: they who boast themselves in their idols. Worship Him, all His angels. 8 Sion heard and was glad, the daughters of Judah rejoiced on account of Thy Name, Lord. 9 For Thou art the Lord Who is exalted over all the earth: Thou art exalted exceedingly, more than all the gods. 10 Ye who love the Lord, hate evil, for the Lord shall guard the souls of His Saints, and He shall deliver them from the hand of the sinners. 11 A light hath risen for the just, and gladness for those who are upright in their heart. 12 Be glad, ye just, in the Lord: confess the remembrance of His holiness.

## Psalm 97

Sing to the Lord with a new song, for the Lord hath wrought wondrous works: His right hand and His holy arm hath revived Him. 2 The Lord hath manifested His salvation before the nations: and He hath extendeth to them His righteousness. 3 He hath remembered His mercy to Jacob and His righteousness to the House of Israel: the ends of all the earth hath seen the salvation of our God. 4 Shout to the Lord, all the earth: sing and rejoice sins. 5 Sing to the Lord with a harp with a harp and a voice of psalm. 6 With beaten trumpets and a sound of horn trumpet: shout before the King, the Lord. 7 Let the sea be moved, and all its fulness. The inhabited world and every-thing which is in it. 8 Rivers shall clap their hands together, and the mountains shall rejoice, 9 He hath come to give judgment to the earth. He will give judgment to the inhabited world with justice, and to the peoples with equity.

## Psalm 98

1 The Lord hath reigned, let peoples rage: He Who sitteth upon the Cherubim; let the earth be moved. 2 Great is the Lord in Sion, and He is exalted over all the peoples. 3 Let them confess His great Name, for it is fearful and holy. 4 And the honour of a king loveth judgment. Thou, Thou hast prepared those things which are equitable: judgment and righteousness Thou hast performed in Jacob. Exalt the Lord, our God, and worship the foot-stool of His feet, for it is holy. 6 Moses and Aaron among, His priests, and Samuel among those who supplicate His Name: they were supplicating the Lord, and He was hearkening to them. 7 In a pillar of cloud He was speaking with them: for they were keeping His testimonies, and the commands which He gave to them. 8 Lord, our God, Thou wast hearkening to them. God, Thou wast for them a forgiver and an avenger of all their doings. 9 Exalt the Lord, our God, and worship His holy mountain, for the Lord, our God, is holy.

## Psalm 99

1 Shout to the Lord, all the earth, 2 serve the Lord with gladness, come before Him with rejoicing, 3 Know that the Lord He is God: He hath created us and not we. For we are His people and the sheep of His fold, 4 Enter into His gates with confession and into His courts with blessings. Confess Him and praise His Name, 5 For gracious is the Lord, for His mercy is unto age, and His truth from generation to generation.

## Psalm 100

1 I will sing to Thee, Lord, mercy and judgment will I sing. 2 And I will pay heed to a blameless way; when wilt Thou come unto me? I was walking in innocence of my heart, in the midst of my house. 3 I have not set a transgressing thing before mine eyes: Thou hast hated those who work transgression: a perverse hath not cleaved to me; 4 The evil will turn aside from me, and I was not knowing it. 5 He who speaketh against his neighbour privily, this one I, was pursuing: with him who is insolent with his eyes, with an insatiable heart, I have not eaten. 6 Mine eyes shall be upon all the faithful of the earth, that they may be sitting-companions with me: he who walketh in a blameless way, this one was ministering to me. 7 He who acteth with insolence is not" wont to dwell in the midst of my house: he who speaketh iniquity is not wont to be established before mine eyes. 8 In the hours of the morning I was slaying all the sinners of the land, to wipe out from the city of the Lord our God everyone who worketh iniquity.

## Psalm 109

1 The Lord said to my lord: Sit at my right hand until I place thine enemies beneath thy feet. 2 A rod of thy power the Lord shall send forth from Sion: and thou shalt rule in the midst of thine enemies. 3 With thee is the rule in the day of thy strength, in the light of the Saints: from the womb, before the star of the morning, I have begotten thee. 4 The Lord hath sworn and He will not repent: Thou art priest unto age according to the order of Melchisedek. 5 The Lord at thy right hand hath crushed kings in the day of His anger. 6 He shall give judgment among the nations, and He shall fill them with corpses: He shall crush the head of a multitude upon the earth. 7 He shall drink water on the way from a spring: on account of this He shall lift up a head.

## Psalm 110

1 I will confess to Thee, Lord, with all my heart, in the council of those who are upright, and in their synagogue. 2 Great are the works of the Lord: all His wishes are sought out. 3 Confession and great beauty is His work, and His righteousness endureth unto age of the ages. 4 He hath made a remembrance of all His wonders: the Lord is merciful and compassionate. 5 He hath given food to those who fear Him: He will be mindful of His covenant unto age. 6 The power of His works He hath made known to His people, to give to them a heritage of the nations. 7 The works of His hands are truth and judgment: all His commandments are trustworthy, 8 they are justified unto age of the age, they are done in truth and uprightness. 9 He hath sent redemption to His people: He hath commanded His covenant unto age: holy is His Name and fearful. 10 The beginning of wisdom is the fear of the Lord; and a good understanding hath everyone who doeth it: and His praise endureth unto age of the age.

## Psalm 111

1 Blessed is the man who feareth the Lord: in His commandments he will broaden exceedingly. 2 His seed shall be strong upon the earth: the generation of the upright shall be blessed. 3 Glory and riches shall be in his house: his righteousness endureth unto age of the age. 4 A fight ariseth from the darkness for those who are upright. A merciful, compassionate and just One is the Lord God. 5 Profitable is the man who is merciful and giveth on loan, he shall arrange his words in judgment, 6 for he shall not be moved unto age: the just shall be in eternal remembrance; 7 and he shall not fear an evil report: his heart is ready to trust in the Lord. 8 His heart is established, and he shall not be moved until he look upon his enemies. 9 He hath distributed, he hath given to the poor, and his righteousness endureth unto age of the age: his horn shall be exalted with glory. 10 The sinner shall see and shall rage: he shall grind his teeth, and he shall melt away: the desire of the sinner shall perish.

## Psalm 112

1 Praise the Lord, children, praise the Name of the Lord. 2 Let the Name of the Lord he blessed from now and unto age. 3 From the risings of the sun until its settings praise the Name of the Lord. 4 The Lord is exalted over all the nations, and His glory, in the heavens. 5 Who is like unto the Lord, our God, Who dwelleth in the heights, 6 and looketh upon the lowly parts in the heaven and upon earth? 7 He Who raiseth up the poor from the earth and lifteth up from a dung-hill him who asketh alms, 8 that He may seat him with the rulers and the rulers of His people. 9 He Who causeth a barren woman to be In a house, a rejoicing mother of sons.

## Psalm 114

1 I have loved, for the Lord will hear the voice of my supplication. 2 For He hath inclined His ear to me; in my days I was supplicating Him. 3 For the pains of death seized me: it was the dangers of Hades Amenti which found me. It was affliction and grief which I found. 4 And I entreated the Name of the Lord: O Lord, deliver my soul. 5 Merciful is the Lord, and just is He: our God is wont to be merciful. 6 He who guards the little children is the Lord: I humbled myself, and He delivered me. 7 Turn, my soul, to thy resting-place, for the Lord hath dealt well with me. 8 He delivered my soul from death, and mine eyes from tears, and my feet from stumbling. 9 I will please the Lord in the land of those who are living.

## Psalm 115

1 I believed, on account of this I said: I, moreover am exceedingly humbled. 2 I said in my amazement: All men are liars. 3 What shall I give to the Lord, for every thing which He hath done to me. 4 I will take a cup of salvation, and I will entreat the Name of the Lord. 6 Precious before the Lord is the death of His Saints. 7 O Lord, I am Thy servant. I am Thy servant and the son of Thine handmaid; Thou hast broken my bonds. 8 I will sacrifice to Thee a sacrifice of praise. 9 I will offer my prayers to the Lord in the courts of the, House of the Lord, before all the people, in the midst of Jerusalem.

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## Psalm 116

1 All nations, praise the Lord: let all the peoples praise Him. 2 For His mercy hath been confirmed upon us; and the truth of the Lord endureth unto age.

## Psalm 117

1 Confess to the Lord, for He is gracious and good: for His mercy endureth unto age. 2 Let the House of Israel say, that He is good: that His mercy endureth unto age. 3 Let the House of Aaron say, for He is good: that His mercy endureth into age. 4 Let those who fear the Lord say, that He is good: that His mercy endureth unto age. 5 In my affliction I have cried unto the Lord, and He hath heard me: He hath brought me forth into breadth. 6 The Lord is my helper; I will not fear: What is it that man shall do to me? 7 The Lord is my helper; I shall look upon mine enemies. 8 It is better to put thy confidence in the Lord than to put thy confidence in men. 9 It is better to trust in the Lord than to do so in rulers. 10 All the nations compassed me: in the Name of the Lord I took my vengeance upon them. 11 They compassed me and they encompassed; and in the Name of the Lord I took my vengeance upon them. 12 They compassed me as bees compass wax, and they burned as a fire in thorns; and in the Name of the Lord I took my vengeance upon them. 13 They laid their hands on me that I might fall: the Lord is He Who helped me. 14 My strength and my praise is the Lord: He hath become to me a salvation. 15 The voice of rejoicing and salvation in the dwelling-place of the just: the right hand of the Lord hath worked strength, 16 the right hand of the Lord is that which is exalted: the right hand of the Lord hath worked strength. 17 I shall not die, but r shall live, and I shall declare the works of the Lord. 18 For with chastening the Lord hath chastened me, and He hath not given me into the hand of death. 19 Open to me gates of righteousness, in order that I may enter into them, and confess the Lord. 20 This is the gate of the Lord; the just shall enter into it. 21 I will confess Thee, Lord, for Thou hast heard me, and Thou hast become to me a salvation. 22 The stone which the builders despised: this is become a head of the corner. 23 This hath happened through the Lord, and it is wondrous in our eyes. 24 This is the day which the Lord hath made; let us rejoice and be glad in it. 25 O Lord, Thou shalt save us; O Lord, Thou shalt make straight our ways. 26 Blessed is he who cometh in the Name of the Lord: we have blessed you out of the House of the Lord. 27 God the Lord hath enlightened us: constitute a feast with coverings unto the horns of the altar. 28 Thou art my God: I will confess Thee. Thou art my God: I will exalt Thee. I will confess Thee Lord, for Thou hast heard me, and Thou hast become to me a salvation. 29 Confess to the Lord, for He is good: for His mercy endureth unto age.

## Psalm 119

1 In my affliction I have cried unto Thee, Lord, and Thou hast heard me. 2 Lord, deliver my soul from iniquitous lips, and from a deceitful tongue. 3 What is it which they shall give to thee, or what is it which they shall add to thee, against a deceitful tongue? 4 Arrows of the mighty are sharpened, and coal of the desert. 5 Woe to me, that my sojourn is prolonged, and I have dwelt in the dwelling-places of Kedar. 6 My soul hath been a sojourner in a multitude of places. 7 I was peaceful with those who hate peace. If I speak with them, they fight against me in vain.

## Psalm 120

1 I have lifted up mine eyes unto the mountains: for from whence cometh my help? 2 My help is from the Lord, Who created the heaven and the earth. 3 Give not thy foot to be removed, nor cause Him to doze, namely, He Who guardeth thee. 4 Lo, He Who watcheth over Israel will not doze, nor will He sleep. 5 The Lord shall guard thee: the Lord shall be a shade upon thy right hand. 6 By day the sun shall not burn thee, nor the moon, in the night. 7 The Lord shall guard thee from all evil; the Lord shall guard thy soul. 8. The Lord: shall guard thy way in and thy way out, from now and unto age.

## Psalm 121

1 I was glad at those things which they said to me: We will go to the House of the Lord. 2 Our feet stood in the courts of Jerusalem. 3 Jerusalem is built as a city, her good-pleasure being in this and that. 4 For thither the tribes, the tribes of the Lord go up, a testimony of Israel, to confess the Name of the Lord. 5 For thrones are set there for judgment, thrones over the House of David. 6 Seek after that which belongeth to thy peace, Jerusalem, and abundance for those who love thee. 7 Let peace he in thy strength, and abundance in thy massive towers. 8 On account of my brethren and those who are near to me, I have spoken peace concerning thee. 9 Concerning the House of the Lord our God, I have sought after good things for thee.

## Psalm 122

1 I have lifted up mine eyes unto Thee Who dwellest in the heaven. 2 Lo, as the eyes of servants are on the hands of their masters, and as the ey.es of a handmaiden, on the hands of her mistress, so our eyes are unto the Lord our God, until He hath compassion upon us. 3 Have mercy upon us, Lord, and have mercy upon us, for we have been filled with a multitude of contempt, 4 and our soul is exceedingly filled. Show contempt to those who have abundance, and show contempt to the proud.

## Psalm 123

1 Except the Lord had been with us, let Israel say, 2 Except the Lord had been with us, when men rose up against us. 3 Then they had submerged us alive, when their wrath raged against us. 4 Then the water had submerged us, our soul had passed through a torrent. 5 Then our soul had passed through bottomless water. 6 Blessed' is the Lord Who hath not given us a prey to their teeth. 7 Our soul hath escaped, as a sparrow from the snare of the hunters: the snare is crushed and we have escaped. 8 Our help is in the Name of the Lord Who created the heaven and the earth.

## Psalm 124

1 Those who trust in the Lord are as the Mount of Sion: he who dwelleth in Jerusalem shall not be moved unto age. 2 Mountains surround her: the Lord is about His people from now and unto age. 3 He shall not leave the rod of the sinners upon the lot of the just, in order that the just stretch not forth their hands in iniquity. 4 Do good, Lord, to the good, and those who are upright in their heart. 5 But those who turn themselves to twistings, the Lord shall seize them with those who work iniquity. Peace be upon Israel.

## Psalm 125

1 When the Lord brought back the captivity of Sion, we were as those who are comforted. 2 Then our mouth was filled with rejoicing, and our tongue with joy. Then they shall say among the nations: The Lord hath magnified His doings with them. 3 The Lord hath magnified His doings with us; we have become glad. 4 The Lord shall bring back our captivity, as a torrent in the south. 5 Those who sow in tears shall reap in joy. 6 Going they went and they were weeping, bearing their seed; coming, they will come with joy, bearing their sheaves.

## Psalm 126

1 If the Lord build not a house, those who build it labour in vain. If the Lord watch not over a city, he who guardeth it watcheth in vain. 2 It is vain for you to be early: rise ye, after being seated, who eat bread of grief, since He giveth sleep to His beloved ones. 3 Lo, sons are the heritage of the Lord, the reward of the fruit of the womb. 4 As arrows in the hand of a mighty one, thus are the sons of those who have been rejected. 5 Blessed is the man who shall fulfil his desire with them. Then they shall not he ashamed, when they speak with their enemies in the gates.

## Psalm 127

1 Blessed are all they who fear the Lord; those who walk in His ways. 2 Thou shalt eat of the fruit of thy labours; thou shalt be blessed, good being unto thee. 3 Thy wife shall be as a true vine blossoming forth at the side of thine house: thy sons as new plants of olives around thy table. 4 Lo, thus shall be blessed the man who feareth the Lord. 5 The Lord shall bless thee out of Sion, and thou shalt see the good things of Jerusalem all the days of thy life. 6 Thou shalt see the sons of thy sons. Peace be upon Israel.

## Psalm 128

1 Many a time they have fought against me from my youth, let Israel say: 2 many a time they have fought against me from my youth, yet they prevailed not against me. 3 The sinners Were striking upon my back; they caused their iniquity to be long. 4 The Lord is just: He will break the necks of the sinners. 5 Let them be ashamed and turned backwards, all who hate Sion. 6 Let them be as grass of a housetop which drieth up before they pluck it: 7 with which the reaper hath not filled his hand, and he who gathereth sheaves hath not filled his bosom. 8 And they who pass have not said: The blessing of the Lord be upon you: we have blessed you in the Name of the Lord.

# Compline Sleep

## Psalm 129

L Out of the depths I have cried unto Thee, Lord. 2 Lord, hear my voice; let Thine ears pay heed to the voice of my supplication. 3 If Thou, Lord, shouldst pay heed to iniquity, Lord, who shall be able to stand? 4 For my forgiveness is from Thee. On account of Thy Name, 5 Lord, I have waited upon Thee; my soul hath waited upon Thy Law. 6 My soul hath trusted in the Lord from the guard of the morning until night. From the guard of the morning let Israel trust in the Lord. 7 For mercy is with the Lord: great is His redemption, 8 and He shall redeem Israel from all his iniquities.

## Psalm 130

1 Lord, my heart hath not been exalted, nor have mine eyes exalted themselves: nor have I exercised myself in great matters, nor in wonders above me. 2 And if I have not been humble, yet hath my voice been raised, as he who hath been weaned from the milk cometh upon his mother, as a recompense upon my soul. 3 Let Israel trust in the Lord from now and unto age.

## Psalm 131

1 Remember, Lord, David with all his mildness; 2 how he sware to the Lord, and prayed to the God of Jacob: 3 I will not go into the dwelling-place of my house; I will Dot go up upon the couch of my sleeping-mat; It I will Dot be able to give sleep to mine eyes and slumber to mine eyelids and rest to my temples, 5 until I find a place for the Lord, and a dwelling-place for the God of Jacob. 6 Lo, we have heard it in Ephratha: We found it in the place of the field of trees. 7 We will go into His dwelling-places and worship the place in which His feet have stood. 8 Arise, Lord, to Thy rest; Thou and the ark of Thine holy place. 9 Thy priests shall be clothed with righteousness; and Thy Saints shall rejoice. 10 On account of David Thy servant, turn not Thy face away from Thine Anointed. 11 The Lord hath sworn to David in truth, and He will not deny it: of the fruit of thy belly will I set upon thy throne. 12 If thy sons should keep My covenant and My testimonies which I shall teach them, their sons for age shall sit upon thy throne. 13 For the Lord hath chosen Sion; He hath chosen it a dwelling-place for Him. 1.1. This is My place of rest for age of the age. I will dwell here, for I have desired it. 15 Her widow with a blessing I will bless, and her poor I will satisfy with bread. 16 Her priests I will clothe with salvation and her Saints shall rejoice with rejoicing. 17 There will I raise up a horn to David: I have prepared a lamp for Mine Anointed. 18 His enemies will I clothe with shame: but upon Him My holiness shall shine.

## Psalm 132

1 Lo, what is good or what is pleasant, if not that brethren dwell together? 2 It is as an ointment placed upon a head, which cometh upon a beard, the beard of Aaron; which cometh down upon the edge of his garment, 3 as a dew of Hermon which cometh down upon the mountain of Sion; for there the Lord hath commanded the blessing, and life unto age.

## Psalm 136

1 By the rivers of ~Babylon, there we sat down and we wept, when we remembered Sion. 2 Upon the willows in its midst we hanged up our musical instruments. 3 For those who led us captive asked us there for words of ode, and they who had taken us there: Sing to us a praise of the odes of Sion. It How shall we be able to sing the ode of the Lord in a strange land? 5 If I forget Jerusalem, I shall forget my right hand. 6 My tongue shall cleave to my throat, if I remember thee not; if I place not Jerusalem first at the beginning of my joy. 7 Remember, Lord, against the sons of Edom the day of Jerusalem, who said: Empty it, empty it to its foundations! 8 Daughter of Babylon, the miserable, blessed is he who shall recompense thee with thy recompense which thou didst give to us. 9 Blessed is he who shall seize thy little children and shall bury them beside the rock.

## Psalm 137

1 I will confess Thee, Lord, with all my heart, for Thou hast heard all the words of my mouth: before the angels I will Sing to Thee. 2 And I will worship before Thy Holy Temple, and I will confess Thy Name on account of Thy mercy and Thy truth, for Thy Holy Name hath been magnified over everyone. 3 In the day in which I shall pray to Thee, speedily hear me: Thou shalt look the more upon my soul with strength. 4 Let all the kings of the earth confess Thee, Lord, for they have heard all the words of my mouth. 5 Let them sing in the ways of the Lord; for great is the glory of the Lord. 6 The Lord is exalted, and He seeth the humble, and He knoweth them who are exalted from afar. 7 Though I walk in the midst of affliction, Thou wilt revive me. Thou hast stretched forth Thine hand against the wrath of enemies, and Thy right hand hath delivered me. 8 The Lord will recompense me. Lord, Thy mercy is unto age; the works of Thine hands, Lord, forsake not.

## Psalm 140

1 Lord, I have cried unto Thee, hear me: give heed to the voice of my supplication, when I cry aloud unto Thee. 2 Let my prayer be directed before Thee as incense: the lifting up of my hands a sacrifice of evening. 3 Lord, set a watch before my mouth, and a door of strength before my lips. 4 Incline not my heart to words of wickedness to find occasion with pretexts in sins with men who work iniquity; and I shall not take pleasure with their elect. 5 The just shall instruct me in mercy, and he shall reprove me: the oil of a sinner, let it not grease my head; for still my prayer will be with pleasure. 6 Their strong ones have been engulfed beside a rock; they shall heal' my' words for they were sweet. 7 As a clod of earth broken upon the earth, their bones are scattered beside Hades Amenti. 8 For our eyes are towards Thee, Lord. Lord, I have trusted in Thee, slay not my soul. 9 Keep me from the snare which they have set for me, and from the stumbling-block of those who work iniquity. 10 Sinners shall fall into its net: I, I remain alone until the iniquity pass by.

## Psalm 141

2 I have cried aloud with my voice unto the Lord: and I have prayed to the Lord with my voice. 3 I will pour out my supplication before Him: mine affliction will I pour out before Him. 4 When my spirit perished out of me, Thou knowest my ways: in this way on which I was walking have they hidden a snare for me. 5 I was observing on my right, and I was beholding; for there is not he who knoweth me: retreat hath failed me, and there is none who inquireth after my soul. 6 I have cried unto the Lord, and I have said: Thou art my hope, my portion in the land of the living. 7 Give heed to my supplication, for I have been exceedingly humbled: deliver me from the hands of those who pursue me, for they have been stronger than I. 8 Bring my soul out of prison, that I may confess Thy Name, Lord. The just wait for me, until Thou requite me.

## Psalm 145

1 Praise the Lord, my soul. 2 I will praise the Lord in my life, I will sing to my God, while I exist. 3 Put not your trust in the rulers and in the sons of men, in whom there is not salvation. 4 Their spirit shall go out, and they shall return to their earth: in that day all their thoughts shall perish. 5 Blessed is he whose help is the God of Jacob, his hope being in the Lord, his God. 6 He Who created the heaven and the earth, the sea and all which is in it: He Who keepeth truth unto age, 7 executing judgment for those who suffer injustice; giving food to those who are hungry. The Lord shall loose those who are bound. 8 The Lord shall set up those who are cast down; the Lord giveth wisdom to the blind; the Lord loveth the just. 9 The Lord shall guard the strangers; an orphan and a widow He shall accept, and the way of the sinners He shall destroy. 10 The Lord shall reign unto age, and our God, Sion, from generation unto generation.

## Psalm 146

1 Praise the Lord, for a psalm is good: praise shall please our God. 2 He Who buildeth Jerusalem is the Lord. And the scattered of Israel the Lord shall gather together. 3 He Who maketh sound those who are broken in their heart, and bindeth up all their bruises. 4 He Who taketh number of the multitude of the stars, and giveth a name to them all. 5 Great is the Lord, and great is His strength, and there is not number to His understanding. 6 The Lord is He Who accepteth the meek, but humbleth sinners unto the earth. 7 Begin early with confession unto the Lord; and sing to our God with a harp. 8 He Who covereth the heaven with clouds, He Who prepareth rain for the earth: He Who causeth grass to grow upon the mountains, and fresh grass for the service of men, 9 and giveth food to their beasts, and to the young of the ravens "who cry out unto Him. 10 He will not be pleased in the strength of a horse, nor will He have pleasure in the shin-bones of man. 11 The Lord will have pleasure in those who fear Him and those who trust in His mercy.

## Psalm 147

1 Praise the Lord, Jerusalem, praise thy God, Sion; 2 for He hath strengthened the' bars of thy gates; He hath blessed thy sons within thee. 3 He Who hath set thy borders in peace, and satisfieth thee with the fat of wheat, 4. sending His word to the earth; His word runneth with speed. 5 He Who giveth snow like wool; Who poureth forth the mist like ash; 6 casting icicles like morsels. Who shall be able to stand before His frost? 7 He will send His word, and He will dissolve them: His wind will blow, and waters will flow. 8 He Who declareth His word to Jacob, His statues and His judgments to Israel. 9 He hath not dealt thus with every nation, and His judgments He hath not manifested to them.

# Midnight

## Psalm 118

### Part 1

1 Blessed are the blameless in the way, who walk in the Law of the Lord. 2 Blessed are they who examine His testimonies, who seek Him with all their heart. 3 For those who work iniquity have not desired to walk in His ways. 4 Thou, Thou hast commanded us to keep Thy commandments diligently. 5 O that my ways were upright to keep Thy statutes! 6 Then I shall not be ashamed, if I look upon all Thy commandments. 7 I will confess Thee, Lord, with uprightness of my heart, on knowing the judgments of Thy statutes. 8 And Thy statutes I will keep: forsake me not utterly.

### Part 2

9 By what shall a youth make straight his way? By keeping Thy words. 10 I have sought after Thee with all my heart; cast me not away from Thy commandments. 11 I have hidden Thy words in my O heart, that I might not sin against Thee. 12 Blessed art Thou, Lord, teach me Thy statutes. 13 With my lips I have confessed all the judgments of Thy mouth. 14 I have rejoiced in the way of Thy testimonies, as over all riches. 15 I will speak upon Thy commandments, and I will understand Thy ways. 16 I will meditate upon Thy statutes, and I will not forget Thy words.

### Part 3

17 Requite Thy servant: I shall live and I shall keep Thy words. 18 Open mine eyes and I shall behold Thy wonders out of Thy Law. I am a sojourner upon the earth: hide not Thy commandments from me. 20 My soul hath yearned ill after longing for Thy judgments at all times. 21 Thou hast rebuked the disdainful, the cursed, those who have turned away from Thy commandments. 22 Take away from me reproach and shame, for r have sought after Thy statutes. 23 For rulers also were sitting, they were speaking against me; but Thy servant meditated in Thy statutes. 24 For Thy testimonies also are my meditation, and Thy statutes are my counsels.

### Part 4

25 My soul hath cleaved to the earth vivify me according to Thy, word. 26 I have declared Thy ways, and Thou hast heard me: teach me Thy statutes. 27 And make me to understand the way to Thy statutes, and I win meditate on Thy wonders. 28 My soul hath slumbered from grief: strengthen me by Thy words. 29 Cast away from me the way of unrighteousness, and have mercy upon me through Thy Law. 30 I have chosen the way of truth, and I have not forgotten Thy judgments. 31 I have cleaved to Thy testimonies, Lord, put me not to shame. 32 I was wont to run in the way of Thy commandments; when Thou: didst widen my heart.

### Part 5

33 Establish a law for me, Lord, in the way of Thy statutes, and I will seek after it at all times. 34 Make me to understand, and I shall diligently search after Thy Law, and I shall keep it with all my heart. 35 Guide me to the way of Thy commandments, for this is that which I have desired. 36 Incline my heart to Thy testimonies, and not to covetousness. 37 Turn away mine eyes that they behold not vanities; and viyify me in Thy way. 38 Establish Thy word with Thy servant unto Thy fear: 39 Take away from me the shame which I have suspected, for Thy judgments, are delightful. 40 For, I have desired Thy commandments: let me live in Thy righteousness.

### Part 6

41 Let Thy mercy come upon me, Lord, and Thy salvation according to Thy word; 42 and I shall answer a word to those who scorn me, for I have trusted in Thy words. 43 And take not away from my mouth the word of Thy truth utterly, for I have trusted in Thy judgments. 44 And I will keep Thy Law at all times unto age, and unto age of the age. 45 I was walking in breadth, for I have sought after Thy commandments; 46 and I was declaring Thy testimonies before the kings, and I was not ashamed. 47 And I was meditating on Thy commandments which I have loved exceedingly. 48 I have lifted up my forearms unto Thy commandments which I have loved exceedingly, and I was meditating on Thy statutes.

### Part 7

49 Remember Thy word to Thy servant, Thou Who hast caused to hope in it, 50 which hath, comforted me in my humility: for Thy word it is which hath-vivified me in my humility: for Thy word it is which hath vivified me. 51 The proud have transgressed utterly, but I, I have not turned away-from Thy Law. 52 I have remembered Thy judgments from age, Lord, and I have found comfort. 53 Grief hath taken hold of me from sinners who have forsaken Thy Law. 54 Thy statutes are psalms to me in the place of my dwelling. 55 I have remembered Thy judgments, Lord, in the night, and I have kept Thy Law. 56 This hath been to me that I have sought after Thy statutes.

### Part 8

57 Thou art my portion, Lord: I have said that I would keep Thy commandments. 58 I have besought Thy face with all my heart: have mercy upon me according to Thy word. 59 I have thought on Thy ways, and I have turned my feet unto Thy testimonies. 60 I am prepared and I have not been troubled to keep Thy commandments. 61 The bonds of sinners have wrapped me round; and I have not forgotten Thy Law. 62 In the middle of the night I am wont to rise that I may confess Thee on account of the judgments of Thy truths. 63 I am a companion of everyone who feareth Thee, and of those who keep Thy commandments. 64 The earth is filled with Thy mercy, Lord, and teach me Thy statutes.

### Part 9

65 Thou hast performed goodness with Thy servant; Lord, according to Thy word. 66 Teach, me sweetness; learning and knowledge, for I have believed in Thy commandments. 67 Before I was humbled; I was neglectful, on account of this I have kept Thy words: 68 Thou art sweet, Lord, and in Thy goodness teach me Thy statutes. 69 The iniquity of the disdainful hath been multiplied upon me, but I, I will search diligently with all my heart Thy commandments. 70 Their heart hath solidified as milk, but I, I have meditated on Thy Law. It is good for me that I have been humbled, so that I may know Thy statutes. 72 The Law of Thy mouth is better for me than thousands of gold and silver.

### Part 10

73 Thy hands have formed me and created me: teach me and I shall know Thy commandments. 7.1 Those who fear Thee shall see me, and they shall be glad, for I have hoped in Thy word. 75 I have Known, Lord, that Thy judgments are righteous: in truth Thou hast humbled me. 76 Let Thy mercy come upon me to comfort me, and Thy word to Thy servant. 77 Let Thy tender-mercies come to me, and I shall live: for Thy Law is my meditation: 78 Let the haughty be ashamed, for unjustly have they transgressed against me: but I, I shall be continuing in Thy commandments. 79 Let those who fear Thee and those who know Thy wonders turn unto me. 80 Let my heart be pure in Thy truth, that I be not ashamed.

### Part 11

81 My soul hath failed for Thy salvation, and I have hoped in Thy words. 82 Mine eyes have failed for Thy words, saying: When wilt Thou comfort me? 83 I have become as a wine-skin in a hoarfrost, but I have not forgotten Thy statutes. 84 How many are the days of Thy servant? When wilt Thou perform for me judgment on the sinners who pursue after me? 85 The lawless have spoken to me constant words, but not as Thy Law, Lord. 86 For all Thy commandments are true: they pursue after me unjustly; help me. 87 Yet a little, and they would have destroyed me upon the earth but I, I forsook not Thy commandments. 88 According to Thy mercy revive me, and I shall keep the testimonies of Thy mouth.

### Part 12

89 Thy word, Lord, ahideth unto age in the heavens. 90 And Thy truth abideth from generation unto generation: Thou hast laid the foundation of the earth, and it abideth. 91 By Thine ordinance the day existeth ; for all things are Thy servants. 92 If it were not that Thy Law is a meditation to me, I should have perished in mine affliction. 93 And unto age I shall not forget Thy statutes, for by them Thou hast revived me, Lord. 94 Thou wilt save me, Lord, for I am Thine; for I have sought after Thy statutes. 95 The sinners have waited for me to destroy me, but have understood Thy testimonies. 96 Of all perfections I have seen their end: Thy commandments are exceedingly broad.

### Part 13

97 How worthy of love is Thy name, Lord! It is my meditation all the day. 98 Thou hast instructed me in Thy commandments more than mine enemies, for they abide with me unto age. 99 I have understood more than those who instruct me; for Thy testimonies are meditation for me. 100 I have understood more than the elders, for I have sought after Thy commandments. 101 I have restrained my feet from every evil way, in order that I may keep Thy words. 102 I have not turned away from Thy judgments for it is Thou Who hast legislated for me. 103 How sweet are Thy words in my throat, above honey and wax in my mouth. 104 I have been instructed by Thy commandments: on account of this I have hated every way of iniquity, for it is Thou Who hast legislated for me.

### Part 14

105 Thy Law is a lamp to my feet, and it is light to my ways. 106 I have sworn and I have confirmed it, to keep the judgments of Thy truths. 107 I have been humbled exceedingly: revive me, Lord, according to Thy word. 108 The vows of my mouth Thou wilt bless, Lord: teach me Thy judgments. 109 My soul is in Thy hands at all times, and have not forgotten Thy Law. 110 The sinners have concealed a snare for me, and I have not erred from Thy commandments. 111 I have inherited Thy testimonies unto age, for they are a rejoicing of my heart. 112 I have inclined my heart to perform Thy statutes on account of a recompense unto age.

### Part 15

113 Transgressors have I hated, but Thy Law I have loved, 114 for Thou art my helper and my supporter: I have hoped in Thy words. 115 Turn away from me, ye evil-doers, and I shall search carefully the commandments of my God. 116 Receive me according to Thy word, and I shall live; make me not to be ashamed of my expectation. 117 Help me, and I shall be saved, and I shall meditate on Thy statutes at all times. 118 Thou hast contemned all who have turned away from Thy statutes, for their thought is iniquity. 119 All the sinners of the earth I have counted as being transgressors; on account of this I have loved Thy testimonies at all times. 120 Nail my flesh by fear of Thee, for by reason of Thy judgment I have feared.

### Part 16

121 I have done judgment and righteousness: give me not into the hand of those who do wrong to me. 122 Receive Thy servant unto good: cause not the haughty to calumniate me. 123 Mine eyes have failed for Thy salvation and the word of Thy righteousness. 124 Deal with Thy servant according to Thy mercy, and teach me Thy statutes. 125 I am Thy servant, give me understanding, and I shall know Thy testimonies. 126 It is time for the Lord to work; they have brought to naught Thy Law. 127 On account of this I have loved Thy statutes at all times, more than gold and topaze. 128 On account of this, I have stood by Thy commandments; all the ways of iniquity have I hated.

### Part 17

129 Wonderful are Thy testimonies: on account of this, my soul hath searched them carefully. 130 The revelation of Thy words giveth light to me, and it will give understanding to little children. 131 I have opened my mouth, and I have drawn unto me breath, for I have yearned for Thy commandments. 132 Look down upon me and have mercy upon me according to the judgment of those who love Thy Name. 133 Thou shalt make straight my footsteps according to Thy word; and let not every iniquity have dominion over me. 134 Redeem me from the calumny of men, and I will keep Thy commandments. 135 Let Thy face shine upon Thy servant, and teach me Thy statutes. 136 Mine eyes have passed through a passage of waters, because they have not kept Thy Law.

### Part 18

137 Thou art righteous, Lord, and Thy judgment is upright. 138 Thou hast commanded justice and very truth which are Thy testimonies. 139 The zeal of Thy House hath consumed me, for mine enemies have forgotten Thy commandments. 140 Thy word is exceedingly tried, and Thy servant hath loved it. 141 I am a youth and despised, but I have not forgotten Thy statutes. 142 But Thy justice is justice unto age, and Thy word is truth. 143 Distress and affliction it is which have found me: my meditation is Thy commandments. 144 Righteous are Thy testimonies unto age: give me understanding and I shall live.

### Part 19

145 I have cried out with all my heart; hear me, Lord: Thy statutes will I seek after. 146 I have called unto Thee; save me, and I will keep Thy testimonies. 147 I anticipated a time not yet: I cried and I hoped in Thy words. 148 Mine eyes have anticipated the hour of morning to meditate on Thy words. 149 Hear my voice, \* Lord, according to Thy mercy, and vivify me according to Thy judgments. 150 Those who pursue after me with iniquity have approached, but they are far from Thy Law. 151 Thou art near, Lord, and all Thy commandments are true. 152 From before have I known from Thy testimonies, for Thou hast founded them unto age.

### Part 20

153 Behold my humility, and save me, for Thy Law I have not forgotten. I54 Judge my cause and redeem me, on account of Thy word let me live, 155 Salvation is far from the sinners, for they have not sought after Thy statutes. 156 Exceedingly abundant are Thy tender-mercies, Lord, revive me according to Thy judgments. 157 Many are those who pursue after me and afflict me: I have not turned away from Thy testimonies. 158 I have seen the ignorant and r was grieved, for they have not kept Thy word. 159 Behold, Lord, how I have Thy commandments: vivify me in Thy mercy, Lord. 160 The principle of Thy words is true, and all the judgments of Thy righteousness are unto age.

### Part 21

161 Rulers were pursuing me without cause, and from Thy judgments my heart hath feared. 162 I will rejoice at Thy words, as he who findeth a multitude of spoil. I have hated falsehood, and I have abhorred it; but Thy Law have I loved. 164. Seven times a day have I praised Thee for the judgments of Thy righteousnesses. 165 Let there be great peace to those who love Thy Name, and let there be no stumbling-block for them. 166 I was looking for Thy salvation, Lord, and Thy commandments have I kept. 167 My soul hath kept Thy testimonies, and it hath loved them exceedingly. 168 I have kept Thy commandments and Thy testimonies; for all my ways are before Thee, Lord.

Part 22

169 Let my supplication come near before Thee, Lord; give me understanding, Lord, according to Thy word. 170 My petition shall come in before Thee: according to Thy word vivify me. 171, My lips shall pour forth blessing, if Thou teach me Thy statutes. 172 My tongue shall respond with Thy words, for all Thy commandments are true. Let Thine hand be unto delivering me, for I have desired Thy commandments. 174. I have yearned for Thy salvation, Lord, and Thy Law is my meditation. 175 My soul shall live and shall praise Thee, and Thy judgments shall help me. 176 I have strayed like a sheep which is lost: seek after Thy servant, for I have not forgotten Thy commandments.