

Psalm 102

Hear my prayer, O LORD; let my cry for help come to you. Do not hide your face from me
 1 0 1 1 2 2+ 2 1 2 3 3 2 1 1+ 1 1 0 1 2 3 2+

when I am in dis - tress. Turn your ear to me; when I call, an - swer me quick - ly.
 3 3 2 4 3 2 1+ 2 2 4 3 2 3 3+ 3 2 4 3 2 1 1 2+

For my days van - ish like smoke; my bones burn like glow - ing em - bers.
 2 3 4 4 3 2 3+ 3 2 4 3 2 1 0 1 2 2+

My heart is blight - ed and with - ered like grass; I for - get to eat my food.
 3 3 2 4 3 2 1 0 1 2 2+ 3 3 3 2 4 3 2 1+

Be - cause of my loud groan - ing I am re - duced to skin and bones.
 1 1 2 4 3 2 3 2+ 2 1 2 3 3 3 4 3 3 2+

I am like a de - sert owl, like an owl a - mong the ru - ins. I lie a - wake;
 2 2 2 1 2 3 3+ 1 2 3 3 3 4 3 3 2+ 2 3 2 1 0+

I have be - come like a bird a - lone on a roof. All day long my en - e - mies taunt me;
 0 1 2 2 1 2 4 3 2 3 2 1 1+ 3 2 4 3 2 3 2 2 1+

those who rail a - gainst me use my name as a curse. For I eat ash - es as my food
 1 2 4 4 4 3 2 1 1 0 1 2 2+ 2 1 2 4 3 2 3 3+

and min - gle my drink with tears be - cause of your great wrath, for you have tak - en me up and thrown me a - side.
 2 3 2 1 2 3 2 1 1 1 0 1 2 2+ 3 2 3 4 3 2 3 1 1 2 3 2+

My days are like the eve - ning shad - ow; I with - er a - way like grass. But you, O LORD, sit en - throned for - ev - er;
 2 2 3 4 3 2 1 3 2+ 2 2 3 2 1 2 1 0+ 1 1 2 4+ 3 2 3 4 3 2+

your re - nown en - dures through all gen - er - a - tions. You will a - rise and have com - pas - sion on Zi - on,
 2 3 4 3 2 1 0 1 2 2 1+ 1 2 3 2 4 3 2 1 1 2 3 3 2+

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for it is time to show fa-vor to her; the ap-point-ed time has come. For her stones are dear to your ser-vants;
 3 2 3 4 3 2 1 2 3 2+ 2 3 4 3 2 3 2 1+ 1 1 1 0 1 2 3 3 2+

her ver - y dust___ moves them to pit - y. The na - tions will fear the name of the LORD,
 2 2 3 4 3 2 3 2 2 1+ 1 3 3 3 2 3 4 3 2 3+

all the kings of the earth will re - vere your glo - ry. For the LORD will re - build Zi - on
 2 3 4 3 2 1 0 1 2 3 2 1+ 2 3 4+ 4 3 2 2 3+

and ap - pear in his glo-ry. He will re-spond to the prayer of the des-ti-tute; he will not de-spise their plea.
 2 3 4 3 2 1 2 3+ 3 2 3 4 3 2 1 0 1 2 3 2+ 2 3 4 3 2 3 2 1+

Let this be writ-ten for a fu-ture gen-er - a-tion, that a peo-ple not yet cre-at - ed may praise the LORD:
 1 1 3 2 1 0 1 2 2 3 4 3 2+ 2 3 4 4 4 3 2 2 3 3 3 4 3 2 1+

"The LORD___ looked down from his sanc-tu - ar - y on___ high, from heav-en he viewed the___ earth,
 3 3 4 3 2 1 1 0 1 2 2 2 1 2 3 3+ 3 4 4 3 2 1 2 3 2+

to hear the groans of the pris - on - ers and re - lease those con-demned to death."
 2 2 3 4 3 2 2 3 3+ 2 3 4 3 2 2 3 2 1+

So the name of the LORD will be de-clared in Zi - on and his praise in Je - ru - sa - lem
 1 0 1 2 3 2+ 2 2 3 4 3 3 2+ 2 3 4 3 2 2 3 3+

when the peo - ples and the king - doms as - sem - ble to wor - ship the___ LORD.___
 2 3 4 3 2 1 1 2 3 3 2+ 3 4 3 2 3 2+ 1+

In the course of my___ life he broke my___ strength; he cut short my days.
 1 1 1 0 1 2 2 3 4 3 2 3 3+ 4 3 2 1 1+

So I said: "Do not take me a-way, O my God, in the midst of my days; your years go on through all gen-er-a-tions.
 1 2 2 1 0 1 1 2 2 2 3 2 2 3 4 3 2 3+ 3 2 3 4 3 2 2 3 2 1+

In the be-gin-ning you laid the foun-da-tions of the earth, and the heav-ens are the work of your hands.
 2 2 3 4 3 3 3 2 1 1 0 1 2 2+ 2 3 4 3 2 1 2 2 3 2 1+

They will per - ish, but you re - main; they will all wear out like a gar - ment.
 1 2 3 3 2+ 3 4 3 2 3+ 3 3 2 1 1 0 1 2 1+

Like cloth - ing you will change them and they will be dis - card - ed. But you re - main the same,
 2 2 1 1 2 3 3 2+ 2 4 3 2 3 2 1+ 1 1 0 1 2 2+

and your years will nev - er end. The chil - dren of your ser - vants will live in your pres - ence;
 2 3 4 3 2 3 2 1+ 3 3 3 2 3 4 3 3 4 3 2 1 1 2+

their de - scend - ants will be es - tab - lished be - fore you."
 2 3 4 3 3 2 1 1 0 1 2 1+