

Book of Psalms Chapter 79

19_PSA_79_01 A Psalm of Asaph. O God, the heathen are come into thine inheritance; thy holy temple have they defiled; they have laid Jerusalem on heaps.

19_PSA_79_02 The dead bodies of thy servants have they given [to be] meat unto the fowls of the heaven, the flesh of thy saints unto the beasts of the earth.

19_PSA_79_03 Their blood have they shed like water round about Jerusalem; and [there was] none to bury [them].

19_PSA_79_04 We are become a reproach to our neighbours, a scorn and derision to them that are round about us.

19_PSA_79_05 How long, LORD? wilt thou be angry for ever? shall thy jealousy burn like fire?

19_PSA_79_06 Pour out thy wrath upon the heathen that have not known thee, and upon the kingdoms that have not called upon thy name.

19_PSA_79_07 For they have devoured Jacob, and laid waste his dwelling place.

19_PSA_79_08 O remember not against us former iniquities: let thy tender mercies speedily prevent us: for we are brought very low.

19_PSA_79_09 Help us, O God of our salvation, for the glory of thy name: and deliver us, and purge away our sins, for thy name's sake.

19_PSA_79_10 Wherefore should the heathen say, Where [is] their God? let him be known among the heathen in our sight [by] the revenging of the blood of thy servants [which is] shed.

19_PSA_79_11 Let the sighing of the prisoner come before thee; according to the greatness of thy power preserve thou those that are appointed to die;

19_PSA_79_12 And render unto our neighbours sevenfold into their bosom their reproach, wherewith they have reproached thee, O Lord.

19_PSA_79_13 So we thy people and sheep of thy pasture will give thee thanks for ever: we will show forth thy praise to all generations.