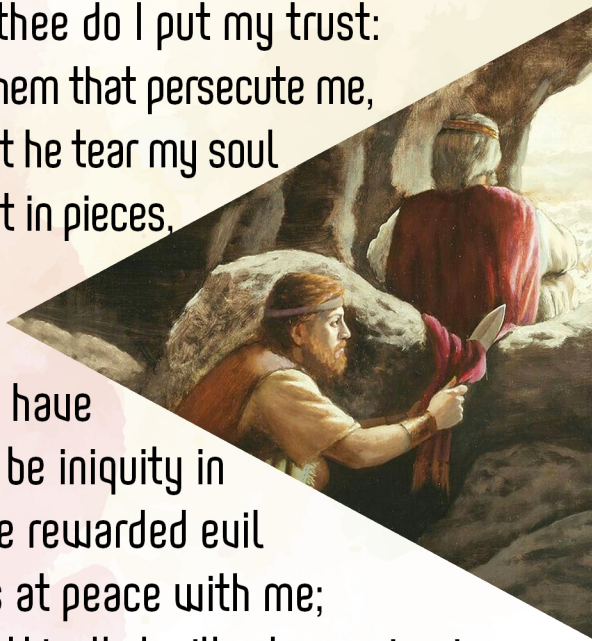


O Lord my God, in thee do I put my trust:
save me from all them that persecute me,
and deliver me: Lest he tear my soul
like a lion, rending it in pieces,
while there is
none to deliver.



O Lord my God, if I have
done this; if there be iniquity in
my hands; If I have rewarded evil
unto him that was at peace with me;
(yea, I have delivered him that without cause is mine enemy:)



Let the enemy persecute my soul, and take it; yea,
let him tread down my life upon the earth, and lay mine honour
in the dust. Selah. Arise, O Lord, in thine anger, lift up thyself
because of the rage of mine enemies: and awake for me to the judgment
that thou hast commanded. So shall the congregation of the people compass thee
about: for their sakes therefore return thou on high. The Lord shall judge the people:
judge me, O Lord, according to my righteousness, and according to mine integrity that is
in me. Oh let the wickedness of the wicked come to an end; but establish the just: for the
righteous God trieth the hearts and reins. My defence is of God, which saveth the upright
in heart.

God judgeth the righteous, and God is angry with the wicked every day.

Psalm 7

If he turn not, he will whet his sword; he hath
bent his bow, and made it ready. He hath also
prepared for him the instruments of death;

he ordaineth his arrows against
the persecutors. Behold, he travaileth
with iniquity, and hath conceived mischief,
and brought forth falsehood. He made a pit,
and digged it, and is fallen into the ditch
which he made. His mischief shall return upon
his own head, and his violent dealing shall
come down upon his own pate. I will praise
the Lord according to his righteousness: and will
sing praise to the name of the Lord most high.

