

Thursday, March 4, 2010

Psalm 63

[1] O God, you are my God, I seek you,
my soul thirsts for you;
my flesh faints for you,
as in a dry and weary land where there is no water.

[2] So I have looked upon you in the sanctuary,
beholding your power and glory.

[3] Because your steadfast love is better than life,
my lips will praise you.

[4] So I will bless you as long as I live;
I will lift up my hands and call on your name.

[5] My soul is satisfied as with a rich feast,
and my mouth praises you with joyful lips

[6] when I think of you on my bed,
and meditate on you in the watches of the night;

[7] for you have been my help,
and in the shadow of your wings I sing for joy.

[8] My soul clings to you;
your right hand upholds me.

[9] But those who seek to destroy my life
shall go down into the depths of the earth;

[10] they shall be given over to the power of the sword,
they shall be prey for jackals.

[11] But the king shall rejoice in God;
all who swear by him shall exult,
for the mouths of liars will be stopped.