



Psalm 26

- 1 Vindicate me, O Lord,
for I have walked in my in- | tegrity,*
and I have trusted in the Lord without | wavering.
- 2 Prove me, O Lord, and | try me; *
test my heart | and my mind.
- 3 For your steadfast love is be- | fore my eyes,*
and I walk in your | faithfulness.
- 4 I do not sit with men of | falsehood,*
nor do I consort with | hypocrites.
- 5 I hate the assembly of evil- | doers,*
and I will not sit with the | wicked.
- 6 I wash my hands in | innocence*
and go around your altar, | O Lord,
- 7 proclaiming thanksgiving | aloud,*
and telling all your | wondrous deeds.
- 8 O Lord, I love the habitation | of your house*
and the place where your | glory dwells.
- 9 Do not sweep my soul away with | sinners,*
nor my life with blood- | thirsty men,
- 10 in whose hands are evil de- | vices,*
and whose right hands are | full of bribes.
- 11 But as for me, I shall walk in my in- | tegrity;*
redeem me, and be gra- | cious to me.
- 12 My foot stands on | level ground;*
in the great assembly I will | bless the Lord.