

**Becoming A Brilliant Star**  
**Selections from Jewish Scriptures**

Compiled by

William G. Huitt

Valdosta, GA

Last Revised: April, 2001

## Introduction

And G-d said: 'Let us make man in our image, after our likeness; and let them have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the fowl of the air, and over the cattle, and over all the earth, and over every creeping thing that creepeth upon the earth.'

Bereshit (Genesis) 1: 26 Kaplan

And G-d created man in His own image, in the image of G-d created He him; male and female created He them. And G-d blessed them; and G-d said unto them: 'Be fruitful, and multiply, and replenish the earth, and subdue it; and have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the fowl of the air, and over every living thing that creepeth upon the earth.'

Bereshit (Genesis) 1: 27-28 JPS

This is HaShem's doing; it is marvellous in our eyes.

This is the day which HaShem hath made; we will rejoice and be glad in it.

Tehilim (Psalms) 118: 23-24 JPS

I will lift up mine eyes unto the mountains: from whence shall my help come? My help cometh from HaShem, who made heaven and earth.

Tehilim (Psalms) 121: 1-2 JPS

HaShem is thy keeper; HaShem is thy shade upon thy right hand. The sun shall not smite thee by day, nor the moon by night.

Tehilim (Psalms) 121: 5-6 JPS

HaShem shall keep thee from all evil; He shall keep thy soul. HaShem shall guard thy going out and thy coming in, from this time forth and for ever.

Tehilim (Psalms) 121: 7-8 JPS

HaShem is my rock, and my fortress, and my deliverer; my G-d, my rock, in Him I take refuge; my shield, and my horn of salvation, my high tower.

Tehilim (Psalms 2) 18: 3 JPS

Shout unto HaShem, all the earth.

Serve HaShem with gladness; come before His presence with singing.

Tehilim (Psalms) 100: 1-2 JPS

Know ye that HaShem He is G-d; it is He that hath made us, and we our His, His people, and the flock of His pasture.

Tehilim (Psalms) 100: 3 JPS

Enter into His gates with thanksgiving, and into His courts with praise; give thanks unto Him, and bless His name.

For HaShem is good; His mercy endureth for ever; and His faithfulness unto all generations.

Tehilim (Psalms) 100: 4-5 JPS

For the commandment is a lamp, and the teaching is light, and reproofs of instruction are the way of life.

Mishlei (Proverbs) 6: 23 JPS

Trust in HaShem with all thy heart, and lean not upon thine own understanding.

In all thy ways acknowledge Him, and He will direct thy paths.

Mishlei (Proverbs) 3: 5-6 JPS

Wine is a mocker, strong drink is riotous; and whosoever reeleth thereby is not wise.

Mishlei (Proverbs) 20: 1 JPS

The sun will set without my assistance.

The Talmud

Beloved is man, for he was created in the image of God. But it was by a special love that it was made known to him that he was created in the image of God.

Mishnah, Abot 3: 18

Compiled by: W. Huitt

Last revised: April 2014

Available at: <http://www.science-religion.org/religion/judaism/brilstar/01-judaism-intro.pdf>