

Psalm 9

A Psalm of David

King James Version (KJV) **An acrostic in Hebrew links Psalm 9 and 10 – The Hebrew alphabet is broken up, not in order, signifying a time of trouble**

9 I will praise thee, O LORD, with my whole heart; I will shew forth all thy marvellous works. **(I will count thy blessings)**

2I will be glad and rejoice in thee: I will sing praise to thy name, O thou most High.

3When mine enemies are turned back, they shall fall and perish at thy presence. **(At the great judgment)**

4For thou hast maintained my right and my cause; thou satest in the throne judging right.

5Thou hast rebuked the heathen, thou hast destroyed the wicked, thou hast put out their name for ever and ever.

6O thou enemy, destructions are come to a perpetual end: and thou hast destroyed cities; their memorial is perished with them. **(God destroyed Babylon, Sodom and Gomorrah and other places of the enemy)**

7But the LORD shall endure for ever: he hath prepared his throne for judgment.

8And he shall judge the world in righteousness, he shall minister judgment to the people in uprightness.

9The LORD also will be a refuge for the oppressed, a refuge in times of trouble. **(Prophetically - The day of Jacob's trouble- The tribulation of Satan)**

10And they that know thy name will put their trust in thee: for thou, LORD, hast not forsaken them that seek thee. **(The elect, the remnant)**

11Sing praises to the LORD, which dwelleth in Zion: declare among the people his doings.

12When he maketh inquisition for blood, he remembereth them: he forgetteth not the cry of the humble.

¹³ Have mercy upon me, O LORD; consider my trouble which I suffer of them that hate me, thou that liftest me up from the gates of death:

¹⁴ That I may shew forth all thy praise in the gates of the daughter of Zion: I will rejoice in thy salvation.

¹⁵ The heathen are sunk down in the pit that they made: in the net which they hid is their own foot taken.

¹⁶ The LORD is known by the judgment which he executeth: the wicked is snared in the work of his own hands. Higgaion. Selah. (Higgaion= meditation, as does Selah..... Like a double meditation)

¹⁷ The wicked shall be turned into hell, and all the nations that forget God. For the needy shall not always be forgotten: the expectation of the poor shall not perish for ever.

¹⁹ Arise, O LORD; let not man prevail: let the heathen be judged in thy sight.

²⁰ Put them in fear, O LORD: that the nations may know themselves to be but men. Selah. (Wake them up, so they can repent, if they are not totally evil.)