

Chapter 130

A song of ascents. From the depths [(of the exile)] have I called You, O Lord. O Lord, hear my voice. Let Your ears hearken to the voice of my supplications. If transgressions You heed, O Lord, O Lord, who shall stand? For with You [(and with no other)] is forgiveness, so that You be feared. I have hoped in the Lord; my soul has hoped. And to His word have I aspired. My soul [has yearned] for the Lord. [I am one] of the watchers for the morning [of redemption], of the [continual] watchers for the morning. Hope, O Israel, in the Lord. For with the Lord is lovingkindness and there is much redemption with Him. And He will redeem Israel from

Chapter 91

He who dwells in the secret place of the most High, who abides under the shadow of the Almighty, Will say to the Lord, My refuge and my fortress, my God, in whom I trust, For he shall save you from the snare of the fowler, and from the noisome pestilence. He shall cover you with his feathers, and under his wings shall you find refuge; his truth shall be your shield and buckler. You shall not be afraid of the terror by night; nor of the arrow that flies by day; Nor of the pestilence that walks in darkness; nor of the destruction that wastes at noonday. A thousand shall fall at your side, and ten thousand at your right hand; but it shall not come near you. Only with your eyes shall you behold and see the reward of the wicked. Because you, O Lord, are my refuge. You have made the most High your habitation; No evil shall befall you, nor shall any plague come near your dwelling. For he shall give his angels charge over you, to keep you in all your ways. They shall carry you up in their hands, lest you dash your foot against a stone.