

O Lord, put your ear close so that *you* can hear me: | for I am poor, *and* in need.

Save my life, for I have been good and holy. Keep me safe, for *you* are my God | and I am your servant, who *trusts* in you.

Lord, be merciful to me, | for I call out to you all the day long.

Be joyful in the *soul* of your servant, | because I lift up my *soul* to you.

For you, Lord, *are* good and forgiving. | You are lavish in your mercy to *those* who call on you.

Open your ear to my prayer, | listen to my voice when I plead to you.

I will call on you in that day when I am in trouble, | and you will answer me.

There is none like you among the Gods. | Nothing compares to the things you have done.

All the nations you have made will come *and* bow before you | and will glorify your name.

For you are great, | and you alone, O God, do wondrous things.

Lord, teach me your way and I will walk sur*round*ed by your truth. | Make my heart *fear* your name.

I will praise you, O Lord my God, with *all* my heart; | and I will glorify your name *for* all time.

For your mercy *is* great towards me; | you have rescued my soul *from* the depths of Hell.

O God, the arrogant have risen *up* against me, | and a violent mob has sought my life - they did not have *you* as their guide.

But you are the Lord. You are a *com*passionate God. | Gracious, slow to anger and rich *in* mercy and truth.

Turn to me, and have *mercy* on me. | Give me, your servant, your strength and save me, your *ser*vant's son.

Show me a sign of your goodness, so that those who hate me can see it *and* be ashamed | because you, O Lord, have helped me *and* comforted me.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son | and to the Holy Spirit.

As it is, always has been and *al*ways will be, | through the infinite *ag*es. Amen.