

The Greatest (Megas) Journey

REQUIREMENTS

Luke 12:48 ⁴⁸ For unto whomsoever much is given, of him shall be much required (zēteō): and to whom men have committed (paratithēmi) much, of him they will ask (aiteō) the more (perissoteros).

SORROWFUL

Matthew 26:36-39 ³⁶ Then cometh Jesus with them unto a place called Gethsemane, and saith unto the disciples, Sit ye here, while I go and pray yonder. ³⁷ And he took with him Peter and the two sons of Zebedee, and began to be **sorrowful** (lypeo) and very heavy. ³⁸ Then saith he unto them, My soul is exceeding **sorrowful** (perilypos), even unto death: tarry ye here, and watch with me. ³⁹ And he went a little further, and fell on his face, and prayed, saying, O my Father, if it be possible, let this cup pass from me: nevertheless not as I will, but as thou *wilt*.

REJOICING

Psalms 31:6-8 ⁶ I have hated them that regard lying vanities: but I trust (batah) in the LORD. ⁷ I will be glad (gil) and rejoice (samah) in thy mercy: for thou hast considered (ra a) my trouble; thou hast known (yada) my soul in adversities; ⁸ And hast not shut me up into the hand of the enemy: thou hast set (amad) my feet in a large room.

Luke 1:45-49 ⁴⁵ And blessed *is* she that believed: for there shall be a performance of those things which were told her from the Lord. ⁴⁶ And Mary said, My soul (psyche) doth magnify the Lord, ⁴⁷ And my spirit (pneuma) hath rejoiced (agalliao) in God my Saviour. ⁴⁸ For he hath regarded the low estate of his handmaiden: for, behold, from henceforth all generations shall call me blessed. ⁴⁹ For he that is mighty (dynatos) hath done to me great (magalios from megas) things; and holy *is* his name.

STRENGTH

Psalms 31:1-5 ¹ In thee, O LORD, do I put my trust (hasa); let me never be ashamed: deliver me in thy righteousness. ² Bow down thine ear to me; deliver me speedily: be thou my strong (moaz) rock (sur), for an house of defence to save me. ³ For thou *art* my rock (sela) and my fortress; therefore for thy name's sake lead (naha) me, and guide (nahal) me. ⁴ Pull me out of the net that they have laid privily for me: for thou *art* my strength (moaz). ⁵ Into thine hand (yad) I commit my spirit (ruah): thou hast redeemed me, O LORD God of truth (emet).

1 Corinthians 10:1-6 ¹ Now I Paul myself beseech you by the meekness and gentleness of Christ, who in presence *am* base among you, but being absent am bold toward you: ² But I beseech *you*, that I may not be bold when I am present with that confidence, wherewith I think to be bold against some, which think of us as if we walked according to the flesh. ³ For though we walk in the flesh, we do not war after the flesh: ⁴ (For the weapons of our warfare *are* not carnal, but mighty through God to the pulling down of strong holds;) ⁵ Casting down imaginations, and every high thing that exalteth itself against the knowledge of God, and bringing into captivity every thought to the obedience of Christ; ⁶ And having in a readiness to revenge all disobedience, when your obedience is fulfilled.