Psalm 55

v0: To the choirmaster: with stringed instruments. A Maskil of David.

v1: Listen to my prayer, O God; and do not hide yourself from my supplication!

v2: Hear me and answer me; My thoughts trouble me and I am distracted

v3: At the voice of the enemy (Absalom reigns in Hebron), By the depression of the lawless one, For they bring down suffering on me, and in anger they would trap me or destroy me.

v4: My Right Lobe of the Stream of Consciousness of the Soul is anguished within me, and the terrors of death have fallen on me.

v5: Fear and trembling came upon me, and horror has overwhelmed me.

v6: I thought, "O that I had the wings like a dove! Then I would fly away and be at rest;

v7: I would flee far away and stay in the desert to avoid my responsibility, [Selah]

v8: I would soar to my place of refuge far from the rushing wind and storm."

v9: Confuse the revolutionists, O Lord, divide their speech and get them to argue among themselves; for I see violence and strife in the city of Jerusalem.

v10: Day and night the conspirators prowl around on her walls; trouble and misery are in her midst

v11: Destructive forces are at work in the city of Jerusalem, threats and lies never leave her streets in unrestrained crime.

v12: If an enemy were insulting me or debating me in our assembly I could endure it; if someone who hated me magnified himself against me I could hide from him.

v13: But it is you, a man who is my equal, my associate, my close friend (Ahithophel, Absalom, Ammasah.

v14: With whom I once enjoyed sweet fellowship as we walked to the house of God's with the festive crowd.

v15: According to your will Oh God, Let death surprise them; let them go down alive in a slow painful death into the grave; for evil is at home within their souls

v16: But I call to God; and the LORD delivers me.

v17: At Evening and morning and at noon I cry under pressure and he hears my voice (confidence of humility under pressure).

v18: He has preserved and set free or delivered my soul in peace and tranquility and prosperity from the attack of the revolution enemy approaching upon me, even though there are multitudes opposed against me.

v19: God who is sovereign from Eternity Past will hear me and answer my prayers, and humble or afflict my enemies, he who always dwelt in prosperity from Eternity Past; Even they who think nothing of others men who do not changes their ways such as in the reversionism of Saul or the revolutionists, because he has no respect for Elohim. [Selah = God works while we rest and did all of it in Eternity Past]

v20: He, Saul or Absalom, has aggressively put forth his hands against or attacks those who were at peace with him, He has violated his treaty or covenant. He Absalom has violated his pardon or covenant, he has used it to become leader of the revolution.

v21: His, Absalom's or Saul's, speech was smoother than butter but war or revolution was in the Right Lobe of the Stream of Consciousness of his Soul, his words were more soothing than anointing oil but they were drawn swords.

v22: Cast or put your anxieties or cares on Jehovah, and he will sustain or uphold you in the greatest disaster, he will never permit the righteous to fall, or be shaken or destroyed when all else is falling apart.

v23: But you, Oh Elohim, will bring them the reversionist revolutionists down to the pit of destruction, blood thirsty deceitful men will not live out half their days, but I, David will trust in you.