

PSALM 25

¹ A Psalm of David.

To You, O Lord, have I lifted up my soul.

² O my God, I have trusted in You; let me not be confounded, neither let my enemies laugh me to scorn.

³ For none of them that wait on You shall in any way be ashamed; let them be ashamed that transgress without cause.

⁴ Show me Your ways, O Lord; and teach me Your paths.

⁵ Lead me in Your truth, and teach me; for You are God my Savior; and I have waited on You all the day.

⁶ Remember Your compassions, O Lord, and Your mercies, for they are from everlasting.

⁷ Do not remember the sins of my youth, nor *my sins* of ignorance; remember me according to Your mercy, for Your goodness' sake, O Lord.

⁸ Good and upright is the Lord; therefore will He instruct sinners in the way.

⁹ The meek will He guide in judgment; the meek will He teach His ways.

¹⁰ All the ways of the Lord are mercy and truth to them that seek His covenant and His testimonies.

¹¹ For Your name's sake, O Lord, be merciful to my sin; for it is great.

¹² Who is the man that fears the Lord? He shall instruct him in the way which he has chosen.

¹³ His soul shall dwell in prosperity; and his seed shall inherit the earth.

¹⁴ The Lord is the strength of them that fear Him; and His covenant is to manifest *truth* to them.

¹⁵ My eyes are continually toward the Lord; for He shall draw my feet out of the snare.

¹⁶ Look upon me, and have mercy upon me; for I am an only child and poor.

¹⁷ The afflictions of my heart have been multiplied; deliver me from my distresses.

¹⁸ Look upon my affliction and my trouble, and forgive all my sins.

¹⁹ Look upon my enemies; for they have been multiplied, and they have hated me with an unjust hatred.

²⁰ Keep my soul, and deliver me; let me not be ashamed; for I have hoped in You.

²¹ The harmless and upright joined themselves to me; for I waited for You, O Lord.

²² Deliver Israel, O God, out of all his afflictions.