Psalms 22

The Path to Understanding Psalms 23-Is Understanding Psalms 22

- 1) Psalms 22 is one of the most spectacular examples of inspired scripture in the Bible.
- 2) Psalms 22 is quoted at least 7 times in the New Testament

3) Psalms 22 was written by King David Approximately 750 years before the crucifixion of Messiah-

Before crucifixion was known as a method of execution.

We know what Messiah said on the cross-

But what was he thinking?

1) My EI, my EI why have you forsaken Me? Far from saving Me, far from the words of My groaning?

2) O My Elohim, I call by day time, but you will not answer; and by night but I find no rest.

- 3) Yet You are set apart enthroned in the praises of Yisrael.4) Our fathers trusted in You: they trusted, and You delivered them.
- 5) they cried to You, and were delivered: they trusted in You, and were not ashamed.

6) but I am a worm, and no man; a reproach of men, and despised of the people

Worm- towla תלה Strongs # 8438 Crimson Grub/Worm It is the same crimson found in Isaiah 1:18 Exodus 25:4

- 7) All those who see Me mock Me; they shoot out the lip, they shake the head, saying,
- 8) He trusted in the Yahovah that he would deliver him: let him rescue him, Let Him deliver Him, seeing He has delighted in Him.

- 9) For you are the one that took Me out of the womb: Causing Me to trust while on My mother's breasts.
 - 10) I was cast upon You from birth: From My mother's belly, You have been My El.
 - 11) Do not be far from Me; for distress is near; for there is none to help.

12) Many bulls have surrounded Me; strong ones of Bashan encircled Me.

Identification of these bulls of Bashan can be found in Deuteronomy 3:1-12.

13) They opened their mouths against Me as a raging and roaring lion.

Let's identify the "they" (vs. 13) Matthew 27:35-36

35) and they crucified Him and parted His garments, casting lots, that it might be fulfilled which was spoken by the prophet,They parted my garments among them, and upon my vesture did they cast lots.36) and sitting down they watched Him there.

14) I am poured out like water, and all My bones are spread apart: My heart is become like wax: it is melted in the midst of My inward parts. 15) My strength is dried up like a potsherd; and My tongue is cleaving to My jaws; and to the dust of death You are appointing Me.

16) For dogs have Surrounded Me, A crowd of evil ones have encircled Me Piercing My hands and My feet. 17) I count all My bones: they look and stare at Me. 18) They divide My garments among them, and for My raiment they cast lots.

19) But You, O Yahovah do not be far off. O My strength, haste to help Me! 20) Deliver My life from the sword, My only life from the power of the dog. 21) Save Me from the mouth of the lion; And from the horns of the wild beasts! You have answered Me.

- 22) I will make known Your name to My brothers- in the midst of the assembly will I praise You.
- 23) You who fear Yahovah, praise Him! All you seed of Jacob(Ya'aqob), esteem Him; and fear Him, all ye the seed of Yisrael! 24) For He has not despised nor hated the affiliations of the afflicted, nor has He hid His face from Him, but when He cried to Him, He heard.

- 25) From You is My praise in the great assembly; I will pay My vows before those that fear Him.
 - 26) The meek ones do eat and are satisfied; Let those who seek Him praise Yahovah! Let your heart live forever!

27) Let all the ends of the earth remember and turn to Yahovah and all clans of the nations bow themselves before You. 28) For the reign belongs to Yahovah; and he is ruling over the nations. 29) All the fat ones of the earth shall eat and bow themselves, all who go down to the dust bow before Him: Even he who did not keep alive his own life.

30) A seed shall serve Him, it is declared of Yahovah to the coming generation.

31) They shall come, and shall declare his righteousness to a people yet to be born, For He shall do it!

Psalms 23 1) Yahovah is my Shepard, I shall not lack 2) He makes me to lie down in green pastures; He leads me

3) He turns back My being. He leads me in the paths of righteousness for His Name's sake.

beside still waters.

- 4) When I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil for You are with Me, thy rod and thy staff they comfort Me.
- 5) Thou spread before Me a table in the face of mine enemies; You have anointed My head with oil, My cup runs over.

6) Only goodness and loving commitment follow Me all the days of My life; and I will dwell in the house of the Yahovah to the length of My days.