

Psalm 70

This Psalm seems to be a repeating of Psalm 40:13-17, and is a follow-up to the previous Psalm in which David vividly describes his _____ and his wishes on those who are seeking his destruction.

1 Make haste, O God, to deliver me; make haste to help me, O LORD.

Make haste-added by the translators for understanding

God-Elohim Used _____ times in the OT; the supreme God

Make haste to deliver me-_____ me away from this present situation quickly

Make haste to help me-_____ give me help from the trouble I am presently facing

2 Let them be ashamed and confounded that seek after my soul: let them be turned backward, and put to confusion, that desire my hurt.

"Let them be confounded; viz., among themselves, and in their own understandings: and put to shame; viz., in the sight and presence of men before whom they think to attain great glory, in banding themselves against me." Thomas Wilcocks. [The Treasury of David.]

Ashamed-put to shame and _____

Confounded-_____ in their actions

Seek after my soul-are the _____ of my life to destroy me

Turned backward-made to _____

Put to confusion-put to shame, _____ or insulted

Desire my hurt-wish me _____, distress, misery, injury, calamity

3 Let them be turned back for a reward of their shame that say, Aha, aha.

Let their evil actions turn on them and _____ them and bring them to shame so that others will say about them what they are wanting people to say about me-Aha, aha (look at them!!)

Reward-_____ their own action

Their Shame-the shame they are trying to cause me become _____ shame

4 Let all those that seek thee rejoice and be glad in thee: and let such as love thy salvation say continually, Let God be magnified.

Let-_____

Those that seek Thee-people who are _____ to live for God

Rejoice-_____ happiness and cause for joy

Be glad-to be _____ up

In Thee-the _____ for rejoicing and gladness is faith in God

Love thy salvation-desire and find _____ in God's deliverance

Let God be magnified-lifted up and _____

5 But I am poor and needy: make haste unto me, O God: thou art my help and my deliverer; O LORD, make no tarrying.

Poor and needy-poor, _____ and in great need

Make haste unto me-hurry to my defense and _____

Thou art my help-You are my only _____ and hope

Thou art my deliverer-You are the one to bring me _____ of this mess

Make no tarrying-Please do not _____ your deliverance