

**Amos 5:6–7, 10–15**

**6** Seek the Lord and live, lest he break out like fire in the house of Joseph, and it devour, with none to quench it for Bethel,  
**7** O you who turn justice to wormwood and cast down righteousness to the earth! . . .

**10** They hate him who reproves in the gate, and they abhor him who speaks the truth.

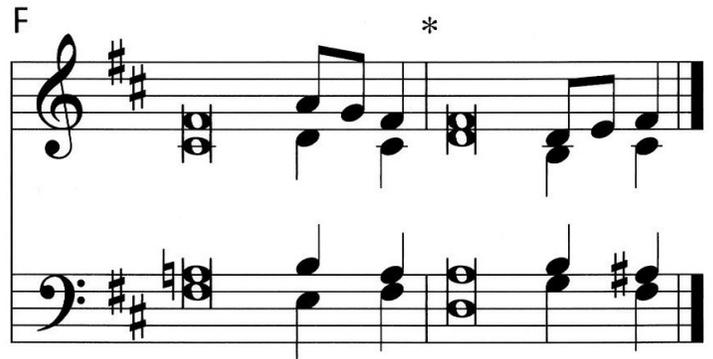
**11** Therefore because you trample on the poor and you exact taxes of grain from him, you have built houses of hewn stone, but you shall not dwell in them; you have planted pleasant vineyards, but you shall not drink their wine.

**12** For I know how many are your transgressions and how great are your sins—you who afflict the righteous, who take a bribe, and turn aside the needy in the gate.

**13** Therefore he who is prudent will keep silent in such a time, for it is an evil time.

**14** Seek good, and not evil, that you may live; and so the Lord, the God of hosts, will be with you, as you have said.

**15** Hate evil, and love good, and establish justice in the gate; it may be that the Lord, the God of hosts, will be gracious to the remnant of Joseph.

**Psalm 90:12–17**

**12** So teach us to number | our days\*  
 that we may get a heart of | wisdom.

**13** Return, O Lord! | How long? \*  
 Have pity on your | servants!

**14** Satisfy us in the morning  
 with your | steadfast love,\*  
 that we may rejoice  
 and be glad | all our days.

**15** Make us glad for as many days  
 as you have af- | flicted us,\*  
 and for as many years  
 as we have seen | evil.

**16** Let your work be shown  
 to your | servants,\*  
 and your glorious power  
 to their | children.

**17** Let the favor of the Lord our God be  
 upon us, and establish the work  
 of our hands up- | on us;\*  
 yes, establish the work | of our hands!

### Hebrews 3:12–19

<sup>12</sup>Take care, brothers, lest there be in any of you an evil, unbelieving heart, leading you to fall away from the living God. <sup>13</sup>But exhort one another every day, as long as it is called “today,” that none of you may be hardened by the deceitfulness of sin. <sup>14</sup>For we share in Christ, if indeed we hold our original confidence firm to the end. <sup>15</sup>As it is said,

“Today, if you hear his voice,  
do not harden your hearts as in the  
rebellion.”

<sup>16</sup>For who were those who heard and yet rebelled? Was it not all those who left Egypt led by Moses? <sup>17</sup>And with whom was he provoked for forty years? Was it not with those who sinned, whose bodies fell in the wilderness? <sup>18</sup>And to whom did he swear that they would not enter his rest, but to those who were disobedient? <sup>19</sup>So we see that they were unable to enter because of unbelief.

### Mark 10:17–22

<sup>17</sup>As [Jesus] was setting out on his journey, a man ran up and knelt before him and asked him, “Good Teacher, what must I do to inherit eternal life?” <sup>18</sup>And Jesus said to him, “Why do you call me good? No one is good except God alone. <sup>19</sup>You know the commandments: ‘Do not murder, Do not commit adultery, Do not steal, Do not bear false witness, Do not defraud, Honor your father and mother.’” <sup>20</sup>And he said to him, “Teacher, all these I have kept from my youth.” <sup>21</sup>And Jesus, looking at him, loved him, and said to him, “You lack one thing: go, sell all that you have and give to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven; and come, follow me.” <sup>22</sup>Disheartened by the saying, he went away sorrowful, for he had great possessions.