

פרק נב - Psalm 52

א לַמְנַצֵּחַ מִשְׁכִּיל לְדָוִד:

1. To the Chief Musician, an instruction of David.

La'menase'ah maskil le'David.

ב בְּבוֹא | דוֹעַג הָאֲדוֹמִי וַיַּגֵּד לְשָׁאוּל וַיֹּאמֶר לוֹ בֹּא דָוִד אֶל-בֵּית אַחִימֶלֶךְ:

2. When Doeg the Edomite came and told Saul, and said to him, "David has come to the house of Ahimelech."

Be'bo Do'eg ha'adomi va'yaged le'Sha'ul va'yomer lo ba David el bet Ahimelech.

ג מֵה־תִּתְהַלֵּל בְּרָעָה הַגִּבּוֹר חֶסֶד קֹל כָּל-הַיּוֹם:

3. Why do you pride yourself with evil mighty man? The kindness of Almighty is all the day.

Ma tit'halel be'ra'a ha'gibor hesed El kol ha'yom.

ד הֲיִוֹת תַּחֲשׁוֹב לְשׁוֹנֵךְ כְּתַעַר מְלֻטָּשׁ עֹשֶׂה רְמִיָּה:

4. Wickedness does your tongue devise, like a sharpened razor, working deceitfully.

Havot tahshob leshonecha ke'ta'ar melutash oseh remiya.

ה אֶהְבֶּתָּ רָע מִטּוֹב שֶׁקָּר | מִדְּבַר צְדָק סֵלָה:

5. You love evil more than good, falsehood more than speaking righteousness, Selah.

Ahabta ra mi'tob sheker mi'daber sedek sela.

ו אהבת כל דברי בלע לשון מרמה:

6. You love all devouring words, [and] the deceitful tongue.

Ahabta chol dibreh bala leshon mirma.

ז גם קל יתצד לנצח יחתך ויסחך מאהל ושרשך מארץ חיים סלה:

7. Likewise, the Almighty will shatter you forever, He will break you and pluck you from the tent; and uproot you from the land of the living, Selah.

Gam El yitoscha la'nesah yahtecha ve'yisahacha me'ohel ve'shereshcha me'erez hayim sela.

ח ויראו צדיקים וייראו ועליו ישחקו:

8. And the righteous will see and be in fear, and at him they will laugh.

Ve'yir'u sadikim ve'yira'u ve'alav yis'haku.

ט הנה הגבר לא ישים אלקים מעוזו ויבטח ברב עשרו לעז בהותו:

9. "Behold, this is the man who did not make God his stronghold, but he trusted in the abundance of his wealth, and strengthened himself in his wickedness."

Hineh ha'geber lo yasim Elohim ma'uzo va'yibtah be'rob oshro ya'oz be'havato.

י ואני | כזית רענן בבית אלקים בטחתי בחסד אלקים עולם ועד:

10. But I am like an ever-green olive tree in the House of God; I put my trust in the kindness of God, forever and ever.

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Va'ani ke'zayit ra'anan be'bet Elohim batahti be'heseid Elohim olam va'ed.

**יָא אֲוֹדְךָ לְעוֹלָם כִּי עָשִׂיתָ וְאַקְוָה שְׂמַחַךְ כִּי־טוֹב נֶגֶד חֲסִידֶיךָ:**

11. I will thank you forever for what You have done and I will put hope in Your Name, for [You are] good to Your devoted ones.

Odecha le'olam ki asita va'akave shimcha chi tob neged hasidecha.