

## Psalm 18

למנצח לעבד יהוה—לדוד אשר דבר ליהוה את-דברי השירה הזאת  
ביום הציל-יהוה אותו מכף כל-איביו ומיד שאול

Of the choirmaster, of David a servant of the LORD who spoke to the LORD the words of this song on the day the LORD delivered him from the hand of all his enemies and from the hand of Saul. (*compare to 2 Sam 22*)

dbs trans.

1. And he said, “I love you, O LORD, my strength,
2. O LORD, my cliff and my fortress and my deliverer,  
My God, my rock in whom I trust:  
My shield and the horn of my salvation, my high tower.”
3. “I will call on the LORD who is to be praised,  
So, from my enemies I will be saved.
4. The cords of death surrounded me,  
The floods of destruction they assailed me.”
5. “The cords of Sheol surrounded me,  
The snares of death they confronted me.
6. In my distress, I called on the LORD,  
And to my God I cried.  
He heard my cry from His temple,  
My cry was before Him, it came into His ears.”
7. “The earth shook and quaked,  
The foundations of the mountains were shaken,  
So, they were caused to tremble at your burning.
8. Smoke went up from His nostrils,  
And the fire of His mouth devoured,  
Coals were caused to burn by it.”
9. “He bowed the heavens and came down,  
And a cloud was under His feet.
10. He rode upon a Cherub and flew,  
He flew upon the wings of the wind.”