

Responsive Reading: Psalm 25

To you, O Lord, I lift up my soul.

**O my God, in you I trust;
do not let me be put to shame;
do not let my enemies exult over me.**

Do not let those who wait for you be put to shame;
let them be ashamed who are wantonly treacherous.

**Make me to know your ways, O Lord;
teach me your paths.**

Lead me in your truth, and teach me,
for you are the God of my salvation;
for you I wait all day long.

**Be mindful of your mercy, O Lord, and of your
steadfast love, for they have been from of old.**

Do not remember the sins of my youth or my transgressions;
according to your steadfast love remember me,
for your goodness' sake, O Lord!

**Good and upright is the Lord;
therefore he instructs sinners in the way.**

He leads the humble in what is right,
and teaches the humble his way.

**All the paths of the Lord are steadfast love and
faithfulness, for those who keep his covenant and his
decrees.**

For your name's sake, O Lord,
pardon my guilt, for it is great.

**Who are they that fear the Lord?
He will teach them the way that they should choose.**

They will abide in prosperity,
and their children shall possess the land.

**The friendship of the Lord is for those who fear him,
and he makes his covenant known to them.**

My eyes are ever towards the Lord,
for he will pluck my feet out of the net.

**Turn to me and be gracious to me,
for I am lonely and afflicted.**

Relieve the troubles of my heart,
and bring me out of my distress.

**Consider my affliction and my trouble,
and forgive all my sins.**

Consider how many are my foes,
and with what violent hatred they hate me.

**O guard my life, and deliver me;
do not let me be put to shame, for I take refuge in you.**

May integrity and uprightness preserve me,
for I wait for you.

**Redeem Israel, O God,
out of all its troubles. Amen.**