

Portrayal of the Messiah in Psalms 22 & Psalm 110



Psalm 22



- **Alternative Interpretation**
- **For the director of music. To the tune of “The Doe of the Morning.” A psalm of David.**
- **Imagine musical movement**
- **My God, I cry out by day, but you do not answer,
by night, but I find no rest**

Who God is

- **enthroned as the Holy One**
- **the one Israel praises**
- **In you our ancestors put their trust**



Who God is

- **you have been my God**
- **You are my strength**
- **dominion belongs to the LORD
and he rules over the nations.**



What God Has Done

- you delivered them
- Yet you brought me out of the womb
- you made me trust in you, even at my mother's breast
- You are my strength



What God Has Done

- **For he has not despised or scorned the suffering of the afflicted one; he has not hidden his face from him but has listened to his cry for help**





Personal Predicament

- **My God, my God, why have you forsaken me?**

**Why are you so far from saving me,
so far from my cries of anguish?**

**² My God, I cry out by day, but you do
not answer,
by night, but I find no rest**



Personal Predicament

- But I am a worm and not a man,
scorned by everyone, despised by
the people
- ⁷ All who see me mock me;
they hurl insults, shaking their
heads

Personal Predicament



- **trouble is near
and there is no one to help**
- **Many bulls surround me;
strong bulls of Bashan encircle me.
¹³ Roaring lions that tear their prey
open their mouths wide against me.**



Personal Predicament

- I am poured out like water,
and all my bones are out of joint.
My heart has turned to wax;
it has melted within me.
- ¹⁵ My mouth is dried up like a potsherd,
and my tongue sticks to the roof of
my mouth;
you lay me in the dust of death.

Personal Predicament



- **Dogs surround me,
a pack of villains encircles me;
they pierce my hands and my feet.**
- 17 All my bones are on display;
people stare and gloat over me.**
- 18 They divide my clothes among them
and cast lots for my garment.**

Requests Made

Known

- Do not be far from me
- But you, LORD, do not be far from me.

You are my strength; come quickly to help me.

- Deliver me, rescue me, save me



Re-affirmation

- **For he has not despised or scorned the suffering of the afflicted one; he has not hidden his face from him but has listened to his cry for help.**



Praise in the Great Assembly



- **Vv. 25-31**
- **Final affirmation of God working=
He had done it!**
- **“It is finished” in the gospel of John**

Psalm 110

- **The LORD says to my lord:**
- **“Sit at my right hand
until I make your enemies
a footstool for your feet.”**

