- 1 Lord, thou hast been our dwelling place in all generations.
- 2 Before the mountains were brought forth, or ever thou hadst formed the earth and the world, even from everlasting to everlasting, thou art God.
- 3 Thou turnest man to destruction; and sayest, Return, ye children of men.
- 4 For a thousand years in thy sight are but as yesterday when it is past, and as a watch in the night.
- 5 Thou carriest them away as with a flood; they are as a sleep: in the morning they are like grass which groweth up.
- 6 In the morning it flourisheth, and groweth up; in the evening it is cut down, and withereth.
- 7 For we are consumed by thine anger, and by thy wrath are we troubled.
- 8 Thou hast set our iniquities before thee, our secret sins in the light of thy countenance.
- 9 For all our days are passed away in thy wrath: we spend our years as a tale that is told.
- 10 The days of our years are threescore years and ten; and if by reason of strength they be fourscore years, yet is their strength labour and sorrow; for it is soon cut off, and we fly away.
- 11 Who knoweth the power of thine anger? even according to thy fear, so is thy wrath.
- 12 So teach us to number our days, that we may apply our hearts unto wisdom.
- 13 Return, O LORD, how long? and let it repent thee concerning thy servants.
- 14 O satisfy us early with thy mercy; that we may rejoice and be glad all our days.
- 15 Make us glad according to the days wherein thou hast afflicted us, and the years wherein we have seen evil.
- 16 Let thy work appear unto thy servants, and thy glory unto their children.
- 17 And let the beauty of the LORD our God be upon us: and establish thou the work of our hands upon us; yea, the work of our hands establish thou it.

## James 4

- 13 Go to now, ye that say, To day or to morrow we will go into such a city, and continue there a year, and buy and sell, and get gain:
- 14 Whereas ye know not what shall be on the morrow. For what is your life? It is even a vapour, that appeareth for a little time, and then vanisheth away.
- 15 For that ye ought to say, If the Lord will, we shall live, and do this, or that.
- 16 But now ye rejoice in your boastings: all such rejoicing is evil.
- 17 Therefore to him that knoweth to do good, and doeth it not, to him it is sin.

## Matthew 6

5 And when thou prayest, thou shalt not be as the hypocrites are: for they love to pray standing in the synagogues and in the corners of the streets, that they may be seen of men. Verily I say unto you, They have their reward.

- 6 But thou, when thou prayest, enter into thy closet, and when thou hast shut thy door, pray to thy Father which is in secret; and thy Father which seeth in secret shall reward thee openly.
- **7** But when ye pray, use not vain repetitions, as the heathen do: for they think that they shall be heard for their much speaking.
- 8 Be not ye therefore like unto them: for your Father knoweth what things ye have need of, before ye ask him.
- 9 After this manner therefore pray ye: Our Father which art in heaven, Hallowed be thy name.
- 10 Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done in earth, as it is in heaven.
- 11 Give us this day our daily bread.
- 12 And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors.
- 13 And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil: For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever. Amen.