

Psalm 21

A Psalm of David

King James Version (KJV)

21 The king shall joy in thy strength, O LORD; and in thy salvation how greatly shall he rejoice! (strength- a prevailing strength)

²Thou hast given him his heart's desire, and hast not withholden the request of his lips. Selah.

³For thou preventest him with the blessings of goodness: thou settest a crown of pure gold on his head. (preventest= precedes -> an old English word)

⁴He asked life of thee, and thou gavest it him, even length of days for ever and ever.

⁵His glory is great in thy salvation: honour and majesty hast thou laid upon him.

⁶For thou hast made him most blessed for ever: thou hast made him exceeding glad with thy countenance.

⁷For the king trusteth in the LORD, and through the mercy of the most High he shall not be moved. (he will not slip or fall)

⁸Thine hand shall find out all thine enemies: thy right hand shall find out those that hate thee. (find out-> take hold of)

⁹Thou shalt make them as a fiery oven in the time of thine anger: the LORD shall swallow them up in his wrath, and the fire shall devour them. **Hebrews-12:29**

¹⁰Their fruit shalt thou destroy from the earth, and their seed from among the children of men. **Mathew-13:37-42**

¹¹For they intended evil against thee: they imagined a mischievous device, which they are not able to perform.

¹²Therefore shalt thou make them turn their back, when thou shalt make ready thine arrows upon thy strings against the face of them.

¹³Be thou exalted, LORD, in thine own strength: so will we sing and praise thy power.

*To the chief musician upon Ai-je-leth Sha-har - the rays of the sun. i.e.
the coronation of Jesus Christ as King of Kings*