

Psalm 9:1-20

- I will give thanks to the LORD with my whole heart;
I will recount all of your wonderful deeds.
- ² I will be glad and exult in you;
I will sing praise to your name, O Most High.
- ³ When my enemies turn back,
they stumble and perish before your presence.
- ⁴ For you have maintained my just cause;
you have sat on the throne, giving righteous judgment.
- ⁵ You have rebuked the nations; you have made the wicked perish;
you have blotted out their name forever and ever.
- ⁶ The enemy came to an end in everlasting ruins;
their cities you rooted out;
the very memory of them has perished.
- ⁷ But the LORD sits enthroned forever;
he has established his throne for justice,
- ⁸ and he judges the world with righteousness;
he judges the peoples with uprightness.
- ⁹ The LORD is a stronghold for the oppressed,
a stronghold in times of trouble.
- ¹⁰ And those who know your name put their trust in you,
for you, O LORD, have not forsaken those who seek you.
- ¹¹ Sing praises to the LORD, who sits enthroned in Zion!
Tell among the peoples his deeds!
- ¹² For he who avenges blood is mindful of them;
he does not forget the cry of the afflicted.
- ¹³ Be gracious to me, O LORD!
See my affliction from those who hate me,
O you who lift me up from the gates of death,
- ¹⁴ that I may recount all your praises,
that in the gates of the daughter of Zion
I may rejoice in your salvation.
- ¹⁵ The nations have sunk in the pit that they made;
in the net that they hid, their own foot has been caught.
- ¹⁶ The LORD has made himself known; he has executed judgment;
the wicked are snared in the work of their own hands.

- ¹⁷ The wicked shall return to Sheol,
all the nations that forget God.
- ¹⁸ For the needy shall not always be forgotten,
and the hope of the poor shall not perish forever.
- ¹⁹ Arise, O LORD! Let not man prevail;
let the nations be judged before you!
- ²⁰ Put them in fear, O LORD!
Let the nations know that they are but men!