

## Psalm 80

- I. Asaph's \_\_\_\_\_ Vs 1-3
- A. Vs 1
1. *Give ear*-A prayer request to the \_\_\_\_\_ God who also was the Shepherd of Israel and Judah
  2. *Thou that dwellest between the cherubims, shine forth* "To sit enthroned upon the cherubim (see R.V.) is an emblem of omnipotence, for they represent all creatures. Thus the gentleness of a shepherd and the almighty power of God blend in this verse"  
Psalms: Bible Readings
- B. Vs 2
1. *Before-in* \_\_\_\_\_ of, in the same way that God demonstrated his presence as the Shekinah glory leading Israel in their wanderings for 40 years Cf. Exodus 14
  2. *Ephraim and Benjamin and Manasseh* marched as a \_\_\_\_\_ when the nation moved in their wanderings Cf. Numbers 10:22-24
  3. *Stir up thy strength and come and save us-* \_\_\_\_\_ to us whom you have turned away from and \_\_\_\_\_ us by your almighty strength
- C. \_\_\_\_\_ Vs 3, 7, 19- ***Turn us again O LORD God of hosts, cause thy face to shine; and we shall be saved***
1. *Turn us again*-to cause to go in the \_\_\_\_\_ or different direction, repentance
  2. O LORD God of hosts-Used over \_\_\_\_\_ times in the OT to describe God as the God of the armies of deliverance
  3. *Cause thy face to shine*-turn our punishment into a \_\_\_\_\_ by the presence of yourself with us
  4. *And we shall be saved*-if God visits Israel and Judah with his presence, they will be \_\_\_\_\_ from those who oppress them
- II. Asaph's \_\_\_\_\_ Vs 4-7
- A. Vs 4 Oh God of deliverance, how long will it be before you answer our prayer for deliverance?
- B. Vs 5-6-The extent of their chastening for their rebellion and sin is \_\_\_\_\_
1. Their life is \_\_\_\_\_ with disappointment and suffering
  2. They are the \_\_\_\_\_ of ridicule by everyone around them
- III. Asaph's \_\_\_\_\_ Vs 8-19-the psalmist describes the nation of Israel (all 12 tribes) as a vine that God planted
- A. Vs 8-11-That vine spread and \_\_\_\_\_ the promised land
- B. Vs 12-13-That vine was \_\_\_\_\_ down by God because of their rebellion and idolatry
- C. Vs 14-16-The psalmist is asking God to \_\_\_\_\_ that vine with his favor once again and see the destruction that has taken place
- D. Vs 17-18-The psalmist is asking God to "\_\_\_\_\_ things around" so that Israel may once again know the favor of God, which would cause \_\_\_\_\_ on Israel's part, and cause them to worship God alone again
- E. Vs 19-The psalmist concludes the psalm with the statement he has stated twice before because this is really the \_\_\_\_\_ of the changes that needs to take place.