

## Psalm 13

1. How long, O LORD? Will you forget me forever?  
How long will you hide your face from me?
2. How long must I wrestle with my thoughts  
and every day have sorrow in my heart?  
How long will my enemy triumph over me?
3. Look on me and answer, O LORD my God.  
Give light to my eyes, or I will sleep in death;
4. my enemy will say, "I have overcome him,"  
and my foes will rejoice when I fall.
5. But I trust in your unfailing love;  
my heart rejoices in your salvation.
6. I will sing to the LORD,  
for he has been good to me.

## Psalm 42

9. I say to God my Rock,  
"Why have you forgotten me?  
Why must I go about mourning,  
oppressed by the enemy?"
10. My bones suffer mortal agony  
as my foes taunt me,  
saying to me all day long,  
"Where is your God?"
11. Why are you downcast, O my soul?  
Why so disturbed within me?  
Put your hope in God,  
for I will yet praise him,  
my Savior and my God.

## Lamentations 5

1. Remember, O LORD, what has happened to us;  
look, and see our disgrace.
2. Our inheritance has been turned over to aliens,  
our homes to foreigners.
3. We have become orphans and fatherless,  
our mothers like widows.
4. We must buy the water we drink;  
our wood can be had only at a price.
5. Those who pursue us are at our heels;  
we are weary and find no rest.