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¹A Psalm of David, Maschil. Blessed is he whose transgression is forgiven, whose sin is covered.²Blessed is the man unto whom the LORD imputeth not iniquity, and in whose spirit there is no guile.³When I kept silence, my bones waxed old through my roaring all the day long.⁴For day and night thy hand was heavy upon me: my moisture is turned into the drought of summer. Selah.⁵I acknowledged my sin unto thee, and mine iniquity have I not hid. I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the LORD; and thou forgavest the iniquity of my sin. Selah.⁶For this shall every one that is godly pray unto thee in a time when thou mayest be found: surely in the floods of great waters they shall not come nigh unto him.⁷Thou art my hiding place; thou shalt preserve me from trouble; thou shalt compass me about with songs of deliverance. Selah.⁸I will instruct thee and teach thee in the way which thou shalt go: I will guide thee with mine eye.⁹Be ye not as the horse, or as the mule, which have no understanding: whose mouth must be held in with bit and bridle, lest they come near unto thee.¹⁰Many sorrows shall be to the wicked: but he that trusteth in the LORD, mercy shall compass him about.¹¹Be glad in the LORD, and rejoice, ye righteous: and shout for joy, all ye that are upright in heart.

¹طُوبَى لِلَّذِي غُفِرَ إِثْمُهُ وَسُيِّرَتْ خَطِيئَتُهُ. ²طُوبَى لِرَجُلٍ لَا يَحْسِبُ لَهُ الرَّبُّ حَطِيئَةً وَلَا فِي رُوحِهِ غِشٌّ. ³لَمَّا سَكَتَ بَلَيْتَ عِظَامِي مِنْ رَفِيرِ الْيَوْمِ كُلِّهِ. ⁴لَآنَ يَدَكَ تَقُلْتُ عَلَى نَهَارٍ وَلَيْلًا، تَحَوَّلْتُ رُطُوبَتِي إِلَى يَبُوسَةٍ الْقَيْطِ. ⁵سِيْلَا. أَعْتَرِفُ لَكَ بِخَطِيئَتِي وَلَا أَكْتُمُ إِنْمِي. قُلْتُ: أَعْتَرِفُ لِلرَّبِّ بِذُنُوبِي، وَأَنْتَ رَفَعْتَ أُنَامَ خَطِيئَتِي. ⁶سِيْلَا. لِهَذَا يُصَلِّي لَكَ كُلُّ تَقِيٍّ فِي وَقْتٍ يَجِدُكَ فِيهِ، عِنْدَ عَمَارَةِ الْمِيَاهِ الْكَثِيرَةِ إِيَّاهُ لَا تُصِيبُ. ⁷أَنْتَ سِتْرٌ لِي، مِنَ الصَّيْقِ تَحْفَظُنِي، بِتَرْتُمِ النِّجَاةَ تَكْتِفُنِي. ⁸سِيْلَا. ⁹"أَعْلَمُكَ وَأُرْشِدُكَ الطَّرِيقَ الَّتِي تَسْلُكُهَا، أَنْصَحُكَ، عَيْنِي عَلَيْكَ." ⁹لَا تَكُونُوا كَقَرَسٍ أَوْ بَعْلِ بِلَا فَهْمٍ، يَلْجَأُ وَزِمَامُ زَبْنِهِ بِكُمْ لِيَلَّا يَذْنُو إِلَيْكَ. ¹⁰كَثِيرَةٌ هِيَ تَكْبَاثُ السَّرِيرِ، أَمَّا الْمُتَوَكِّلُ عَلَى الرَّبِّ فَالزَّحْمَةُ تُحِيطُ بِهِ. ¹¹افْرَحُوا بِالرَّبِّ وَابْتَهِجُوا، يَا أَيُّهَا الصَّادِقُونَ، وَاهْتَفُوا، يَا جَمِيعَ الْمُسْتَقِيمِي الْقُلُوبِ.