SONGS OF THE SAVIOR

SUMMER OF PSALMS

"FOR THE WORD OF GOD IS LIVING AND ACTIVE, SHARPER THAN ANY TWO-EDGED SWORD, PIERCING TO THE DIVISION OF SOUL AND OF SPIRIT, OF JOINTS AND OF MARROW, AND DISCERNING THE THOUGHTS AND INTENTIONS OF THE HEART."

- HEBREWS 4:12

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HOW SHALL WE SING THE LORD'S SONG?

- PSALM 137 -

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"BY THE WATERS OF BABYLON,
THERE WE SAT DOWN AND WEPT,
WHEN WE REMEMBERED ZION
ON THE WILLOWS THERE
WE HUNG UP OUR LYRES. OR THERE OUR CAPTORS
REQUIRED OF US SONGS,
AND OUR TORMENTORS, MIRTH, SAYING,
"SING US ONE OF THE SONGS OF ZION!"
HOW SHALL WE SING THE LORD'S SONG
IN A FOREIGN LAND?"

- VV 1-4

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IF I FORGET YOU, O JERUSALEM,
LET MY RIGHT HAND FORGET ITS SKILL!
LET MY TONGUE STICK TO THE ROOF OF MY MOUTH,
IF I DO NOT REMEMBER YOU,
IF I DO NOT SET JERUSALEM ABOVE MY HIGHEST JOY!

– VV 5-6

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"REMEMBER, O LORD, AGAINST THE EDOMITES
THE DAY OF JERUSALEM,
HOW THEY SAID, "LAY IT BARE, LAY IT BARE,
DOWN TO ITS FOUNDATIONS!"
O DAUGHTER OF BABYLON, DOOMED TO BE DESTROYED,
BLESSED SHALL HE BE WHO REPAYS YOU
WITH WHAT YOU HAVE DONE TO US!
BLESSED SHALL HE BE WHO TAKES YOUR LITTLE ONES
AND DASHES THEM AGAINST THE ROCK!"

- VV 7-9

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1. PREVALENT IN THE OLD AND NEW TESTAMENTS

"MAKE THEM BEAR THEIR GUILT, O GOD;
LET THEM FALL BY THEIR OWN COUNSELS;
BECAUSE OF THE ABUNDANCE OF THEIR TRANSGRESSIONS CAST THEM OUT,
FOR THEY HAVE REBELLED AGAINST YOU."

– PSALM 5:10

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"LET SINNERS BE CONSUMED FROM THE EARTH,
AND LET THE WICKED BE NO MORE!" (PSALM 104:35)

– PSALM 104:35

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"IF ANYONE HAS NO LOVE FOR THE LORD, LET HIM BE ACCURSED."

– 1 CORINTHIANS 16:22

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"BUT EVEN IF WE OR AN ANGEL FROM HEAVEN SHOULD PREACH TO YOU A GOSPEL CONTRARY TO THE ONE WE PREACHED TO YOU, LET HIM BE ACCURSED."

– GALATIANS 1:8

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1. PREVALENT IN THE OLD AND NEW TESTAMENTS
2. GOD'S PEOPLE ARE SUBJECT TO THE SAME TYPE OF PUNISHMENT

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"'CURSED BE THE MAN WHO MAKES A CARVED OR CAST METAL IMAGE, AN ABOMINATION TO THE LORD, A THING MADE BY THE HANDS OF A CRAFTSMAN, AND SETS IT UP IN SECRET.' AND ALL THE PEOPLE SHALL ANSWER AND SAY, 'AMEN.'

– DEUTERONOMY 27:15

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3. NOT PERSONAL

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3. NOT PERSONAL
4. REPEAT OFFENDERS
5. ALIGNED WITH GOD'S JUST AND RIGHTEOUS NATURE

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"BELOVED, NEVER AVENGE YOURSELVES, BUT LEAVE IT TO THE WRATH OF GOD, FOR IT IS WRITTEN, "VENGEANCE IS MINE, I WILL REPAY, SAYS THE LORD."

– ROMANS 12:9

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"THUS SAYS THE LORD GOD: BECAUSE EDOM ACTED REVENGEFULLY AGAINST THE HOUSE OF JUDAH AND HAS GRIEVOUSLY OFFENDED IN TAKING VENGEANCE ON THEM,THEREFORE THUS SAYS THE LORD GOD, I WILL STRETCH OUT MY HAND AGAINST EDOM AND CUT OFF FROM IT MAN AND BEAST. AND I WILL MAKE IT DESOLATE: FROM TEMAN EVEN TO DEDAN THEY SHALL FALL BY THE SWORD."

– EZEKIEL 25:12-13

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"THE PSALMS HAVE, AMONG OTHER ROLES IN SCRIPTURE ONE WHICH IS PECULIARLY THEIR OWN: TO TOUCH AND KINDLE US RATHER THAN SIMPLY ADDRESS US. THE PASSAGES ON WHICH WE MAY BE TEMPTED TO SIT IN JUDGMENT HAVE THE SHOCKING IMMEDIACY OF A SCREAM, TO STARTLE US INTO FEELING SOMETHING OF THE DESPERATION WHICH PRODUCED THEM. THIS IS REVELATION IN A MODE MORE INDIRECT BUT MORE INTIMATE THAN MOST OTHER FORMS. WITHOUT IT WE SHOULD HAVE LESS EMBARRASSMENT BUT STILL LESS CONCEPTION OF THE DARK PLACES OF THE EARTH WHICH ARE FULL OF THE HABITATIONS OF CRUELTY, A CRUELTY WHICH CAN BRING FAITHFUL MEN TO BREAKING POINT."

– DEREK KIDNER

THE SOAKER
SUMMER OF PSALMS

HOW DOES THIS PSALM POINT TO JESUS?

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