

1 Hold not your peace, O God, do not keep silent;
be not unmoved, O God;
2 For your enemies are in tumult
and those who hate you lift up their heads.
3 They take secret counsel against your people
and plot against those whom you treasure.
4 They say, 'Come, let us destroy them as a nation,
that the name of Israel be remembered no more.'
5 They have conspired together with one mind; $\Box$
they are in league against you:
6 The tents of Edom and the Ishmaelites, $\Box$
Moab and the Hagarenes,
7 Gebal and Ammon and Amalek, <sup>□</sup>
the Philistines and those who dwell in Tyre.
8 Ashur also has joined them <sup>□</sup>
and has lent a strong arm to the children of Lot.
9 Do to them as you did to Midian, $\Box$
to Sisera and to Jabin at the river of Kishon,
10 Who perished at Endor
and became as dung for the earth.
11 Make their commanders like Oreb and Zeëb, <sup>□</sup>

and all their princes like Zebah and Zalmunna,
12 Who said, 'Let us take for ourselves <sup>□</sup>
the pastures of God as our possession.'
13 O my God, make them like thistledown,
like chaff before the wind.
14 Like fire that consumes a forest,
like the flame that sets mountains ablaze,
15 So drive them with your tempest <sup>□</sup>
and dismay them with your storm.
16 Cover their faces with shame, O Lord, <sup>□</sup>
that they may seek your name.
17 Let them be disgraced and dismayed for ever;
let them be put to confusion and perish;
18 And they shall know that you, whose name is the Lord, $\Box$
are alone the Most High over all the earth.
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