Psalms 102

1. «A Prayer of the afflicted, when he is overwhelmed, and poureth out his complaint before the LORD.>> Hear my prayer, O LORD, and let my cry come unto thee.

2. Hide not thy face from me in the day [when] I am in trouble; incline thine ear unto me: in the day [when] I call answer me speedily.

3. For my days are consumed like smoke, and my bones are burned as an hearth.

4. My heart is smitten, and withered like grass; so that I forget to eat my bread.

5. By reason of the voice of my groaning my bones cleave to my skin.

6. I am like a pelican of the wilderness: I am like an owl of the desert.

7. I watch, and am as a sparrow alone upon the house top.

8. Mine enemies reproach me all the day; [and] they that are mad against me are sworn against me.

9. For I have eaten ashes like bread, and mingled my drink with weeping.

10. Because of thine indignation and thy wrath: for thou hast lifted me up, and cast me down.

11. My days [are] like a shadow that declineth; and I am withered like grass.

12. But thou, O LORD, shalt endure for ever; and thy remembrance unto all generations.
Psalms 102

102:13 (102:14)

YHWH, in the heavens you have made your throne; you are enthroned forever.

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verse 102:14

You shall arise, [and] have mercy upon Zion; for the time to favour her, yea, the set time, is come.

verse 102:15

For thy servants take pleasure in her stones, and favour the dust thereof.

verse 102:16

So the heathen shall fear the name of the LORD, and all the kings of the earth thy glory.

verse 102:17

When the LORD shall build up Zion, he shall appear in his glory.

verse 102:18

He will regard the prayer of the destitute, and not despise their prayer.

verse 102:19

This shall be written for the generation to come: and the people which shall be created shall praise the LORD.

verse 102:20

For he hath looked down from the height of his sanctuary; from heaven did the LORD behold the earth;

verse 102:21

To hear the groaning of the prisoner; to loose those that are appointed to death;

verse 102:22

To declare the name of the LORD in Zion, and his praise in Jerusalem;

verse 102:23

When the people are gathered together, and the kingdoms, to serve the LORD.

verse 102:24

He weakened my strength in the way; he shortened my days.

verse 102:25

I said, O my God, take me not away in the midst of my days: thy years [are] throughout all generations.

verse 102:26

Of old hast thou laid the foundation of the earth: and the heavens [are] the work of thy hands.
They shall perish, but thou shalt endure: yea, all of them shall wax old like a garment; as a vesture shalt thou change them, and they shall be changed:

But thou [art] the same, and thy years shall have no end.

The children of thy servants shall continue, and their seed shall be established before thee.