

Message Notes for July 16, 2023

Message Series: Psalm 10 — The Needy Shall Not Always Be Forgotten

Message Title: What is the character and deeds of wicked people?

Around 300 B.C the Bible was first translated from Hebrew to Greek.

It is called the _____.

Why, O Lord, do you stand far off?

Why do you hide yourself in times of trouble?

Psalm 10:1 NRSV

Come and deal with all these proud and wicked men who viciously persecute the poor. Pour upon these men the evil they planned for others!

Psalm 10:2 LIV

The wicked brag about their deepest desires.

Those greedy people hate and curse you, Lord.

Psalm 10:3 CEV

In his pride the wicked man does not seek him;
in all his thoughts there is no room for God.

Psalm 10:4 NIV

They care nothing for what you think;
if you get in their way, they blow you off.

Psalm 10:5 MES

They say to themselves, “We will never fail; we will never be in trouble.”

Their speech is filled with curses, lies, and threats;
they are quick to speak hateful, evil words.

Psalm 10:6-7 TEV

He sits in the lurking places of the villages;
In the secret places he murders the innocent;
His eyes are secretly fixed on the helpless. Psalm 10:8 NKJV

They mark the luckless, then wait like a hunter in a blind;
When the poor wretch wanders too close, they stab him in the back.
The hapless fool is kicked to the ground, the unlucky victim is brutally axed.
Psalm 10:9-10 MES

He says to himself, "God will never notice; he covers his face and never sees."
Psalm 10:11 NIV

They think in their heart, 'God has forgotten,
he has hidden his face, he will never see it.'
Psalm 10:11 NRSV

Arise, Lord! Lift up your hand, O God.
Do not forget the helpless. Psalm 10:12 NIV

Lord, you see what they are doing. You have noted each evil act. You know what trouble and grief they have caused. Now punish them. O Lord, the poor man trusts himself to you; you are known as the helper of the helpless. Break the arms of these wicked men. Go after them until the last of them is destroyed.
Psalm 10:14-15 LIV

The Lord is king for ever and ever; the nations shall perish from his land.
O Lord, you will hear the desire of the meek; you will strengthen their heart,
you will incline your ear to do justice for the orphan and the oppressed,
so that those from earth may strike terror no more. Psalm 10:16-18 NRSV