Psalm 50

4. I have no need
to take of thee at all
Goats of thy fold,
or calf out of thy stall.

9For all the beasts
are mine within the woods:
On thousand hills
cattle are mine own goods.

10For all is mine,
that in this world doth dwell.

11I know for mine
all birds that are on mountains:
All beasts are mine
which haunt the fields and fountains.

5. Hungry if I were,
I would not thee it tell:
For all is mine,
that in this world doth dwell.

12Eat I the flesh
of great bulls or bullocks?

13Eat I the flesh
of goats and of the flocks?

14Offer to God
praise and hearty thanksgiving
And pay thy vows
unto God ever-living.

6. Call upon me,
when troubled thou shalt be,
Then will I help,
and thou shalt honour me.

15To the wicked
thus sayeth th’eternal God,
Why dost thou preach
my laws and hestes\textsuperscript{17} abroad,
Seeing thou hast
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them with thy mouth abused,

17And hatest to be
by discipline reformed?

7. My words, I say,
thou dost reject and hate.

18If that thou see
a thief, as with thy mate,
Thou runnest with him,
and so your praise do seek,
And art all one
with bauds and ruffians eke.

19Thou givest thyself
to backbite and to slander,
And how thy tongue
deceiveth, it is a wonder.

8. Thou sitteth musing,
thy brother how to blame,
And how to put
thy mother’s son to shame.

20These things thou didst:
and whilst I held my tongue,
Thou didst me judge,
(because I stayed so long)
Like to thyself:
yet though I kept long silence,
Once shalt thou feel
of thy wrongs just recompense.

9. Consider this,
ye that forget the Lord,
And fear not when
he threateneth with his word,
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23But he that thanks
offereh, praizeth me aye,
Sayeth the Lord God:
and he that walketh this trace,
I will him teach
God’s saving health to embrace.

\textsuperscript{17} Vows or promises.