

<sup>1</sup>A Song of degrees. LORD, remember David, and all his afflictions:<sup>2</sup>How he swore unto the LORD, and vowed unto the mighty God of Jacob;<sup>3</sup>Surely I will not come into the tabernacle of my house, nor go up into my bed;<sup>4</sup>I will not give sleep to mine eyes, or slumber to mine eyelids,<sup>5</sup>Until I find out a place for the LORD, an habitation for the mighty God of Jacob.<sup>6</sup>Lo, we heard of it at Ephratah: we found it in the fields of the wood.<sup>7</sup>We will go into his tabernacles: we will worship at his footstool.<sup>8</sup>Arise, O LORD, into thy rest; thou, and the ark of thy strength.<sup>9</sup>Let thy priests be clothed with righteousness; and let thy saints shout for joy.<sup>10</sup>For thy servant David's sake turn not away the face of thine anointed.<sup>11</sup>The

LORD hath sworn in truth unto David; he will not turn from it; Of the fruit of thy body will I set upon thy throne.<sup>12</sup>If thy children will keep my covenant and my testimony that I shall teach them, their children shall also sit upon thy throne for evermore.<sup>13</sup>For the LORD hath chosen Zion; he hath desired it for his habitation.<sup>14</sup>This is my rest for ever: here will I dwell; for I have desired it.<sup>15</sup>I will abundantly bless her provision: I will satisfy her poor with bread.<sup>16</sup>I will also clothe her priests with salvation: and her saints shall shout aloud for joy.<sup>17</sup>There will I make the horn of David to bud: I have ordained a lamp for mine anointed.<sup>18</sup>His enemies will I clothe with shame: but upon himself shall his crown flourish.