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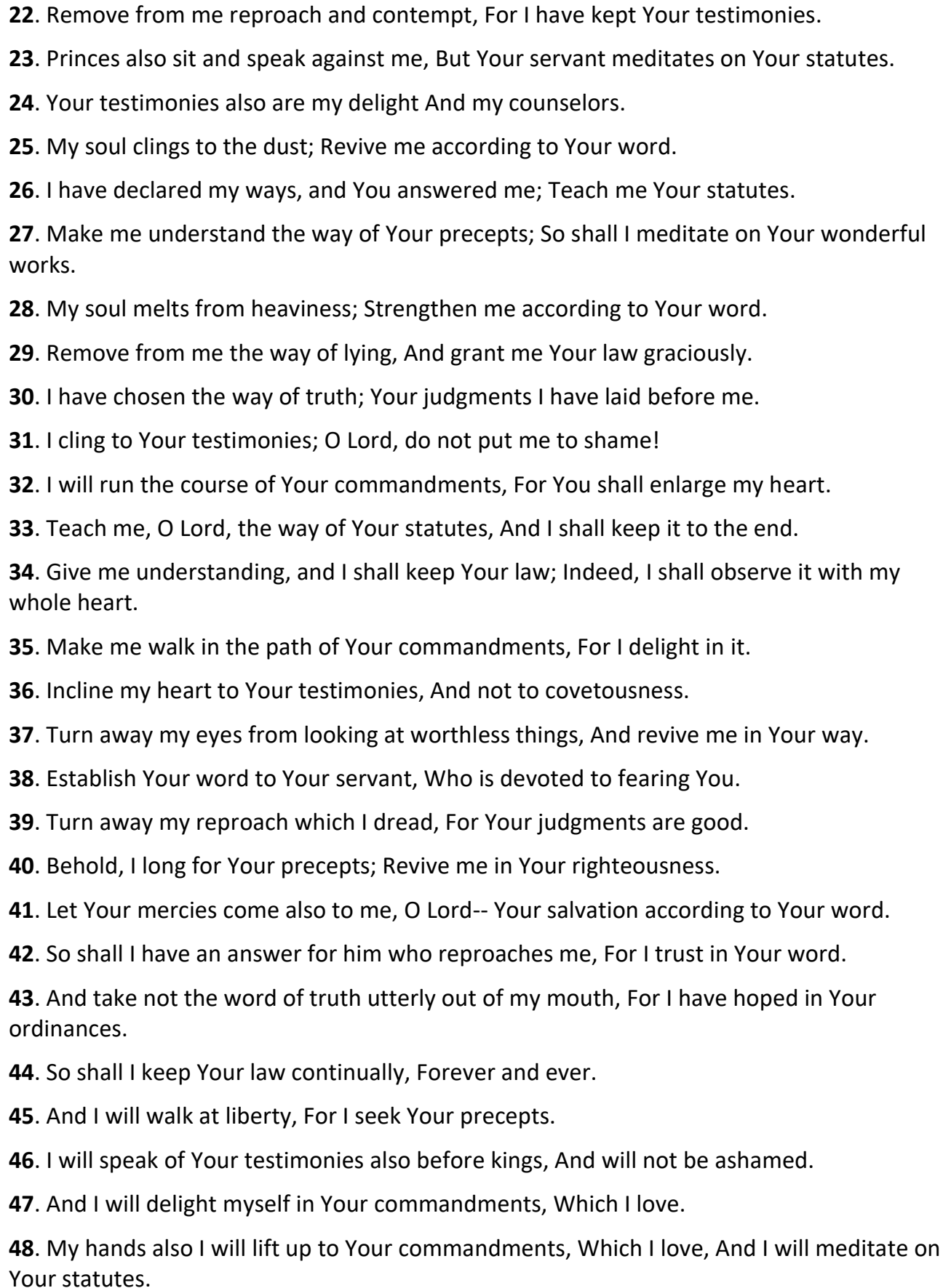
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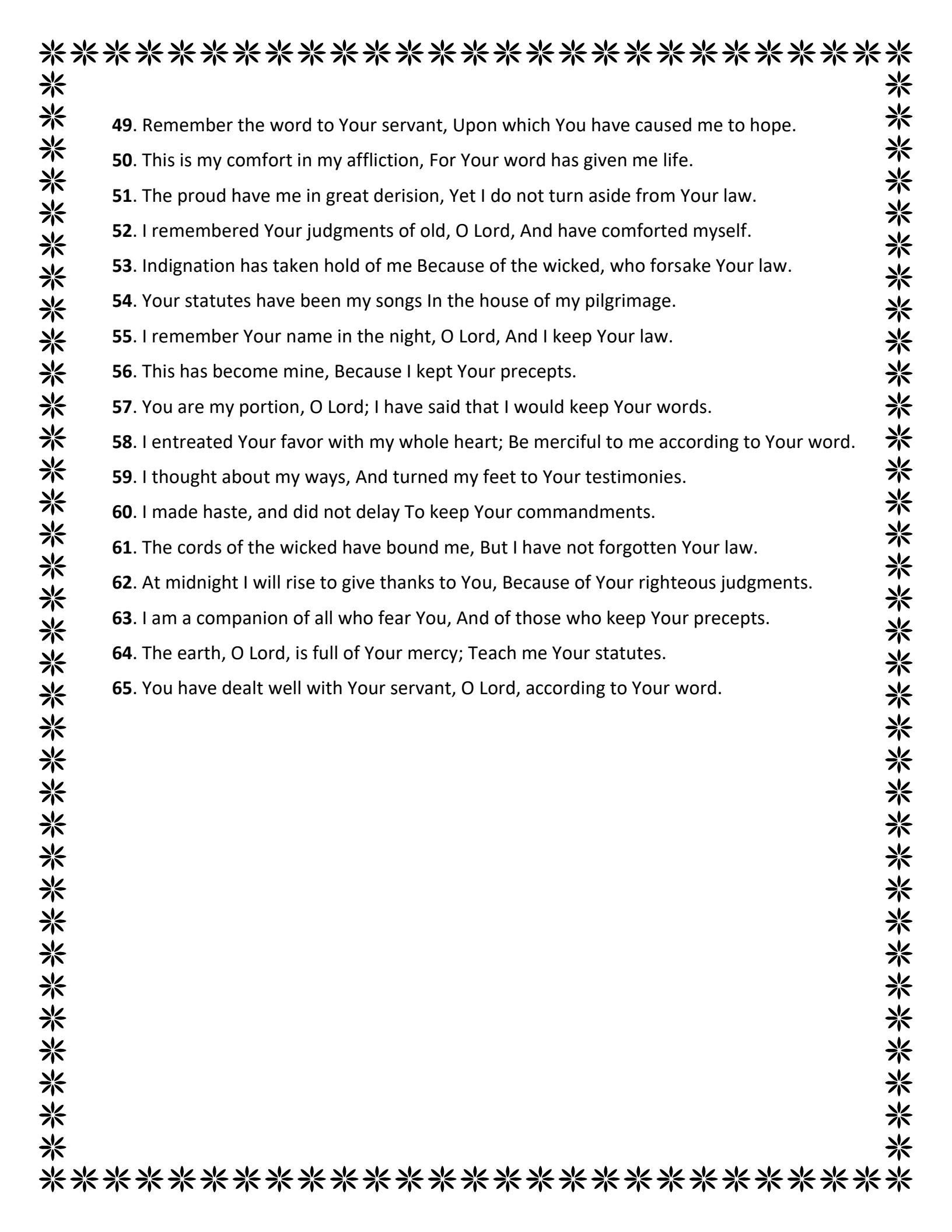
Memory Verses Contest (Written) - 2020

Grade: 8

Portion: Psalm 119: 1 – 65 (NKJV)

1. Blessed are the undefiled in the way, Who walk in the law of the Lord!
2. Blessed are those who keep His testimonies, Who seek Him with the whole heart!
3. They also do no iniquity; They walk in His ways.
4. You have commanded us To keep Your precepts diligently.
5. Oh, that my ways were directed To keep Your statutes!
6. Then I would not be ashamed, When I look into all Your commandments.
7. I will praise You with uprightness of heart, When I learn Your righteous judgments.
8. I will keep Your statutes; Oh, do not forsake me utterly!
9. How can a young man cleanse his way? By taking heed according to Your word.
10. With my whole heart I have sought You; Oh, let me not wander from Your commandments!
11. Your word I have hidden in my heart, that I might not sin against You.
12. Blessed are You, O Lord! Teach me Your statutes.
13. With my lips I have declared All the judgments of Your mouth.
14. I have rejoiced in the way of Your testimonies, As much as in all riches.
15. I will meditate on Your precepts, And contemplate Your ways.
16. I will delight myself in Your statutes; I will not forget Your word.
17. Deal bountifully with Your servant, That I may live and keep Your word.
18. Open my eyes, that I may see Wondrous things from Your law.
19. I am a stranger in the earth; Do not hide Your commandments from me.
20. My soul breaks with longing For Your judgments at all times.
21. You rebuke the proud--the cursed, Who stray from Your commandments.

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22. Remove from me reproach and contempt, For I have kept Your testimonies.
 23. Princes also sit and speak against me, But Your servant meditates on Your statutes.
 24. Your testimonies also are my delight And my counselors.
 25. My soul clings to the dust; Revive me according to Your word.
 26. I have declared my ways, and You answered me; Teach me Your statutes.
 27. Make me understand the way of Your precepts; So shall I meditate on Your wonderful works.
 28. My soul melts from heaviness; Strengthen me according to Your word.
 29. Remove from me the way of lying, And grant me Your law graciously.
 30. I have chosen the way of truth; Your judgments I have laid before me.
 31. I cling to Your testimonies; O Lord, do not put me to shame!
 32. I will run the course of Your commandments, For You shall enlarge my heart.
 33. Teach me, O Lord, the way of Your statutes, And I shall keep it to the end.
 34. Give me understanding, and I shall keep Your law; Indeed, I shall observe it with my whole heart.
 35. Make me walk in the path of Your commandments, For I delight in it.
 36. Incline my heart to Your testimonies, And not to covetousness.
 37. Turn away my eyes from looking at worthless things, And revive me in Your way.
 38. Establish Your word to Your servant, Who is devoted to fearing You.
 39. Turn away my reproach which I dread, For Your judgments are good.
 40. Behold, I long for Your precepts; Revive me in Your righteousness.
 41. Let Your mercies come also to me, O Lord-- Your salvation according to Your word.
 42. So shall I have an answer for him who reproaches me, For I trust in Your word.
 43. And take not the word of truth utterly out of my mouth, For I have hoped in Your ordinances.
 44. So shall I keep Your law continually, Forever and ever.
 45. And I will walk at liberty, For I seek Your precepts.
 46. I will speak of Your testimonies also before kings, And will not be ashamed.
 47. And I will delight myself in Your commandments, Which I love.
 48. My hands also I will lift up to Your commandments, Which I love, And I will meditate on Your statutes.

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49. Remember the word to Your servant, Upon which You have caused me to hope.
 50. This is my comfort in my affliction, For Your word has given me life.
 51. The proud have me in great derision, Yet I do not turn aside from Your law.
 52. I remembered Your judgments of old, O Lord, And have comforted myself.
 53. Indignation has taken hold of me Because of the wicked, who forsake Your law.
 54. Your statutes have been my songs In the house of my pilgrimage.
 55. I remember Your name in the night, O Lord, And I keep Your law.
 56. This has become mine, Because I kept Your precepts.
 57. You are my portion, O Lord; I have said that I would keep Your words.
 58. I entreated Your favor with my whole heart; Be merciful to me according to Your word.
 59. I thought about my ways, And turned my feet to Your testimonies.
 60. I made haste, and did not delay To keep Your commandments.
 61. The cords of the wicked have bound me, But I have not forgotten Your law.
 62. At midnight I will rise to give thanks to You, Because of Your righteous judgments.
 63. I am a companion of all who fear You, And of those who keep Your precepts.
 64. The earth, O Lord, is full of Your mercy; Teach me Your statutes.
 65. You have dealt well with Your servant, O Lord, according to Your word.