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Sabbath School.

BIBLE LESSONS.

FROM PELOUBETS' SELECT NOTES.

Third Quarter. Lesson 11.—Sept. 14. Psalms 40: 1-17.

WAITING FOR THE LORD.

GOLDEN TEXT. I delight to do thy will, O my God.—Ps. 40: 8.

1. I waited patiently.—I waited suffering, intensely, with earnest longings, an intensity of feeling which amounted to real suffering. He inclined unto me.—Bowed his ear. The image is that of one leaning forward to catch a faint or distant sound. My cry for help.

2. He brought me up also out of an horrible pit.—Or, "a pit of destruction." Out of the miry clay, at the bottom, in which the feet sink and stick, making the horrible pit not only more intensely disagreeable, but much more difficult to escape from. Set my feet upon a rock.—On a cliff, the contrast of the pit in its elevation, and of the miry clay in its solidity. And established my goings.—Or, "enabled me to step firmly" (cf. Ps. 37: 23, and see 18: 36). In contrast of the sinking of the feet in the mire.

3. A new song.—A song expressing joy and thanksgiving for new mercies. Even praise unto our God.—He took none of the glory of his salvation to himself, but gave all the praise to God. Many shall see it.—This change, this deliverance, this experience of salvation. And shall trust in the Lord.—Shall themselves go to the Lord for salvation.

4. Blessed.—This is an exclamation similar to that of the first Psalm: "Oh, the happiness of the man!" For the happiness of the child of God is manifold, many-sided, abundant. The man that maketh the Lord his trust.—Faith obtaineth promises. A man may be as poor as Lazarus, as hated as Mordecai, as sick as Hezekiah, as lonely as Elijah, but while his hand of faith can keep its hold on God, none of his outward afflictions can prevent his being numbered among the blessed; but the wealthiest and most prosperous man who has no faith is accursed, be he who he may. And respecteth not the proud.—The haughty, or those who are confident in themselves. Literally, "who looks not to the proud"; that is, who does not depend on them for help and for salvation. Or it may convey the additional idea of taking sides, espousing the cause, joining the party of those swerving, turning aside, apostatizing from the way of truth and duty, or from God Himself. Believing men are too noble to honor mere money-bags, or cringe before bombastic dignity. The righteous pay their respect to humble goodness, rather than to inflated self-consequence. Our Lord Jesus was in this our bright example. No flattery of kings and great ones ever fell from his lips; he gave no honor to dishonorable men. Such as turn aside to lies.—Either men who have forsaken the faith, or have broken their oaths of allegiance. Those who are easily made to swerve from that which is true and honest to that which is delusive and false. Their integrity cannot be confided in. The idea is, that the man who trusts in God is blessed or happy, as compared with one who trusts in man—man confident in himself; man liable to fall in to error; man who is easily led astray; man who is deceitful, and who cannot, therefore, be relied on. God is mighty, but not haughty; God never is drawn aside from the truth; he never deceives.

5. Many... are thy wonderful works.—The phrase "wonderful works" means here remarkable interventions; things fitted to excite astonishment; things that surpass what man could have anticipated; things that could have been done only by God. And thy thoughts which are to us-ward. Towards us, or which pertain to us. The word "thoughts" here refers to the plans, purposes, arrangements of God designed for our welfare; (see ver. 17). More than can be numbered.—Far beyond

all human arithmetic they are multiplied; thoughts from all eternity thoughts of my fall, my restoration my redemption, my conversion, my pardon, my upholding, my perfecting, my eternal reward. The list is too long for writing, and the value of the mercies too great for estimation.

6. In this famous passage David expresses with singular beauty the great truth that all outward observances are valueless without obedience and a full concurrence of the will of man with the will of God. This had ever been recognized by the teachers of Israel, and had but a few years previously been declared by Samuel (see 1 Sam. 15: 22). It is repeated by David, Ps. 51: 16; by Asaph, 50: 8-15; and by the prophets, e. g., Is. 1: 11-17; Hos. 6: 6; Mic. 6: 6-8. Sacrifice... offering... burnt-offering... sin-offering. Four kinds of offerings are named; two represent the conditions of entering into covenant with God; burnt-offering and sin-offering are the legal conditions of remaining in a covenant state. Thou didst not desire, i. e., in themselves. They were simply the means to an obedient, loving life. They were the types of what he desired.

7. Lo, I come.—Here I am, as an expression of the obedient servant ready for the service of his Lord, and standing in this willingness before the Lord. (Num. 22: 38; 1 Sam. 8: 4, 8.) The reference is here to the law of Moses. Written of me.—Literally upon, i. e., prescribed to me, the upon suggesting the idea of an incumbent obligation. Enjoined upon me by a written precept.

8. I delight to do thy will.—My will is in entire accordance with Thine. Thy law is within my heart.—In his innermost being and affections. He needed no outward compulsion to do right, but right-doing was the natural and spontaneous expression of his nature.

9. I have preached righteousness.—The Hebrew word is the most perfect equivalent which the language affords for evangelizing, i. e., preaching the glad tidings of Gospel salvation. In the great congregation.—The whole people of Israel (Exod. 12: 3). I have not refrained my lips.—No feeling of false modesty no fear of reproach or of evil consequences to himself, no love of ease or of fashion prevented him from speaking God's truth to men.

10. I have not hid thy righteousness.—He had said (ver. 8) that the law of God was in his heart. Now he hastens to add that it was not confined there. I have declared thy faithfulness.—He has taught others by his own experience. He has made others see how God saves, how ready He is to save, how certain He is to keep his promises. I have not concealed thy loving kindness.—The Christian is impelled by his gratitude for the wondrous works God has done for him to make God's goodness known. Loving kindness and thy truth.—The two great counterparts of thy moral nature equally glorified in salvation Ps. 36: 10; John 1: 17; Rom. 5: 21.

11. Withhold not thou thy tender mercies.—Following the original, we must make this not a prayer, but an expression of confidence. "I have not withheld my lips, O Lord, thou knowest" (ver. 9), therefore thou wilt not withhold thy tender mercies from me" (ver. 11). His faith was strong because he had had experience of God's loving-kindness and faithfulness to his promises on many occasions. There is nothing like experience to give certainty to faith, and to increase its strength.

12. Innumerable evils have compassed me.—Surrounded me. Mine iniquities have taken hold upon me.—The worst of all sorrows is the consciousness of sin. We feel our weakness and unworthiness; we are ashamed of ourselves; our hearts fail us.

13. Be pleased, O Lord, to deliver me. His hope was only in God. But he must be a friend and obedient servant of God in order to pray this prayer with hope of an answer.

14. 15. Let them be ashamed and confounded.—There is no sin in the wish that the wicked may not be successful in their plans, and may not be suffered to injure us. Let them be desolate.—The desolation caused

in the hearts of evil spirits and evil men by envy, malice, chagrin, disappointment, and despair, shall be a fit recompense for their cruelty to the Lord when He was in their hands. That say... Aha.—This is a word of rejoicing at the calamities that come on another; an act of joy over a fallen enemy.

16. Let all those that seek thee.—All those who desire to know Thee; to understand Thy ways; to be Thy friends. Rejoice and be glad in thee.—He does not pray for himself alone, but for all God's people. Such as love thy salvation.—(1) The way of salvation by faith, and repentance, and obedience. (2) The salvation itself. Those who desire to be saved from sin. Say continually, the Lord be magnified.—Be recognized as great and glorious.

17. But I am poor and needy.—I am nobody. I do not ask these things because I am a great king and rich in this world's goods. As to the things I most need, I am poor and needy, and only God can give me what I need. Yet the Lord thinketh upon me.—The Hebrew phrase may either mean, will think respecting me, i. e., remember me, attend to me, or will think for me, i. e., plan, provide for me. Science as it investigates nature, is a perpetual commentary on this truth. Nature is full of God's thoughts for us, provisions for our wants, instruction; spiritual help, which God in ages long past thought out for us.

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