Psalm 18 – Part 2

The Lord thundered in the heavens; the Most High let his voice be heard. He shot his arrows, scattered the foe, flashed his lightning and put them to flight.

The bed of the ocean was revealed; the foundations of the world were laid bare at the thunder of your threat, O Lord, at the blast of the breath of your anger.

From on high he reached down and seized me; he drew me forth from the mighty waters. He snatched me from my powerful foe, from my enemies whose strength I could not match.

They assailed me in the day of my misfortune, but the Lord was my support. He brought me forth into freedom; he saved me because he loved me.

He rewarded me because I was just, repaid me, for my hands were clean, for I have kept the way of the Lord and have not fallen away from my God.

For his judgement are all before me: I have never neglected his commands. I have always been upright before him; I have kept myself from guilt.