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**Wise**  
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# **MORNING READING**

## **Psalm 72: 4-9 KJV**

**4 He will defend the afflicted among the people and save the children of the needy; he will crush the oppressor.**

**5 He will endure [2] as long as the sun, as long as the moon, through all generations.**

**6 He will be like rain falling on a mown field, like showers watering the earth.**

**7 In his days the righteous will flourish; prosperity will abound till the moon is no more.**

**8 He will rule from sea to sea and from the River [3] to the ends of the earth. [4]**

**9 The desert tribes will bow before him and his enemies will lick the dust.**

## **Matthew 25:1-13 (NKJV)**

### **The Parable of the Wise and Foolish Virgins**

**25 “Then the kingdom of heaven shall be likened to ten virgins who took their lamps and went out to meet the bridegroom. 2 Now five of them were wise, and five were foolish. 3 Those who were foolish took their lamps and took no oil with them, 4 but the wise took oil in their vessels with their lamps. 5 But while the bridegroom was delayed, they all slumbered and slept.**

**6 “And at midnight a cry was heard: ‘Behold, the bridegroom [a]is coming; go out to meet him!’ 7 Then all those virgins arose and trimmed their lamps. 8 And the foolish said to the wise, ‘Give us some of your oil, for our lamps are going out.’ 9 But the wise answered, saying, ‘No, lest there should not be enough for us and you; but go rather to those who sell, and buy for yourselves.’ 10 And while they went to buy, the bridegroom came, and those who were ready went in with him to the wedding; and the door was shut.**

**11 “Afterward the other virgins came also, saying, ‘Lord, Lord, open to us!’ 12 But he answered and said, ‘Assuredly, I say to you, I do not know you.’ 13 “Watch therefore, for you know neither the day nor the hour [b]in which the Son of Man is coming.**

## **2 Chronicles 7:14 (NIV)**

**14 if my people, who are called by my name, will humble themselves and pray and seek my face and turn from their wicked ways, then I will hear from heaven, and I will forgive their sin and will heal their land.**

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## **VERSE 6**

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**Job 36:11** New International Version (NIV)  
11 If they obey and serve him, they will spend the rest of their days in prosperity and their years in contentment.



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**Psalms 33 (KJV)**

**33 Rejoice in the LORD, O ye righteous: for praise is comely for the upright.**


**Isaiah 1:19**

**English Standard Version**

**If you are willing and obedient, you shall eat the good of the land;**

## Isaiah 55:6 (KJV)

6 Seek ye the LORD while he may be found,  
call ye upon him while he is near:



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