

The Prayer of Moses

Lord, you have been our

dwelling place throughout

all generations. Before the

mountains were born or you

brought forth the whole

world, from everlasting to

everlasting you are God.

Teach us to number our

days, that we may gain a

heart of wisdom. Satisfy us

in the morning with your

unfailing love, that we may

sing for joy and be glad all

our days. May the favor

of the Lord our God rest

on us; establish the work

of our hands for us—yes,

establish the work of our

hands.

# The Blessing of Obedience

Deuteronomy 28:1-14

And it shall come to pass,

if thou shalt hearken

diligently unto the voice of

the Lord thy God,

to observe and to do all his

commandments which I

command thee this day,

that the Lord thy God will

set thee on high above all

nations of the earth:

And all these blessings shall

come on thee, and overtake

thee, if thou shalt hearken

unto the voice of the Lord

thy God.

Blessed shalt thou be in the

city, and blessed shalt thou

be in the field.

Blessed shall be the fruit

of thy body, and the fruit

of thy ground, and the

fruit of thy cattle, the

increase of thy kine, and

the flocks of thy sheep.

Blessed shall be thy basket

and thy store.

Blessed shalt thou be when

thou comest in, and blessed

shalt thou be when thou

goest out.

The Lord shall cause thine

enemies that rise up against

thee to be smitten before

thy face: they shall come

out against thee one way,

and flee before thee seven

ways.

The Lord shall command the

blessing upon thee in thy

storehouses, and in all that

thou settest shine hand

unto; and he shall bless

thee in the land which the

Lord thy God giveth thee.

The Lord shall establish

thee an holy people unto

himself, as he hath sworn

unto thee, if thou shalt

keep the commandments of

the Lord thy God, and walk

in his ways.

And all people of the earth

shall see that thou art

called by the name of the

Lord; and they shall be

afraid of thee.

And the Lord shall make

thee plenteous in goods, in

the fruit of thy body, and

in the fruit of thy cattle,

and in the fruit of thy

cattle, and in the fruit of

thy ground, in the land

which the Lord sware unto

thy fathers to give thee.

The Lord shall open unto

thee his good treasure,

the heaven to give the rain

unto thy land in his season,

and to bless all the work of

the thine hand: and thou

shalt lend unto many

nations, and thou shalt not

borrow.

And the Lord shall make

thee the head, and not the

tail; and thou shalt be

above only, and though shalt

not be beneath; if that

thou hearken unto the

commandments of the Lord

thy God, which I command

thee this day, to observe

and to do them:

And thou shalt not go

aside from any of the

words which I command

thee this day, to the right

hand, or to the left, to go

after gods to serve them.

The Ten Commandments

Exodus 20:1-17

And God spake all these

words, saying, I am the

LORD thy God, which have

brought thee out of the

land of Egypt, out of the

house of bondage.

(1) Thou shalt have no

other gods before me.

(2) Thou shalt not make

unto thee any graven image,

or any likeness of any thing

that is in heaven above,

or that is in the earth

beneath, or that is in the

water under the earth.

Thou shalt not bow down

thyself to them, nor serve

them: for I the LORD thy

God am a jealous God,

visiting the iniquity of the

fathers upon the children

unto the third and fourth

generation of them that

hate me; And shewing

mercy unto thousands of

them that love me, and keep

my commandments.

(3) Thou shalt not take

the name of the Lord thy

God in vain; for the LORD

will not hold him guiltless

that taketh his name in vain.

(4) Remember the sabbath

day, to keep it holy. Six

days shalt thou labor,

and do all thy work:

But the seventh day is the

sabbath of the Lord thy

God: in it thou shalt not do

any work, thou, nor thy son,

nor thy daughter, thy

manservant, nor thy

maidservant, nor thy cattle,

nor thy stranger that is

within thy gates: For in six

days the Lord made heaven

and earth, the sea, and all

that in them is, and rested

the seventh day: wherefore

the Lord blessed the

sabbath day, and hallowed it.

(5) Honor thy father and

thy mother: that thy days

may be long upon the land

which the Lord thy God

giveth thee.

(6) Thou shalt not kill.

(7) Thou shalt not commit

adultery.

(8) Thou shalt not steal.

(9) Thou shalt not bear

false witness against thy

neighbor.

(10) Thou shalt not covet

thy neighbor's house, thou

shalt not covet thy

neighbor's wife, nor his

manservant, nor his

maidservant, nor his ox, nor

his ass, nor any thing that

is thy neighbor's.

I met a traveller from an

antique land,

Who said—

Two vast and trunkless

legs of stone

Stand in the desert. . . .

Near them, on the sand,

Half sunk a shattered

visage lies, whose frown,

And wrinkled lip,

and sneer of cold command,

Tell that its sculptor

well those passions read

Which yet survive,

stamped on these

lifeless things,

The hand that mocked them,

and the heart that fed;

And on the pedestal,

these words appear:

My name is Ozymandias,

King of Kings;

Look on my Works,

ye Mighty, and despair!

Nothing beside remains.

Round the decay

Of that colossal Wreck,

boundless and bare

The lone and level sands

stretch far away.

38 And Pharaoh said to his  
servants, "Can we find such  
a one as this, a man in  
whom the spirit of God is?"

39 And Pharaoh said unto  
Joseph, "Forasmuch as God  
hath showed thee all this,

there is none so discreet

and wise as thou.”

40 Thou shalt be over my

house, and according unto

thy word shall all my people

be ruled: only in the throne

will I be greater than thou.

be greater than you.

41 And Pharaoh said unto

Joseph, "See, I have set

thee over all the land of

Egypt."