

Psalm 69- Part 2 (18-36)**New King James Version****To the Chief Musician. Set to "The Lilies." A Psalm of David.**

¹⁸ Draw near to my soul, *and* redeem it; Deliver me because of my enemies.

Psalm 55:18;--'He has redeemed my soul in peace from the battle that was against me, for there were many against me' (NKJV).

1 Peter 1:9;--'The reward for trusting him will be the salvation of your souls' (NLT).

¹⁹ You know my reproach, my shame, and my dishonor; My adversaries *are* all before You. ²⁰ Reproach has broken my heart, And I am full of heaviness; I looked *for someone* to take pity, but *there was* none; And for comforters, but I found none.

Psalm 22:1;--'My God, my God, why hast thou forsaken me? Why art thou so far from helping me, and from the words of my roaring?' (KJV).

Luke 23:21;--'But they kept shouting, 'Crucify him! Crucify him!'

²¹ They also gave me gall for my food, And for my thirst they gave me vinegar to drink.

Matthew 27:48;--'Immediately one of them ran and got a sponge. He filled it with wine vinegar, put it on a staff, and offered it to Jesus to drink' (NIV).

²² Let their table become a snare before them, And their well-being a trap. ²³ Let their eyes be darkened, so that they do not see And make their loins shake continually.

²⁴ Pour out Your indignation upon them, And let Your wrathful anger take hold of them.

²⁵ Let their dwelling place be desolate; Let no one live in their tents.

2 Thessalonians 1:8;--'He will punish those who do not know God and do not obey the gospel of our Lord Jesus' (NIV).

Mark 13:2;--'And Jesus said to him, 'Do you see these great buildings? There will not be left here one stone upon another that will not be thrown down' (ESV).

²⁶ For they persecute the *ones* You have struck, And talk of the grief of those You have wounded. ²⁷ Add iniquity to their iniquity, And let them not come into Your righteousness. ²⁸ Let them be blotted out of the book of the living, And not be written with the righteous.

Revelation 3:5;--'The one who conquers will be clothed thus in white garments, and I will never blot his name out of the book of life. I will confess his name before my Father and before his angels' (ESV).

²⁹ But I *am* poor and sorrowful; Let Your salvation, O God, set me up on high.

Ephesians 2:4-6;--'But because of his great love for us, God, who is rich in mercy, made us alive with Christ even when we were dead in transgressions—by grace you have been saved. God raised us up with Christ and seated us with him in the heavenly realms in Christ Jesus' (NIV).

³⁰ I will praise the name of God with a song, And will magnify Him with thanksgiving.

³¹ *This* also shall please the Lord better than an ox *or* bull, Which has horns and hooves.

1 Samuel 15:22;--'And Samuel said, 'Has the Lord as great delight in burnt offerings and sacrifices, as in obeying the voice of the Lord? Behold, to obey is better than sacrifice, and to listen than the fat of rams' (ESV).

Psalms 51:16-17;--'For you do not desire sacrifice, or else I would give it; you do not delight in burnt offering. The sacrifices of God are a broken spirit, a broken and a contrite heart—these, O God, you will not despise' (NKJV).

³² The humble shall see *this and* be glad; And you who seek God, your hearts shall live.

Matthew 5:6;--'Blessed are they which do hunger and thirst after righteousness: for they shall be filled' (KJV).

³³ For the Lord hears the poor, And does not despise His prisoners.

Luke 4:18;--'The Spirit of the Lord is on me, because he has anointed me to proclaim good news to the poor. He has sent me to proclaim freedom for the prisoners and recovery of sight for the blind, to set the oppressed free,' (NIV).

Matthew 5:1;--'Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven' (NKJV).

³⁴ Let heaven and earth praise Him, The seas and everything that moves in them. ³⁵ For God will save Zion And build the cities of Judah, That they may dwell there and possess it.

Revelation 5:13;--'Then I heard every creature in heaven and on earth and under the earth and on the sea, and all that is in them, saying: 'To him who sits on the throne and to the Lamb be praise and honor and glory and power, for ever and ever!' (NIV).

Isaiah 65:21-22;--'They will build houses and dwell in them; they will plant vineyards and eat their fruit. No longer will they build houses and others live in them, or plant and others eat. For as the days of a tree, so will be the days of my people; my chosen ones will long enjoy the work of their hands' (NIV).

³⁶ Also, the descendants of His servants shall inherit it, And those who love His name shall dwell in it.

Isaiah 65:23, 25;--'They will not labor in vain, nor will they bear children doomed to misfortune; for they will be a people blessed by the Lord, they and their descendants with them. The wolf and the lamb will feed together, and the lion will eat straw like the ox, and dust will be the serpent's food. They will neither harm nor destroy on all my holy mountain,' says the Lord' (NIV).