



WHOLEHEARTED 3

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PSALM 36 - NEW LIVING TRANSLATION

For the choir director: A psalm of David, the servant of the Lord.

1 Sin whispers to the wicked, deep within their hearts.

They have no fear of God at all.

2 In their blind conceit,

they cannot see how wicked they really are.

3 Everything they say is crooked and deceitful.

They refuse to act wisely or do good.

4 They lie awake at night, hatching sinful plots.

Their actions are never good.

They make no attempt to turn from evil.

5 Your unfailing love, O Lord, is as vast as the heavens;

your faithfulness reaches beyond the clouds.

6 Your righteousness is like the mighty mountains,

your justice like the ocean depths.

You care for people and animals alike, O Lord.





7 How precious is your unfailing love, O God!

All humanity finds shelter

in the shadow of your wings.

8 You feed them from the abundance of your own
house,

letting them drink from your river of delights.

9 For you are the fountain of life,
the light by which we see.

10 Pour out your unfailing love on those who love you;
give justice to those with honest hearts.

11 Don't let the proud trample me
or the wicked push me around.

12 Look! Those who do evil have fallen!





Fountain of life verses:

- Psalm 36:9
- Proverbs 10:11
- Proverbs 14:14
- Proverbs 14:27
- Proverbs 16:22

The Hebrew word for wisdom is **Hokmah**.

Hokmah verses:

- Exodus 28:3
- Exodus 31:3
- Isaiah 11:2
- Proverbs 9:10

The difference between fear of the LORD and being afraid of the LORD is seen in Exodus 20:18-21 (esp. verse 20)

Story of Solomon verses:

- 1 Kings 3:9 (compare with Genesis 3:6)
- 1 Kings 3:12
- 1 Kings 6:38-7:1
- 1 Kings 10:1-11:4

Hebrew word for "understanding" in 1 Kings 3:9 is **Shema** which can mean to "hear, listen to or obey"

Jesus is greater than Solomon because he is the wisdom of God:

- Matthew 12:42
- 1 Corinthians 1:30

