

Psalm 38

O LORD, do not re-buke me in your an-ger or dis-ci-pline me in your wrath.
 2 2+ 2 2 3 4 3 2 1 3 2+ 3 4 3 2 1 2 3 3 2+

For your ar-rows have pierced me, and your hand has come down up-on me.
 2 3 4 3 2 3 2+ 2 2 3 3 2 3 4 3 2+

Be-cause of your wrath there is no health in my bod-y; my bones have no sound-ness be-cause of my sin.
 2 2 1 2 3+ 3 3 2 3 3 4 3 2+ 2 2 3 4 3 2 1 1 0 1 2 2+

My guilt has o-ver-whelmed me like a bur-den too heav-y to bear.____ (Pause)
 4 4 3 2 1 3 2+ 2 3 4 3 2 1 2 3 3 2+

My wounds fes-ter and are loath-some be-cause of my sin-ful fol-ly.
 4 4 4 3 2 1 3 2+ 3 4 3 2 1_____ 3 3 2+

I am bowed down and brought ver-y low; all day long I go a-bout mourn-ing.
 4 3 2 1 1 1 2 1 0+ 1 2 4 3 2 3 2 1 2+

My back is filled with sear-ing pain; there is no health in my bod-y.
 1 1 2 4 3 2 3 3+ 3 3 2 3 3 4 3 2+

I am fee-ble and ut-ter-ly crushed; I groan in an-guish of heart. (Pause)
 3 4 3 2 1 1 2 1 0+ 1 1 2 4 3 2 2+ (Pause)

All my long-ings lie o-pen be-fore you, O____ Lord; my sigh-ing is not hid-den from you.____
 3 2 4 3 2 2 3 2 1 0 1 2 2+ 3 3 2 3 4 3 2 1 1 2+

My heart pounds, my strength fails me; e-ven the light has gone from my____ eyes.
 2 2 4+ 2 4 2 2+ 4 3 2 1 1 1 0 1 2 2+

My friends and com-pan-ions a-void me be-cause of my____ wounds; my neigh-bors stay far____ a-way.
 2 2 1 2 3 4 3 3 2 1 1 0 2 3 3+ 3 3 4 3 2 1 3 3 2+

Those who seek my life set their traps, those who would harm me talk of my ru-in; all day long they plot de-cep-tion.
3 3 3 2 3 3 4 3+ 3 3 2 4 3 1 2 3 3 2+ 1 2 4 3 2 1 3 2+ (Pause)

I am like a deaf man, who can - not hear, like a mute, who can - not o - pen his mouth;
3 2 3 4 3 2 2 4 3 3+ 3 2 4 3 2 1 1 2 3 3 2+

I have be - come like a man who does not hear, whose mouth can of - fer no re - ply. —
3 3 2 3 3 4 3 2 4 3 3+ 3 4 3 2 1 2 3 3 2+

I wait for you, O ——— LORD; you will an - swer, O Lord my — God.
2 3 3 3+ 2 3 4 3 2 3 3+ 3 4 3 2+ 1 1 0 1 2 2+

For I said, — “Do not let them gloat or ex - alt them - selves o - ver me when my foot slips.”
2 3 2 1+ 1 2 4 4 4 3 4 3 2 2 1 0 1 2 3 3 2+ (Pause)

For I am a - bout to fall, and my pain is ev - er with — me.
2 2 4 3 2 1 1+ 1 1 1 1 1 1 0 1 2 2+

I con - fess my in - i - qui - ty; I am trou - bled by my — sin.
2 2 4 4 3 2 1 1+ 1 1 1 0 1 1 2 2+

Man - y are those who are my vig - or - ous en - e - mies; those who hate me with - out rea - son are nu - mer - ous.
3 3 2 3 2 2 3 4 3 2 1 2 1+ 1 2 3 3 3 2 3 3 4 3 2 2+

Those who re - pay my good with e - vil slan - der me when I pur - sue what is good.
3 3 3 3 2 3 4 3 2+ 1 1 1 1 1 0 1 2 3 2+ (Pause)

O ——— LORD, do not for - sake me; be not far from me, O ——— my — God.
4 3 2 1 2 2+ 2 2 3 2 1+ 1 2 3 3 3+ 4 3 2 1 2 3 3 2+

Come quick - ly to help me, O — Lord my — Sav - ior.
2 4 3 2 3 2+ 2 3 2 1+ 1 0 1 2 2+