# Izihlabelelo

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## Isihlabelelo 1

**1** Uyabusiswa umuntu
Ongahambi ngalo
Icebo labo ababi
Lenhlanganwen' yabo.

Ongem' endleleni yabo
Abayiz' izoni,
Engahlal' esihlalweni
Esabagconayo.

**2** Kodw' ukujabula kwakhe
Kukuwo umthetho
WeNkosi, ewukhumbula
Emini leb'suku.

**3** Uzaba njengesihlahla
'Simil' emfuleni,
'Sithel' izithelo zaso
Ngesikhathi saso.

Amahlamvu aso wona
Awayikubuna.
Konke akwenzayo yena
Kuzaphumelela.

**4** AbangelaNkulunkulu
Kabanjalo bona,
Kodwa banjengamakhoba
Amuka lomoya.

**5** Kant' ababi kabasoze
Bem' ekwahluleni,
Lezoni emhlanganweni
Wabalungileyo.

**6** Ngob' iNkosi iyayazi
Indlela yabo nje
Abalungileyo, kodwa
Eyababi yofa.

## Isihlabelelo 2

**1** Kungani abahedeni
Sebexokozela,
Labantu bekhumbula nje
Khona okuyize.

**2** Amakhos' omhlaba ema,
Lababusi benza
Icebo ngayo iNkosi,
Kuy' umgcotshwa wayo,

**3** Bethi: Asephule zona
Izibopho zabo,
Sizilahle kude lathi
Izintambo zabo.

**4** Yena ohlez' ezulwini
Mpela uzahleka;
INkosi yona izaku-
bahleka usulu.

**5** Khona ezakubakhuza
Esethukuthele,
Abethuse ngokuvutha
Kwal' ulaka lwakhe.

**6** Kodwa ngibekil' iNkosi
Yami eZiyoni,
Entabeni yami khona,
Yona eyingcwele.

**7** Ngizakwazis' isimiso:
'Nkosi yangitshela:
UyiNdodana yam' wena,
Lamhla ngikuzele.

**8** Cela kimi ifa lakho,
Ngikuphe izizwe
Lemikhawulo yomhlaba
Ibe 'mfuyo yakho.

**9** Uzabephula ngentonga
Eyensimbi yona;
Ubaphahlaze njengalo
Udiwo lombumbi.

**10** Ngakho-ke hlakaniphani,
Lina makhos' wonke,
Lina lonke abehluli,
Bezwe lilayeke.

**11** Ikhonzenini iNkosi
Ngokwesaba yona;
Thokoza ngok'thuthumela,
Khonzanin' iNkosi.

**12** Yanganini iNdodana,
Hlez' ithukuthele,
Litshabalal' endleleni,
Laph' ithukuthela,

Lapho olwayo ulaka
Luvutha kancane.
Bayabusiswa labo-ke
Abathemba kuyo.

## Isihlabelelo 3

*Isihlabelo sikaDavida, lapho ebalekela ubuso bukaAbisalomu indodana yakhe.*

**1** Nkosi, hay' ukwanda kwaba-
ngihluphayo mina!
Banengi kakhulu aba-
vukelana lami.

**2** Banengi bona abathi
Kumphefum'lo wami:
Kakukho usizo lwakhe
Kuy' uNkulunkulu.

**3** Kodwa wena, Nkosi yami,
Ulihawu lami
Lodumo lomphakamisi
Welami ikhanda.

**4** Ngakhala kuyo iNkosi
Ngalo izwi lami,
Yangizwa isentabeni
Yayo eyingcwele.

**5** Ngangilele ubuthongo,
Ngabuya ngavuka,
Ngenxa yokuthi iNkosi
Yangilondoloza.

**6** Angesab' inkulungwane
Ezilitshumi-ke
'Zabantu abayizitha
Abangihanqayo.



**5** Mdumiseni ngezincence
Ezihlokomayo,
Mdumiseni ngezincence
Yenz' umsind' omkhulu.

**6** Konk' okuphefumulayo
Kakuyidumise
INkosi, kakuy'dumise.
Dumisan' iNkosi.

Ngitsh' olwabo abantwana
BakoIsrayeli,
Abant' abaduze layo.
Dumisan' iNkosi.

## Isihlabelelo 149

**1** Dumisanini iNkosi,
Lihlabel' ingoma
Entsha lodum' ebandleni
Labangcwele bayo.

**2** Kajabul' uIsrayeli
Kuy' umenzi wakhe,
AbeZiyoni bathabe
Kuy' iNkosi yabo.

**3** Kabadumise ibizo
Layo ngokusina,
Bamhayele ngezigubhu
Langemiqangala.

**4** Ngob' iNkos' iyathokoza
Ngabantu abayo,
Yocecisa abamnene
Ngalo usindiso.

**5** Kabajabul' abangcwele
Belalo udumo,
Kabahlabele kakhulu
Em'bhedeni yabo.

**6** Indumiso ezinkulu
ZikaNkulunkulu
Kazib' emlonyeni wabo
Lenkemb' esandleni.

**7** Ukubek' impindiselo
Phezu komhedeni,
Lazo zon' izijeziso
Phezu kwab' abantu.

**8** Ukuboph' amakhos' abo
Ngaw' amaketane,
Langezinsimbi abophe
Izikhulu zabo.

**9** Ukubenzel' isigwebo
Esilotshiweyo,
Lol' ludumo kubangcwele.
Dumisan' iNkosi.

## Isihlabelelo 150

**1** Idumise ye iNkosi,
Dumisan' uThixo
Kungcwele lasemkhathini
Owamandla akhe.

**2** Mdumiseni ngaz' izenzo
Zamandl' amakhulu,
Mdumiseni ngobukhulu
Bobukhosi bakhe.

**3** Mdumiseni ngokukhala
Komsindo wophondo,
Limdumise langechacho
Law' umhubhe wenu.

**4** Mdumiseni ngezigubhu
Langakh' ukusina,
Limdumise ngomqangala
Langemihlanga-ke.



**7** Vuka ngisindise, Nkosi
Nkulunkulu wami,
Ngoba uzitshay' im'hlathi
Zonk' izitha zami.

Uwephulile-ke wona
Amazinyo abo
Bon' abantu abazonda
Yen' uNkulunkulu.

**8** Usindiso ngolweNkosi,
Ngolwayo kuphela;
Izibusiso phezulu
Kwabantu bakho qha.

## Isihlabelelo 4

*Kumqondisi wokuhlabelela. NgeNeginothi. Isihlabelelo sikaDavida.*

**1** Ngilalele, Nkosi yami,
Uba ngikubiza,
Wena Nkulunkulu wami
Wokulunga kwami.

Wangivuselela mina
Nxa ngangidanile;
Ngihawukele, uwuzwe
Umthandazo wami.

**2** Lina madodan' abantu,
Koze kube nini
Liphendul' udumo lwami
Lilwenza ihlazo.

Koze kube nini, lina
Lithanda ubuze,
Njalo lidinga amanga
Kokuphela njalo.

**3** Kodwa yazini ukuthi
INkos' ikhethile
Olungileyo. Yongizwa
Nxa ngibiza kuyo.

**4** Manini lithuthumele,
Lingoni, lizindle
Ngenhliziyo embhedeni,
Lithule lithi zwi.

**5** Nikelan' iminikelo
Yakho ukulunga,
Libeke ithemba lenu
Ngakuyo iNkosi.

**6** Baneng' abathi: Ngubani
Os'bonis' okuhle?
Nkosi, khanyisa ubuso
Bakho phezu kwethu.

**7** Ufakile ukuthaba
Kweyam' inhliziyo
Okwedlula iwayini
Lamabele abo.

**8** Ngizalala ngokuthula,
Ngilal' ubuthongo,
Ngoba wena, Nkosi yami,
Ungilondoloza.

## Isihlabelelo 5

*Kumqondisi wokuhlabelela. NgeNehilothi. Isihlabelelo sikaDavida.*

**1** Zwana 'mazwi ami, Nkosi,
Njalo yemukela
Yon' imikhumbulo yami
Lezizindlo zami.

**2** Ulalele elizwini
Lokukhala kwami,
Nkulunkulu, Nkosi yami,
Ngothandaza kuwe.

**3** Ilizwi lami, ye, Nkosi,
Wena uzalizwa,
Khona ekuseni mpela,
Wolizwa bo, Nkosi.

Ekuseni ngowukhomba
Ngakuw' umthandazo
Owami, ngawuthandaza
Ngibheke phezulu.

**4** Ngoba wena kawusuye
UNkulunkulu bo
Othand' okubi; omubi
Kay'kuhlala lawe.

**5** Iziwula kazisoze
Zime phambi kwakho,
Uyazonda bonk' abenza
Okungalungile.

**6** Uzabhubhis' abaqamba
Amanga, o Nkosi,
Umbulali lomkhohlisi
Wen' uyabenyanya.

**7** Kodwa mina ngizangena
Kuyo indlu yakho
Ngakho ukwanda okwaso
Isihawu sakho.

Ekwesabeni okwakho
Ngizakukukhonza,
Ngikhangel' ethempelini
Lakho elingcwele

**8** Nkosi ngenxa yezitha zam'
Ngikhokhela ngoku-
lunga kwakho, uyenze i-
qond' indlela yakho.

**9** Ngoba emlonyeni wazo
Kakulathembeko,
Lakho ngaphakathi kwazo
Zigcwele ububi.

Umphimbo wazo lingcwaba
Elivuliweyo,
Ziyakhohlisa impela
Ngal' ulimi lwazo.

**10** Zibhubhise zona, wena
OnguNkulunkulu,
Yenza ziwele kuwona
Amacebo azo.

Ziphosele phandle ngenxa
Yezeduko zazo,
Ngokuba zikuvukele
Wena isibili.



Mayelana lezigwebo
Zakhe, abazange
Bazazi-ke lakancane.
Dumisan' iNkosi.

## Isihlabelelo 148

**1** Yidumise ye iNkosi,
Dumisan' iNkosi
Emazulwini, libonge
Yona engqongeni.

**2** Yibongenini-ke yona,
Zingilosi zayo,
Yibongenini yona bo,
Lonke m'khosi yayo.

**3** Mdumiseni lina langa,
Nyanga, mdumiseni
Lonke lina zinkanyezi
Ezikhanyisayo.

**4** Lina mazul' amazulu,
Kalibonge kuye,
Manzi khonale phezulu,
Awabonge kuye.

**5** Kakulibonge ibizo
Layo yon' iNkosi,
Ngoba yalaya ngelizwi,
Njalo kwadaleka.

**6** Ukumisile-ke khona,
Kume kokuphela
Wenzile-ke isimiso
Esingadluliyo.

**7** Dumisani yon' iNkosi,
Likhon' emhlabeni,
Zilo ezesabekayo,
Lina nziki lonke.

**8** Mlilo laso isiqhotho,
Liqhwa lay' inkungu,
Lesivunguzan' esenza
Elayo ilizwi.

**9** Lina-ke lonke zintaba,
Lani-ke maqaqa,
Zihlahla ezithelayo,
Masedari lonke.

**10** Nyamazana lezinkomo,
Lezihahabayo,
Njalo-ke lani zinyoni
Zon' eziphaphayo.

**11** Lina makhosi omhlaba,
Labo bonk' abantu,
Bagwebi bawo umhlaba,
Lani makhosana.

**12** Lonke majaha amatsha,
Lani-ke zintombi,
Lina bantu abadala,
Lani-ke bantwana.

**13** Kababong' ibizo leNkos'
Eliphakem' lodwa,
Udumo lwayo luphezu
Kwezulu lomhlaba.

**14** Njalo iyaphakamisa
Uphondo lwabayo,
Lona udumo lwabayo,
Bona abangcwele,

**5** INkosi yethu yinkulu,
Lamandl' ayo futhi,
Lolwazi lwayo lukhulu,
Ngoba alupheli.

**6** INkos' izaphakamisa
Bona abamnene,
Ibawise phansi bona
Abakhohlakali.

**7** Hlabelela eNkosini,
Uyibonge yona,
Hlabel' ubonge ngechacho
Kuy' iNkosi yethu.

**8** Isibekela umkhathi
Ngawo amayezi,
Izulu line, lotshani
Bumil' entabeni.

**9** Inyamazan' iyinika
Khon' ukudla kwayo,
Lamawabayi amatsha
Wona akhalayo.

**10** Kathokozi kuw' amandla
Awalo ibhiza,
Kathokozi futhi kuyo
Im'lenze yomuntu.

**11** INkos' ithokoza kubo
Abayesabayo,
Lakulabo abathemba
Isihawu sayo.

**12** Ibonge yona iNkosi,
O Jerusalema,
Ubonge lawe, Ziyoni,
'Nkulunkulu wakho.

**13** Ngoba useqinisile
Amasango akho,
'Bantwan' bakho abakuwe
Ubabusisile.

**14** Ukuthula ukwenzile
Kumingcele yakho,
Ukugcwalisile wena
Ngengqoloyi enhle.

**15** Uthumil' umlayo wakhe
Khona emhlabeni,
Izwi lakhe ligijima
Khona masinyane.

**16** Iqhwa elikhithikayo
Wehlis' njengewulu,
Njengongqwaqwan' amkhithize,
Sangathi ngumlotha.

**17** Uphosela isiqhotho
Sakhe njengez'gaqa,
Ngubani-ke yen' ongema
Kowakhe umqando?

**18** Uthumel' ilizwi lakhe,
Ancibilikise,
Umoya wakh' uphephetha,
Amanz' ageleze.

**19** Utshengisa izwi lakhe
Kuye uJakobe,
Lezimiso lezigwebo
Zakh' kuIsrayeli.

**20** Akazange asiphathe
Ngokunjalo sona
Isizwe loba yisiphi
Sona-ke isizwe.



**11** Kabathabe bonke labo
Abakuthembayo,
Bajabule bamemeze
Ngayo intokozo.

Ngoba uyabavikela
Abalithandayo
Ibizo lakho impela,
Bajabule kuwe.

**12** Ngoba wena Nkosi uya-
busis' olung'leyo,
Wena umhanqa ngomusa
Njengesihlangu bo.

## L.M. Isihlabelelo 6

*Kumqondisi wokuhlabelela.*
*NgeNeginothi, ngeSheminithi.*
*Isihlabelelo sikaDavida.*

**1** O Nkosi, ungangisoli
Nxa wena uthukuthele,
Ungangitshayi ngolaka
Olwakho nxa seluvutha.

**2** Ngihawukele, o Nkosi,
Ngoba ngibuthakathaka,
Ngelapha, Nkosi, ngokuba
Amathamb' athuthumele.

**3** Lomphefum'lo wami wona
Uhluphekile kakhulu,
Kodwa wena Nkulunkulu,
Hawu Nkosi, koba nini?

**4** Buya, Nkosi, ungisize,
Hlenga umphefum'lo wami,
O ngisindisa bo, ngenxa
Yawo won' umusa wakho.

**5** Ngoba ekufeni khona
Akukho ukukhumbula,
Elibeni ngubani na
Ozakubonga wena na?

**6** Ngidiniwe mina ngakho
Ukububul' ebusuku,
Ngimanzisile umbheda
Wami ngazo inyembezi.

**7** Ilihlo lami lidliwe
Lusizi lwami impela,
Lona liyaguga ngazo
Zonke zon' izitha zami.

**8** Sukani kimi, lina bo
Abasebenzi bobubi,
Ngoba iNkosi izwile
Ilizwi lokulila kwam'.

**9** INkosi isikuzwile
Ukuncenga kwami khona,
INkosi isemukela
Wona umthandazo wami.

**10** Zonk' izitha zam' kazibe
Lezinhloni, zihlupheke,
Kazibuyele ngenhloni,
Zidane ngokuphangisa.

## Isihlabelelo 7

*IShigayoni kaDavida, ayihlabelela iNkosi, ngamazwi kaKushi umBenjamini.*

**1** Nkosi, Nkulunkulu wami,
Ngithembela kuwe,
Kubo abangihluphayo
Ngihleng' ungisize.

**2** Hlez' ahlephul' umphefum'lo
Wami sangonyama,
Ewenz' iziqa, kungekho
Ongikhululayo.

**3** Nkosi Nkulunkulu wami,
Uba ngenze lokhu,
Uba kukhona okubi
Ezandleni zami.

**4** Uba ngimphindisel' 'kubi
Obengalwi lami,
Yebo, mina ngimkhulule
Olwa lami ngeze.

**5** Yenza ukuthi isitha
Sami siwuhluphe
Umphefum'lo wami wona,
Njalo siwuthathe.

Yebo yenz' anyathelele
Phans' impilo yami,
Abeke phansi udumo
Lwami othulini.

**6** Vuka, Nkosi, ulolaka,
Ziphakamise bo
Ngenxa yal' ulaka lwazo
Zon' izitha zami.

**7** Ngakh' umhlangano wabantu
Uzakukuhanqa,
Ngenxa yabo buya wena
Khonale phezulu.

**8** INkosi yogweba 'bantu,
Ngiqondise, Nkosi,
Ngokulunga lobuqotho
Obukhona kimi.

**9** Bona ububi bababi
Abuphele mpela,
Kodwa ubamise labo
Abalungileyo.

Nkulunkul' olungileyo,
Uyazihlola bo
Izinhliziyo zona bo
Njalo laz' izinso.

**10** KuNkulunkul' inqaba yam',
Wena ohlengayo
Labo abaqondileyo
Enhliz'yweni yabo.

**11** 'Nkulunkul' uyabagweba
Abalungileyo.
INkos' izondel' ababi
Izinsuku zonke.

**12** Nxa yena engaphenduki
Uzalol' inkemba,
Ugobisile umtshoko,
Uwulungisile.



**2** Ngisaphil' ngizadumisa
'Nkosi, ngihlabele
Udumo kuNkulunkulu
Wami ngisekhona.

**3** Lingathembi izikhulu
Kumbe indodana
Yomuntu, okungekho-ke
Kuyo lon' usizo.

**4** Umoya way' uyaphuma,
Ubuy' emhlabeni,
Ngalelolang' im'khumbulo
Yayo iyabhubha.

**5** Uyathaba osizwa ngu-
Thixo kaJakobe,
Othembela-ke kuyona
'Nkos' uMlimu wakhe.

**6** Owenz' izulu lomhlaba
Lolwandle lakho konk'
Okukhona-ke, agcine
'Qiniso phakade.

**7** Owenza ukwahlulela
Kwabahlutshiweyo,
Oph' abalambil' ukudla,
Akhuph' izibotshwa.

**8** INkos' ivula amehlo
Azo iziphofu,
Ivus' abakhothemeyo,
Ithand' abalungi.

**9** INkosi ilondoloza
Bona abemzini,
Ikhulule intandane,
Lay' umfelwakazi.

Kodwa-ke yona indlela
Yabo bon' ababi
Iyayimbokotha yona
Iyihlanekele.

**10** INkosi yobusa njalo,
Ngitsh' uThixo wakho,
Ziyoni, enzalwen' yonke.
Bonganin' iNkosi.

## Isihlabelelo 147

**1** Dumisanini iNkosi,
Ngoba kuhle khona
Ukuhlabelela kuyo
Izingoma zayo.

Kuhle ukumbonga yena,
'Nkulunkulu wethu
Ngoba kumnandi sibili,
Kuhle ukubonga.

**2** UJehova uyayakha
IJerusalema,
Abalahlwa ko'Srayeli
Bon' uyababutha.

**3** Inhliziy' edabukile
Yen' uyayelapha,
Aphinde abophe lawo
Amanxeba abo.

**4** Uyabala lon' inani
Lazo inkanyezi,
Azibize zona zonke
Ngamabizo azo.

**8** INkosi yon' ilomusa,
Njalo igcwele uzwelo,
Iphuz' ukuthukuthela,
Ilesihaw' esikhulu.

**9** Ilungile yon' iNkosi
Kubo bonke, njalo zona
Izihawu zay' ziphezu
Kwem'sebenzi yayo yonke.

**10** Izakudumisa wena
Yonk' imisebenzi yakho,
Nkosi, njalo abangcwele
Bakho bazakukubonga.

**11** Bona bazakukhuluma
Ngobukhosi obombuso
Wakho, bazakukhuluma
Ngawo won' amandla akho.

**12** Ukwazis' amadodana
Abantu izenzo zakho
Ezilamandla, lodumo
Lobukhosi law' umbuso.

**13** Owakho wona umbuso
Ungumbus' ongapheliyo,
Ubukhosi bakho boba
Kuzizukulwana zonke.

**14** INkosi iyasekela
Bonke labo abawayo,
Iyalulamisa labo
Bona abathobileyo.

**15** Amehl' abo bona bonke
Akhangela ngakuwena
Uyabaph' ukudla kwabo
Ngesikhath' esifanele.

**16** Uvula isandla sakho,
Usuthisa isifiso
Sazo zona lezo zonke
Izinto eziphilayo.

**17** UJehova ulungile
Kuzindlela zakhe zonke,
Njalo ungcwele kuyona
Yonk' imisebenzi yakhe.

**18** Useduze uJehova
Kubo bonk' abambizayo,
Bonke labo ababiza
Kuye ngalo iqiniso.

**19** Uzagcwalis' isifiso
Sabo abamesabayo,
Uzakuzwa ukukhala
Njalo uzabasindisa.

**20** INkosi yon' iyalonda
Bonke abayithandayo,
Kodwa izikhohlakali
Izazibhubhisa zona.

**21** Wotshumayel' umlomo wam'
Udumo lweNkos', inyama
Yonke kayibong' ibizo
Lay' elingcwele phakade.

## Isihlabelelo 146

**1** Dumisani yon' iNkosi.
Uboyidumisa
Yona iNkosi, wena-ke
Mphefumulo wami.



**13** Njalo usemlungisele
'Zikhali zokufa,
Uqondisa imitshoko
Yakhe kubahluphi.

**14** Khangela, uyahelelwa
Yibubi umithi,
Usekhulelwe ngokona,
Wazala amanga.

**15** Uwenzile won' umgodi
Wawugebha yena,
Usewele emgelweni
Awugebhileyo.

**16** Ububi bakhe behlele
Khon' ekhanda lakhe,
Lesihluku simehlele
Khon' ekhanda lakhe.

**17** Ngizadumisa iNkosi
Ngokulunga kwayo,
Ngihlabelele igama
Lakh' oPhezukonke.

## Isihlabelelo 8

*Kumqondisi wokuhlabelela.*
*NgeGithithi. Isihlabelelo*
*sikaDavida.*

**1** O Nkosi, o Nkosi yethu,
Hay' ubuhle balo
Lona elakho ibizo
Emhlabeni wonke!

Wena ulumisile bo
Olwakho udumo
Ngaphezulu kwawo wona
Amazulu wonke.

**2** Emlonyeni wezingane
Njalo lowalabo
Abamunyayo wena u-
sumise amandla,

Ngenxa yezakho izitha,
Ukuze wena-ke
Uthulise son' isitha
Lay' umphindiseli.

**3** Nxa ngikhangel' amazulu,
Umsebenzi wayo
Iminwe yakho, umise
'Nyanga lenkanyezi.

**4** Umuntu ubeyini na
Ukuth' umkhumbule?
Lendodana yakh' umuntu
Ukuyihambela?

**5** Umenzile wasilela
Kancane kulazo
Ingilosi, umthwese nge-
nkazim'lo lodumo.

**6** Wamenza wabusa phezu
Kwem'sebenz' yezandla,
Konke wakubeka phansi
Kwezinyawo zakhe.

**7** Zonk' izimvu lezinkomo,
Yebo, lazo zonke
Izinyamazana zonke
Ezasehlathini.

**8** Izinyoni zemoyeni
Lenhlanzi zolwandle
Lakho konke 'kudlulayo
Kundlela zolwandle.

**9** O Nkosi, o Nkosi yethu,
Hay' ubuhle balo
Lona elakho ibizo
Emhlabeni wonke!

## Isihlabelelo 9

*Kumqondisi wokuhlabelela. NgeMuthi-labheni. Isihlabelelo sikaDavida.*

**1** Ngizakubong', Nkosi, ngayo
'Nhliziyo yam' yonke,
Ngitshengise yonke yakho
'Msebenz' esimanga.

**2** Ngizathaba ngijabule
Kuwe, ngihlabele
Indumiso ebizweni
Lakh' oPhezukonke.

**3** Nxa abayizitha zami
Bebuyel' emuva,
Bazakuwa babhubhele
'Bukhoneni bakho.

**4** Ngoba wena umisile
Ilungelo lami,
Wahlala esihlalweni,
Ugweba ngok'qonda.

**5** Wakhuza abahedeni,
Wabulal' ababi,
Wachitha ibizo labo
Lingaze laziwa.

**6** Sitha! kuphelile konke
Ukuchithakala,
Uyichithile imizi
Lokwaziwa kwayo.

**7** Kodw' iNkosi izahlala
Ngokungapheliyo,
Ulungisil' isihlalo
Sayo sokugweba.

**8** INkos' izakwehlulela
Ngokulunga izwe,
Izakutheth' amacala
Abo ngeqiniso.

**9** INkosi yoba yinqaba
Eyabahlutshwayo,
Isiphephelo ngensuku
Ezokuhlupheka.

**10** Abazi ibizo lakho
Bazathemba kuwe,
Ngoba, Nkos', awutshiyanga
Abakudingayo.

**11** Hlabelani eNkosini
Ehlez' eZiyoni,
Limemezel' ebantwini
Ezayo izenzo.

**12** Lapho ibuza ngegazi,
Iyabakhumbula,
Kayikhohlwa ukukhala
Kwabachumileyo.



**12** Ukuze amadodana
Wona ethu abe
Njengamahlumel' akhula
Ebutsheni bawo.

Ukuz' amadodakazi
Ethu afanane
Lamatshe engonsi khona
Njengesigodlweni.

**13** Ukuze-ke iziphala
Zethu zon' zigcwale
Yonke imihlobo yakho,
Ukuze izimvu

Zizale inkulungwane
Njalo-ke zizale
Izinkulungwane ezi-
litshum' emangweni.

**14** Ukuze inkabi zethu
Ziqine ukuze
Zingadinw' emsebenzini.
Kungafohlelwa-ke

Lob' ukufohlela phandle,
Ukuze kungabi
Lokukhala okukhulu
Ez'taladen' zethu.

**15** Bayathab' abant' abanje,
Yebo bayathaba
Abantu uNkulunkulu
Wabo oyiNkosi.

## L.M. Isihlabelelo 145

*Ingoma yendumiso, ekaDavida.*

**1** Ngizakukuphakamisa,
Nkulunkulu wami Nkosi,
Ngodumis' ibizo lakho
Kuze kube nini nini.

**2** Wena ngizakudumisa
Nsuku zonke, ngidumise
Lona elakho ibizo,
Kuze kub' ephakadeni.

**3** Inkulu yona iNkosi,
Kayidunyiswe kakhulu,
Njalo ubukhulu bayo
Kabusoze bahloleka.

**4** Isizukulwana siza-
dumis' im'sebenzi yakho
Kwesinye, sitshumayele
'Zenzo zakh' ezilamandla.

**5** Ngizakhuluma ngodumo
Lwabo ubukhosi bakho,
Layo im'sebenzi yakho
Yona emangalisayo.

**6** Abantu bazakhuluma
Ngamandla ezenzo zakho
Ezesabekayo, njalo
Ngoland' ubukhulu bakho.

**7** Bazakhuluma kakhulu
Ngomkhumbul' wobuhle bakho
Obukhulu, njalo baza-
hlabel' ukulunga kwakho.

**12** Ngesihawu sakho chitha
Ezam' izitha, bhubhisa
Bonk' abahluph' umphefum'lo,
Ngoba ngiyinceku yakho.

## Isihlabelelo 144

*EsikaDavida.*

**1** Bong' iNkos', amandla ami,
Efundis' izandla
Zami empini, leyami
Iminwe ukulwa.

**2** Ubuhle lenqaba yami,
'Mphotshongo omude,
Njalo ungumkhululi wam',
Isihlangu sami,

Njalo ngithembele kuye,
Yena bo onguye
Othoba abantu bami
Khona phansi kwami.

**3** Nkosi, uyini umuntu
Ukuthi umazi,
Lob' indodana yomuntu
'Kuth' uyinakane?

**4** Umuntu unjengeze nje,
Izinsuku zakhe
Zifana lethunzi lona
'Lizedlulelayo.

**5** Gob' izulu lakho Nkosi,
Wehle khona phansi,
Uzithinte izintaba
Zizathunq' intuthu.

**6** Phazimisa-ke umbane,
Ubachithachithe,
Tshoka imitshoko yakho,
Ubhubhise bona.

**7** Yelula isandla sakho
Khona ngaphezulu,
Njal' ungisindise mina,
Njal' ungikhulule

Emanzini amanengi,
Esandleni sona
Sabo abantwana bona
'Bangabasemzini.

**8** 'M'lomo yab' ikhulum' ize,
Lesandla-ke sabo
Sokunene siyisandla
Sayo inkohliso.

**9** Ngizahlabelel' ingoma
Entsha ngakuwe, o
Nkulunkulu, ngal' ichacho
Lemihubhe layo

Elazo-ke izintambo
Zon' ezilitshumi,
Ngizahlabelela zona
Izibongo kuwe.

**10** Uph' amakhos' usindiso,
Okhuph' uDavida
'Nceku yakhe engozini
Yayo yon' inkemba.

**11** Ngophula kub' abezizwe,
Bakhuluma ize,
'Sandla sabo sokunene
Singesaw' amanga.



**13** Woba lesihawu kimi,
Nkosi, ukhangele
Zon' izinhlupheko zami
Zabangizondayo,

Wen' ongiphakamisayo
Emnyango yokufa,
Ukuze ngizwakalise
Indumiso yakho.

**14** Emasangweni entombi
EyaseZiyoni
Ngizakuthokoza kulo
Usindiso lwakho.

**15** Izizwe zitshone kuwo
'Mgod' eziwenzile,
Zabanjwa ngumgibinyawo
Abawufihlayo.

**16** INkosi iyezwakala
Ngokugweba kwayo,
Isigangi sibanjiwe
'Msebenzini waso.

**17** Ababi bazabuyela
Khon' esihogweni,
Futhi izizwe zonk' ezi-
khohlw' uNkulunkulu.

**18** Ngoba abayanga aba-
soze balitshalwa,
Ithemba labaswelayo
Aliyikubhubha.

**19** Vuka Nkosi, ungavumi
Umuntu ehlule,
Kazehlulelwe izizwe
Khona phambi kwakho.

**20** Uzesabise-ke, Nkosi,
Zon' izizwe zonke,
Ukuze zizazi zinga-
bantukazana nje.

## Isihlabelelo 10

**1** Umeleni khatshana bo,
O Nkosi, yini na?
Ucatshelan' ezikhathin'
Zokuhlupheka na?

**2** Ekuzindleni komubi
Uhlupha ompofu.
Kababanjwe kumacebo
Abawacebile.

**3** Omub' uyazibula nge-
zifis' enhliz'yweni.
Ubusisa olomhawu,
Onengwa yiNkosi.

**4** Omubi ngokuziqhenya
Akading' iNkosi;
INkosi kayikho kuyo
Im'khumbulo yakhe.

**5** Izindlela zakhe zona
Zicunula njalo;
Izigwebo zakho, belo,
Zikhatshana laye.

Zingaphezulu kwamehlo
Akhe, kaziboni,
Uyaziklolodela bo
Zonk' izitha zakhe.

**6** Uth' enhliziyweni yakhe:
Angiyikususwa,
Ngoba ngingasoze ngibe
Khon' ebunzimeni.

**7** Umlomo wakhe ugcwele
'Nhlamba lenkohliso
Lobuqili; phans' kolimi
Kulobubi leze.

**8** Uhlez' ikusithekeni
Kundawo zemizi
Ukuze ababulale
Abangelamlandu.

Amehlo akh' akhangele
Umyanga ngobubi,
Emquthele sangonyama
Ebhalwini lwayo.

**9** Umquthele ukumbamba,
Qotho uyambamba
Ompofu, uyambamba nje
Embuleni lakhe.

**10** Uhahab' azithobise
Ukuze ompofu
Awiswe ngabangabakhe
Abalaw' amandla.

**11** Uthe enhliz'yweni yakhe:
INkos' ikhohliwe,
Ifihlil' ubuso bayo,
Kasoz' ikubone.

**12** Nkosi, vuka, Nkulunkulu,
Phakamis' isandla
Sakho, ungakhohlwa yibo
Abachumileyo.

**13** Yin' omubi edelela
'Nkulunkulu, ethi
Kunhliziyo yakhe: Yena
Kawuyikufuna.

**14** Usukubonile khona,
Ngoba uyabona
Umona layo inzondo,
Wokuphindisela

Ngesandla sakho. Umyanga
Woziletha kuwe.
Wena ungumsizi wazo
Zona intandane.

**15** Yephul' ingalo yomubi
Lay' ongalungile.
Ding' inkohlakalo yakhe
Uz' ungayitholi.

**16** UJehova uyiNkosi
Emiyo phakade.
Baphelil' abahedeni
Elizweni lakhe.

**17** Nkosi uzwil' ukufisa
Kwabamnene, uza-
lungis' inhliziyo yabo,
Wenz' indleb' yakh' izwe.

**18** Ukugweba intandane
Labahlutshiweyo;
Khon' umuntu owomhlaba
Angaphind' ahluphe.



Abalungileyo bona
Bazakungihanqa,
Ngoba uzakungiphatha
Kakuhle kakhulu.

## L.M. Isihlabelelo 143

*Isihlabelelo sikaDavida.*

**1** Zwana umthandazo wami,
Nkosi, lalela ezami
Izicelo, kuthembeko
Lokulunga ngiphendule.

**2** Ungangen' ekwahluleni
Leyakho inceku, ngoba
Emehlweni akho kakho
'Philay' olungisiswayo.

**3** Ngoba isitha sihluphe
Owami umphefumulo,
Sicindezelele phansi
Yona eyami impilo.

Usengenze-ke ngahlala
Ngaphakathi kobunyama,
Njengabo labo bona-ke
Asebafa kudala bo.

**4** Ngakho-ke umoya wami
Phakathi uyehluleka,
Layo inhliziyo yami
Isididekile mpela.

**5** Ngikhumbula izinsuku
Ezendulo, nginakana
Ngem'sebenzi yakho yonke,
Mina ngizizindla ngayo.

**6** Ngelulele kuw' ezami
Izandla, umphefumulo
Wami uwomele wena
Njengomhlab' owomileyo.

**7** Ngizwa ngokutshetsha mina,
O Nkosi yami-ke wena,
Umoya wam' uyaphela,
Wona uthi dedelele.

Ungangifihlel' ubuso
Bakho wena, hlezi ngibe
Njengalabo abawela
Phansi khona emgodini.

**8** Ngenza ngizwe isihawu
Lothando lwakh' ekuseni,
Ngoba ngithembela kuwe,
Ngenza ukuthi ngiyazi

Indlel' engihamba ngayo,
Ngoba ngiphakamisela
Owami umphefumulo
Ngakuwe wena wedwa bo.

**9** Ngikhulule Nkosi, kuzo
Ezami izitha, ngoba
Ngigijimela ngakuwe,
Ukuthi ngicatshe kuwe.

**10** Ngifundis' intando yakho,
Ngoba uyiNkosi yami,
Ulungil' umoya wakho
Ngisa ezwen' lokuqonda.

**11** Ngiphilise Nkosi, ngenxa
Yebizo lakho, langenxa
Yokulunga kwakho, khupha
Umphefum'lo wam' kuhlupho.

**6** Nxa ababo abehluli
Bewiselwe ematsheni,
Bazakuzw' amazwi ami,
Ngokuba wona amnandi.

**7** Ahlakazek' emlonyeni
Wengcwab' amathambo ethu,
Njengodabula inkuni
Phezu kwawo umhlabathi.

**8** Kodwa mina, amehl' ami
Akuwe, o Thixo Nkosi,
Likuwe ithemba lami,
Ungaswel' umphefum'lo wam'.

**9** Ngivikel' em'jibileni
Abangibekele yona,
Njalo lakuz' izithiyo
Zabenzi babo ububi.

**10** Kabathi bona ababi
Bawele emambuleni
Abo, kuthi-ke mina bo
Ngiphunyuke kuwo wonke.

## Isihlabelelo 142

*IMasikili kaDavida, umkhuleko esebhalwini.*

**1** Ngakhalela kuy' iNkosi
Ngelami ilizwi,
Ngenza isicelo sami
Kuyo yon' iNkosi.

**2** Ngithulule phambi kwayo
Isicelo sami,
Ngiyitshengisile lona
Olwami uhlupho.

**3** Nxa umoya wami wona
Wawudidekile
Ngaphakathi kwami, wazi
Ukuhamba kwami.

Kundlel' engihamba ngayo
Bangithiyile m'na,
Ngobuqili bangithiya
Ngawo umjibila.

**4** Ngakhangela esandleni
Sami sokunene,
Ngakhangela angabona
'Muntu ongaziyo.

Isiphephelo saphutha.
Mina-ke ngamswela
Umuntu onanza ngawo
Umphefum'lo wami.

**5** Ngakhalela kuwe, Nkosi,
Ngathi: Wena uyi-
nqaba lesabelo sami
Kwelabaphilayo.

**6** Lalel' ukukhala kwami,
Ngehliselwe phansi.
Ngihlenge kubahluphi bam',
Ngob' bayangehlula.

**7** Khupha umphefum'lo wami
Kuyo intolongo,
Ukuze ngilidumise
Elakho ibizo.



## Isihlabelelo 11

*Kumqondisi wokuhlabelela. EsikaDavida.*

**1** Ngithembela eNkosini,
Ngani lithi: Phapha
Sanyon' entabeni yenu,
Kumphefum'lo wami?

**2** Ngob' ababi bakhombela
Ngemitshoko yabo,
Beyilungisa phezulu
Kwezintambo zayo.

Ukuze bathi-ke bona
Ngobuqili babo
Bamcibe olungileyo
Kunhliziyo yakhe.

**3** Nxa kambe izisekelo
Zidilizwe zonke,
Yikuthi bangenze njani
Abalungileyo?

**4** INkos' iphakathi kwalo
'Thempel' elingcwele.
Isihlalo say' iNkosi
Sisemazulwini.

Amehl' ayo ayabona,
Inkophe zihlole
Inzalo yabantu bonke,
Ayiqedisise.

**5** INkos' ilinga ongcwele,
Kodwa umphefum'lo
Wayo uzonda omubi
Othanda umsindo.

**6** Kuzoni wothel' umlilo,
'Sibabul', 'siphepho.
Lokhu koba yisabelo
Seyabo inkezo.

**7** Ngob' iNkos' elungileyo
Ithand' ukulunga.
Ubuso bayo bubuka
Yen' oqondileyo.

## Isihlabelelo 12

*Kumqondisi wokuhlabelela. NgeSheminithi. Isihlabelelo sikaDavida.*

**1** Siza Nkosi, uyaphela
Umnt' olungileyo
Lothembekileyo kuyo
Inzalo yabantu.

**2** Umuntu lomakhelwane
Bakhuluma ize
Ngolim' olulalisayo
Ngenhliziyombili.

**3** INkosi izakuquma
'Ndeb' elalisayo
Lolimi olukhuluma
'Zinto ezinkulu.

**4** Labo abathe: Ngolimi
Lwethu sizanqoba,
Indebe lezi ngezethu,
Inguban' iNkosi?

**5** Ngokuhlutshwa kwabampofu
Lok'bubula kwabo
Abasweleyo, khathesi
Mina ngizavuka,

Itsho iNkosi, ukuthi
Ngizammisa yena
Enqabeni kuyena o-
zikhukhumezayo.

**6** 'Mazw' eNkosi mahle njenge-
siliva ehlolwe
Eziko lawo umlilo,
'Cengwe kas'khombisa.

**7** Uzakubagcina, Nkosi,
Ubalondoloze
Kulesisizukulwana
Ngokungapheliyo.

**8** Izikhohlakali zona
Zihamb' inxa zonke,
Lapha ababi abantu
Bephakanyisiwe.

## Isihlabelelo 13

*Kumqondisi wokuhlabelela.*
*Isihlabelelo sikaDavida.*

**1** Wongikhohlwa kube nini,
O Nkosi, phakade?
Koba nini, Nkos', ufihla
'Buso bakho kimi?

**2** Koba nini ngizindla na
Phakathi kowami
Umphefum'lo, ngilusizi
Enhliz'yweni yami?

Kuzakuba nini sona
Isitha sami-ke
Siphakhanyisiwe khona
Ngaphezulu kwami?

**3** Khumbula njalo ungizwe,
Nkosi 'Nkulunkul' wam',
Khanyis' amehlo ngingabi
Lobuthong' bokufa.

**4** Hlez' isitha sami sithi:
Sengimehlulile.
Bathabe abahluphayo
Ngizanyazanyiswe.

**5** Kodwa ngithembile mina
Emuseni wakho.
'Nhliziyo yam' ijabule
Kusindiso lwakho.

**6** Sengizakuhlabelela
ENkosini yami,
Ngokuba okuhle kwayo
Uhlal' engenzela.

## Isihlabelelo 14

*Kumqondisi wokuhlabelela.*
*EsikaDavida.*

**1** Isiwula sesitshilo
Enhliz'yweni yaso
Ukuthi kakho sibili
Yen' uNkulunkulu.



**8** Nkosi akungavumeli
'Zifiso zababi.
Ungakhulis' 'cebo labo,
Hlezi bazibule.

**9** Lon' ikhanda labo bona
'Bangihanqileyo,
'Nkohliso yomlomo wabo
Ibasibekele.

**10** Akuthi won' amalahle
Wona avuthayo
Awele phezulu kwabo.
Kabaphoselwe-ke,

Baphoselwe emlilweni,
Kuyo imigodi
Ejulileyo, ukuze
Bangaphind' bavuke.

**11** Umunt' ololim' olubi
Angem' emhlabeni,
Okubi kuzazingela
Omub' ukumwisa.

**12** Ngiyazi ukuth' iNkosi
Izakubamela
'Bahlutshwayo, lelungelo
Labo abayanga.

**13** Mpela abalungileyo
Bazabong' ibizo,
Abaqotho bazahlala
Ebusweni bakho.

## L.M. Isihlabelelo 141

*Isihlabelelo sikaDavida.*

**1** Nkosi, ngikhalela kuwe,
Phangisa uze ngakimi,
Lalela ilizwi lami,
Nxa ngikhalela ngakuwe.

**2** Kawumisw' umthandazo wam'
Phambi kwakho
njengemphepha,
Lokuphakama kwezandla
Komnikelo wakusihlwa.

**3** Nkosi, bekela umlomo
Wona owami umlindi,
Kawugcine won' umnyango
Wazo izindebe zami.

**4** Ungayisi inhliziyo
Yami kokubi, ukuze
Ngenz' im'sebenzi emibi,
Ngilabo bona abantu

Bona abasebenzayo
Zona-ke iziphambeko,
Njalo ngingaze ngadla bo
Izibiliboco zabo.

**5** Kangitshay' olungileyo,
Kuzakuba yiw' umusa,
Kangisole, kuzakuba
Yiwo amafuth' amahle,

Angasayikulephula
Lona elami ikhanda,
Lomthandazo wami uza-
kuba enhlutshweni zabo.

**19** Impela uzambulala
Omubi, o Nkosi,
Ngakho sukanini kimi,
Madoda egazi.

**20** Ngokuba bayakhuluma
Kubi ngawe, Nkosi,
Izitha zakho ziphatha
'Bizo lakho ngeze.

**21** Nkosi, kangibazondi na
Abakuzondayo?
Kanginengwa yibo yini
'Bakuhlubukayo?

**22** Ngiyabazonda ngenzondo
Yon' ephelelelyo,
Ngibabala njengezitha
Izitha ezami.

**23** Ng'hlola, Nkulunkulu, wazi
Inhliziyo yami,
Ngilinga, uqedisise
Im'khumbulo yami.

**24** Ubone uba kukhona
Indlela yobubi
Kimi, ungiholele-ke
Kundlel' ephakade.

## Isihlabelelo 140

*Kumqondisi wokuhlabelela.*
*Isihlabelelo sikaDavida.*

**1** Ngikhulule, wena Nkosi,
Kumuntu omubi,
Akungigcine kundoda
Yon' elesihluku.

**2** Bona abakhumbulayo
'Bub' enhliziyweni
Bahlangana kokuphela
Besilwa yon' impi.

**3** Balola ulimi lwabo
Njengayo inyoka,
Ubuhlungu bebululu
Buphansi kolimi.

**4** Ngivikele wena, Nkosi,
Kuzandla zababi,
Ungivikele kundoda
Yon' elesihluku.

Bona sebekucebile
Befuna ukuthi
Bawisele phansi khona
Ukuhamba kwami.

**5** Bona abaziqhenyayo
Sebengifihlele
Imijibila lentambo,
Bendlale imbule,

Bakwenza lokh' eceleni
Kwayo indlela-ke,
Bona sebengibekele
Zona izithiyo.

**6** Ngakhuluma eNkosini:
UnguThixo wami,
Zwan' ilizwi lokuncenga
Kwami, Nkosi yami.

**7** Nkulunkulu Nkosi, Mandla
Osindiso lwami,
Ufihlil' ikhanda lami
Osukwini lwempi.



Bonakele bona bonke,
Benzile okubi,
Njalo akukho loyedwa
Owenz' ukulunga.

**2** INkosi isezulwini
Yakhangela phansi
Ebantwaneni babantu
Ukubon' ukuthi

Ngaba ukhona yini-ke
Ngitsho yen' oyedwa
Owaziyo njal' odinga
UNkulunkulu bo.

**3** Baphambukile bon' bonke,
Bangcolile kanye;
Owenz' okulungileyo
Akakho loyedwa.

**4** 'Benzi bobub' abazi na?
Abadl' abantu bam'
Njengalokhu bedl' isinkwa;
Kababiz' iNkosi.

**5** Balokwesab' okukhulu,
Ngob' uNkulunkulu
Usesizukulwaneni
Sabalungileyo.

**6** Liliyangisil' icebo
Labo abayanga,
Ngokuba iNkosi iyi-
siphephelo sabo.

**7** Sengathi nga usindiso
LukaIsrayeli
Lungafika luvelela
Khona eZiyoni.

UJehova ebuyisa
Abathunjwa bakhe,
Uzakuthab' uJakobe,
Athab' 'Israyeli.

## L.M. Isihlabelelo 15

*Isihlabelelo sikaDavida.*

**1** O! Nkosi ngubani oza-
kuhlala endlini yakho?
Ngubani ozakwakha na
Entabeni yakh' engcwele?

**2** Yen' ohamba ngobuqotho,
Owenzayo ukulunga,
Ekhuluma iqiniso
Kuyo inhliziyo yakhe.

**3** Kahlebi ngalo ulimi,
Akoni umakhelwane,
Kaphakamisi ihlazo
Kuy' umakhelwane wakhe.

**4** Kumehl' akhe uyenyanya
Umuntu ongalunganga,
Kodwa uyabadumisa
Abayesabay' iNkosi.

**5** Nxa yena esefungile
Loba kuzakumlimaza,
Akaphenduki lakanye;
Kanik' imali ngenzuzo.

Akemukeli isipho
Kuye ongelal' icala.
Yena okwenzayo lokho
Kayikuzanyazanyiswa.

## Isihlabelelo 16

*IMikitami kaDavida.*

**1** Ngilondoloze-ke mina,
Nkulunkulu wami,
Ngilibekile kuwena
Elami ithemba.

**2** Usutshilo eNkosini:
UyiNkosi yami,
Lokhukulunga okwami
Kakufiki kuwe,

**3** Kodwa kubangcwel' labahle
Abasemhlabeni,
Kulapho ikhona yona
Eyam' injabulo.

**4** Zizakwanda izinsizi
Zabo abaphanga
Abanye onkulunkulu.
Anginikeli-ke

Enathwayo eyegazi.
Angiyikuphatha
Wona amabizo abo
Ngezindebe zami.

**5** INkosi iyisabelo
Selami ilifa
Lesenkezo yam'. Ulonda
Isabelo sami.

**6** Zingehlele izabelo
Endawen' ezinhle,
Yebo ngilalo ilifa
Elilungileyo.

**7** Ngizabonga iNkosi bo
Engiqondisayo;
'Zinso zam' zingiqondisa
Khona ebusuku.

**8** Ngiyibekile iNkosi
Njalo phambi kwami,
Ngoba ingakwesokudla,
Ngingenyikinyeke.

**9** Ngakho inhliziyo yami
Ithab', lodumo lwam';
Inyama yami layo yo-
phumul' ethembeni.

**10** Ungatshiyi umphefum'lo
Wam' esihogweni,
Njal' ungavumel' oNgcwele
Wakh' abon' 'kubola.

**11** Uzangibonisa yona
Indlela yempilo
Kubukho bakho, kugcwele
Yona injabulo.

Kuso esakho isandla
Son' esokunene
Kukhona izinjabulo
Ezingapheliyo.

## Isihlabelelo 17

*Umkhuleko kaDavida.*

**1** Zwana khona ukulunga,
Nkosi, ulalele
Kukho ukukhala kwami.
Beka indlebe bo



**8** Nxa ngenyukel' ezulwini,
Lalapho ukhona,
Ngendlal' umbhed' egehena,
Lalapho ukhona.

**9** Nxa ngithatha amaphiko
Awokusa, ngiye-
kuhlal' emikhawulweni
Yalo lon' ulwandle.

**10** Lalapho isandla sakho
Sizangikhokhela,
Isandla sakho sokudla
Sizakungibamba.

**11** Nxa ngisithi, ubunyama
Qotho bongimboza,
Kanti ubusuku bona
Buzakhanya kimi.

**12** Yebo ubunyama kuwe
Abufihli lutho,
Kodwa ubusuku bona
Buyakhanya kuwe.

Buyakhanya njengemini,
Ubusuku kuwe
Bufanana lay' imini
Ngokukhanya kwabo.

**13** Ngokuba wena wazenza
Zon' izinso zami,
Wangigoqel' esiswini
Esakhe umama.

**14** Ngizakubonga ngokuba
Ngadalwa ngendlela
Eyesabekayo futhi
Eyisimanga-ke.

Iyamangalisa yona
Im'sebenzi yakho,
Lokho umphefum'lo wami
Ukwazi kakhulu.

**15** Ibumba lami-ke lona
Lingekucatshele
Lapho ngabunjwa ngasese
Ekusithekeni.

Ngadalwa ngendlela mina
Emangalisayo,
Ngabekwa khona ngaphansi
Kundawo zomhlaba.

**16** Amehl' akho alibona
Lon' ibumba lami,
Kodwa lingakapheleli.
Encwadini yakho

Wonke amalunga ami
Abaliwe kuyo,
'Nsuku zokubunjwa kwawo
Engakabi khona.

**17** Iligugu im'khumbulo
Eyakho ngakimi,
Nkulunkulu, bunganani
Ubunengi bayo!

**18** Uba ngiyibal' idlula
Lon' itshebetshebe
Ngobunengi, nxa ngivuka
Ngilokhu ngilawe.

**5** Azahlabela ngendlela
EzikaJehova,
Ngoba bukhul' ubukhosi
Obayo iNkosi.

**6** Lanxa yena uJehova
Ephakeme, kodwa
Bon' abathobekileyo
Uyabakhumbula.

Kodwa-ke bona abantu
Abazigqajayo
UJehova uyabazi
Ekhatshana labo.

**7** Lanxa ngihamb' esizini
Olukhulukazi,
Wongivuselela wena.
Uzaselulela

Isandla sakho kulaka
Lwezami izitha,
Isandla sakh' sokunene
Sizangisindisa.

**8** INkos' izaphelelisa
Okumayelana
Lami, umusa owakho
Nkulunkulu umi,

Umi-ke ephakadeni.
Akungayitshiyi
Imisebenzi yezakho
Zona-ke izandla.

## Isihlabelelo 139

*Kumqondisi wokuhlabelela.*
*Isihlabelelo sikaDavida.*

**1** O! Nkosi wena usungi-
hlololile wangazi.
Uyakwazi ukuhlala
Kwami khona phansi,

**2** Lakh' ukuvuka okwami.
Uyaqedisisa
Yona im'khumbulo yami
Isesekhatshana.

**3** Uyahanq' indlela yami
Lokulala phansi,
Uyazaz' indlela zami
Zonk' uzejwayele.

**4** Ngoba alikho ilizwi
Elimini lwami,
Bheka Nkosi, uyalazi
Wena lonkana nje.

**5** Ungihanqe ngasemuva
Lakho ngaphambili,
Ubekil' isandla sakho
Khona phezu kwami.

**6** Ulwazi luyisimanga
Esingehlulayo,
Luphakeme kakhulu-ke
Ngingelufikele.

**7** Ngingayaphi ngicatshele
UMoya wakho na?
Ngibubalekele ngaphi
Ubuso obakho?



Emithandazweni yami,
Yona engaphumi
Kuzo izindebe zona
'Zigcwel' inkohliso.

**2** Kasivele phambi kwakho
Isigwebo sami,
Amehl' akho kawabone
Okulungileyo.

**3** Usuyihlolile yona
Inhliziyo yami,
Wangethekelela mina
Khona ebusuku.

Mina usungihlolile,
Kawathola lutho,
Ngizimisele-ke mina
Ngingoni ngomlomo.

**4** Ngemisebenzi yabantu,
Ngizigcinile m'na
Ngelizwi lendebe zakho
Endlelen' zomchithi.

**5** Londa ukuhamba kwami
Kuzindlela zakho,
Ukuz' amanyathelo am'
Angaz' atshelela.

**6** Nkulunkulu ngakhal' kuwe,
Ngoba uzangizwa,
Bek' indlebe yakho kimi,
Uzw' amazwi ami.

**7** Tshengis' isihawu sakho
'Simangalisayo,
Wen' osindisa ngesandla
Sakhe sokunene,

Ngesandla esokunene,
Labo abathemba
Kuwe uyabavikela
Kwabavukelayo.

**8** Ngigcine sanhlamvu yalo
Elakho ilihlo,
Ungifihle emthunzini
Wamaphiko akho,

**9** Kwabakhohlakeleyo-ke
Abangihluphayo,
Kuzitha ezilengozi
Ezing'hanqileyo.

**10** Bazingelezelwe kuwo
Amafutha abo;
Ngomlomo wabo bayatsho
Okokuzigqaja.

**11** Sebesihanqile manje
Thin' ekuhambeni,
Bakhangele ngamehl' abo
Phansi bekhotheme.

**12** Sangonyama ephangayo
Khon' ukudla kwayo,
Ingonyam' entsh' iquthile
Endawen' zensitha.

**13** Vuka Nkosi, umdanise,
Umwisele phansi,
Khulula umphefum'lo wam'
Kom'bi, 'nkemba yakho.

**14** Kubantu, abayisandla
Sakho, Nkos', kubantu
Bomhlab', osabelo sabo
Sikule impilo,

Ogcwalisa izisu-ke
Zabo ngenoth' yakho,
Ngenotho eligugu-ke
Efihlakeleyo;

Bona bagcwel' abantwana,
Njalo bayatshiya
Eyabo yona inotho
Kuzinsane zabo

**15** Mina ngizabon' ubuso
Bakho ek'lungeni,
Ngonele lapho ngivuka
Ngilesimo sakho.

## Isihlabelelo 18

*Kumqondisi wokuhlabelela. EsikaDavida, inceku yeNkosi, eyakhuluma eNkosini amazwi alelihubo mhla iNkosi imkhulula esandleni sezitha zakhe zonke lesandleni sikaSawuli. Wasesithi:*

**1** Mina ngizakukuthanda
Wena oyiNkosi,
Yebo, eyami yona-ke,
Ungamandla ami.

**2** INkos' ilidwala lami
Lenqaba eyami,
INkosi ingumkhululi
Lamandla awami.

Kuyo ngizathemba mina,
Isihlangu sami
Lophondo losindiso lwam',
Inqaba yam' ende.

**3** Ngizakubiza iNkosi,
Efanel' udumo,
Besengisindiswa kuzo
Ezami izitha.

**4** Izinsizi ezokufa
Zangihanqa mina,
Amabutho ababi bo
Angesabisayo.

**5** Izinsizi zesihogo
Zangizingeleza,
Imijibila yokufa
Yangivimbezela.

**6** Kuzo izinhlupho zami
Ngabiza iNkosi,
Futhi ngakhalela kuye
'Nkulunkulu wami.

Wasizw' isililo sami
Kwelakh' ithempeli;
Seza khona phambi kwakhe
Lendlebeni zakhe.

**7** Wazamazama umhlaba
Ezisekelweni
Zamaqaqa zanyikinywa,
Ngob' ethukuthele.

**8** Kwathunq' intuthu iphuma
Emakhalen' akhe,
Lomlil' emlonyeni wakhe
Wavuth' amalahle.



**3** Ngokuba lapho labo-ke
Abasithathayo
Besithumbile bafuna
Sihlabel' ingoma,

Lalabo abasimotsha
Bafuna ingoma,
Bethi: Sihlabelel' enye
'Ngoma yeZiyoni.

**4** Singahlabela kanjani
Ingoma yeNkosi
Thina sihlezi ezweni
Elabasemzini?

**5** Nxa ngikukhohlw' Jerusalem',
Esami isandla
Sokunene kasikhohlwe
Ubuciko baso.

**6** Uba ngingakukhumbuli,
Akuthi ulimi
Lwami lunamathelane
Lolwanga lomlomo.

Nxa ngingayikhethi yona
IJerusalema
Ngaphezulu kwenjabulo
Eyami enkulu.

**7** Khumbula, o wena Nkosi,
Abantwana bakhe
UEdoma ngal' usuku
LweJerusalema,

Abathi: Lidilizeni,
Dilizani lona,
Kuze kufik' ematsheni
Awesisekelo.

**8** Ntombi yaseBhabhiloni
Ozakubhujiswa,
Wobusiswa okuphatha
Njengaw' usiphethe.

**9** Uyakubusiswa yena
Othath' abantwana
Bakho, abasakazele
Khona ematsheni.

## Isihlabelelo 138

*EsikaDavida.*

**1** Ngokubonga ngenhliziyo
Yami yonke yona,
Phambi kwabonkulunkulu
Ngizakudumisa.

**2** Ngizakhonza ngikhangele
Kuthempeli lakho
Elingcwele, ngidumise
Lon' ibizo lakho,

Ngothand' leqiniso lakho,
Ngob' uphakamise
Izwi lakho phezu kwalo
Lonk' ibizo lakho.

**3** Kusuk' engakhala kuwe
Wen' ungiphendule,
Wangiqinisa ngamandla
Emphefum'lweni wam'.

**4** Wonk' amakhosi omhlaba
Azakudumisa,
O Nkosi nxa esesizwa
'Mazw' omlomo wakho.

**14** Yamchaphis' uIsrayeli
Phakathi kwalo ngqo,
Ngoba isihawu sayo
Simi njalo njalo.

**15** Yachith' uFaro lebutho
KuLwandl' oluBomvu,
Ngoba isihawu sayo
Simi njalo njalo.

**16** Kuyo eyahol' abantu
Bayo kwelenhlane,
Ngoba isihawu sayo
Simi njalo njalo.

**17** Kuy' eyatshay' amakhosi
Wona amakhulu,
Ngoba isihawu sayo
Simi njalo njalo.

**18** Yabulala amakhosi
Won' adumileyo,
Ngoba isihawu sayo
Simi njalo njalo.

**19** USihoni oyinkosi
EyamaAmori,
Ngoba isihawu sayo
Simi njalo njalo.

**20** Laye uOgi inkosi
EyaseBashane,
Ngoba isihawu sayo
Simi njalo njalo.

**21** Yapha ilizwe elabo
Libe-ke yilifa,
Ngoba isihawu sayo
Simi njalo njalo.

**22** Lelifa kuIsrayeli
Oyinceku yayo,
Ngoba isihawu sayo
Simi njalo njalo.

**23** Yon' eyasikhumbulayo
Lapho sisephansi,
Ngoba isihawu sayo
Simi njalo njalo.

**24** Njalo yon' isihlengile
Ezitheni zethu,
Ngoba isihawu sayo
Simi njalo njalo.

**25** Epha ukudla kuyona
Inyama yonke nje,
Ngoba isihawu sayo
Simi njalo njalo.

**26** O bongan' uNkulunkulu,
Yen' owamazulu,
Ngoba isihawu sakhe
Simi njalo njalo.

## Isihlabelelo 137

**1** Ngasemfulen' yeBabilon'
Sahlala phansi, ye,
Salila nxa sikhumbula
Yona iZiyoni.

**2** Sayiphanyek' imihube
Yonale eyethu
Eminyezaneni khona
Ephakathi kwayo.



**9** Wakhothamis' amazulu,
Wehla phansi yena,
Kwaba mnyama langaphansi
Kwezinyawo zakhe.

**10** Njalo wagad' ikherubi,
Wabuye waphapha,
Yebo waphapha ngempiko
Ezawo umoya.

**11** Wacatsha ebumnyameni,
Wembatha amanzi
Amnyama lawo amafu
Phezul' ezulwini.

**12** Kukhanya phambili kwakhe,
Amafu anzima
Akhe adlul', isiqhotho
Lamalahl' omlilo.

**13** 'Nkosi yadum' ezulwini,
Yavez' izwi layo,
Laba yisiqhotho mpela
Lamalahl' omlilo.

**14** Yaphosa im'tshoko yayo,
Yabachithachitha,
Yahlaba ngembane yayo,
Njalo yabaxotsha.

**15** Khona kwabonakaliswa
Im'thombo yamanzi,
Lezisekelo zomhlaba
Zasibukululwa.

Zavulwa ngokuzikhuza
Kwakho, wena Nkosi,
Ngokufutha komoya nje
Wamakhala akho.

**16** Yathuma isezulwini,
Yasingihluthuna,
Yangikhupha emanzini
Wona amanengi.

**17** Yangisindis' esitheni,
'Sith' esilamandla,
Lakub' abangizondayo,
Ababengehlula.

**18** Banginqabela ngosuku
Lwenkathazo yamik
Kodwa uJehova waba
Yinsika yami nje.

**19** Wangileth' obala yena
Endawen' ebanzi,
Wangikhulula, ngokuba
Wathokoza kimi.

**20** INkosi ingivuzile
Ngokulunga kwami
Langokuhlanzeka kwazo
Ezami izandla.

**21** Ngoba mina ngigcinile
Indlela zeNkosi,
Angimukanga kuMlimu
Wami ngakh' okubi.

**22** Ngoba izehlulo zakhe
Zikho phambi kwami,
Angilahlang' izimiso
Zakhe phambi kwami.

**23** Njalo ngangiqondile mpo
Khona phambi kwakhe,
Ngazigcina ngingoni nje
Kub' ububi bami.

**24** Ngokulunga kwami 'Nkosi
Ibuyisele kim',
Ngokuhlanzeka kwezandla,
Emehlweni ayo.

**25** Kuye lowo olomusa
Wobonis' umusa,
Kuy' umuntu yen' oqotho
Wokhanya uqotho.

**26** Woz'bonakalisa kubo
'Bahlanzekileyo,
Kuye ophambukileyo
Uphambukile-ke.

**27** Ngoba uzabasindisa
'Bantu 'bahlutshwayo,
Kanti uyawathobisa
'Mehlo azidlayo.

**28** Wokhanyis' isibane sam',
'Nkosi 'Thixo wami,
Uzakhanyisa kubona
Ubunyama bami.

**29** Ngawe sengigijimile
Phakathi kwebutho,
NgeNkosi yami ngeqile
Phezulu komduli.

**30** Iqondil' indlela yayo
'Nkosi, izwi layo
Lihloliwe, ilihawu
Kwabathemba kuyo.

**31** Ngubani uNkulunkulu
Ngaphandle kweNkosi,
Kumbe nguban' olidwala
Ngaphandle kweNkosi.

**32** KunguNkulunkulu onge-
mbathisa ngamandla,
Owenza indlela yami
Yona iphelele.

**33** Wenz' inyawo zami zibe
Njengezezimpala,
Wangimisa endaweni
Zam' eziphezulu.

**34** Ufundis' izandla zami
Ukulwa, kuthi-ke
Ingalo zami zephule
Idandil' lethusi.

**35** Uyangipha isihlangu
Solwakh' usindiso,
Lesandla sok'nene sakho
Siyangisekela.

Labo ubumnene bakho
Bungenzile bona;
Mina ngaba nguy' omkhulu
Ngobumnene bakho.

**36** Wena uzikhulisile
Izinyathelo zam'
Phansi kwezinyawo zami;
Kazitshelelanga.

**37** Ngixotshil' izitha zami,
Ngazifumanisa,
Angibuyelanga futhi
Ngingaziqedanga.



**20** Bongani yona iNkosi,
O ndlu yakh' uLevi,
Lina elesab' iNkosi,
Bongani iNkosi.

**21** Kayibongwe yon' iNkosi
Ekuy' iZiyoni,
Ehlez' eJerusalema,
Dumisan' iNkosi.

## Isihlabelelo 136

**1** O bonganini iNkosi,
Ngoba ilungile,
Ngoba isihawu sayo
Simi njalo njalo.

**2** O bonganini uThixo
Wazo izithixo,
Ngoba isihawu sakhe
Simi njalo njalo.

**3** O bonganini iNkosi,
'Nkosi yamakhosi,
Ngoba isihawu sayo
Simi njalo njalo.

**4** Kuyo yodwa eyenzayo
Imimangaliso,
Ngoba isihawu sayo
Simi njalo njalo.

**5** Kuyo eyenza izulu
Ngokwayo ukwazi,
Ngoba isihawu sayo
Simi njalo njalo.

**6** Kuyo eyendlal' umhlaba
Phezu kwaw' amanzi,
Ngoba isihawu sayo
Simi njalo njalo.

**7** Kuyo eyenz' izibane
Ezinkulukazi,
Ngoba isihawu sayo
Simi njalo njalo.

**8** Ilang' ukuze libuse
Ngayo-ke imini,
Ngoba isihawu sayo
Simi njalo njalo.

**9** Inyanga lezinkanyezi
'Kubus' ebusuku,
Ngoba isihawu sayo
Simi njalo njalo.

**10** Kuy' eyatshay' iGibithe
Kumazibul' abo,
Ngoba isihawu sayo
Simi njalo njalo.

**11** Yamkhupha uIsrayeli
Phakathi kwabo nje,
Ngoba isihawu sayo
Simi njalo njalo.

**12** Ngesandla esilamandla
Lengal' eluliwe,
Ngoba isihawu sayo
Simi njalo njalo.

**13** Kuy' eyaquma kabili
ULwandl' oluBomvu,
Ngoba isihawu sayo
Simi njalo njalo.

**6** Konke yena uJehova
Akuthandayo-ke
Wakwenza lokh' ezulwini,
Njalo lakwenzayo

Khona lapha emhlabeni,
Lakhona olwandle,
Lakuzo zonke indawo
Ezitshonileyo.

**7** Owenza yona inkungu
Ukuthi yenyuke
Emikhawulwen' yomhlaba,
Wenzela izulu

Yona imibane, njalo
Ubuya alethe
Wona umoya ovela
Kwezakh' iziphala.

**8** Owatshay' amazibulo
AwaseGibithe,
Wona awabo abantu
Lezinyamazana.

**9** Wathumel' izitshengiso
Lezimangaliso
EGibithe lakuFaro
Lakunceku zakhe.

**10** Owatshaya zon' izizwe
Ezinkulukazi,
Wabulala amakhosi
Alawo amandla.

**11** USihon' inkosi yama-
Amoni, loOgi
Inkosi yaseBashane,
Lem'buso yeKanan'.

**12** Banika ilizwe labo
Ukuba yilifa,
Ilifa lika'Srayeli
Abakhe abantu.

**13** Nkosi, limi njalonjalo
Elakho ibizo,
Lokwakho ukukhunjulwa
Kuzizukulwana.

**14** INkosi izakugweba
Bon' abantu bayo,
Izakuba lesihawu
Kuzinceku zayo.

**15** Izithombe ezezizwe
Ziyil' isiliva
Legolide, umsebenzi
Wezandla zabantu.

**16** Zona zilomlomo kodwa
Kazikhulumi-ke,
Zona zilamehlo kodwa
Kazilakubona.

**17** Zona zilendlebe kodwa
Kazilakh' ukuzwa,
Njalo umoya kawukho
Em'lonyeni yazo.

**18** Bona abazenzayo bo
Bafanana lazo,
Unjalo-ke yena wonke
Othembela kuzo.

**19** Bongani yona iNkosi,
Ndlu kaIsrayeli,
Bongani yona iNkosi,
O ndlu kaAroni.



**38** Ngazilimaza-ke zona
Kazisavukanga,
Ziwile ngaphansi zona
Kwezinyawo zami.

**39** Ngoba ungembathisile
Ngamandla empini,
Uthobisele ngaphansi
'Bangivukelayo.

**40** Unginike izintamo
Ezezitha zami,
Ngize ngibachithe bonke
Abangizondayo.

**41** Bakhala kodwa engekho
Ozabasindisa,
Lakuyo iNkosi, kodwa
Kayiphendulanga.

**42** Ngabagaya njengothuli,
Luqhutshwa ngumoya,
Ngabatsahaza nje bona
Sadaka lwendlela.

**43** Ungikhululile mina
Kuzo zona lezo
Inkani zabo abantu.
Wena ungenzile

Inhloko yabahedeni.
Bona labobantu
Engingazange ngibazi
Bazakungikhonza.

**44** Bangavele bezwe ngami
Bazakulalela,
Abezizwe bazithobe
Bona phambi kwami.

**45** Zona zonke izihambi
Ziyakubuna nya,
Zesabe zona kakhulu
Kundawo zensitha.

**46** Iphilile yon' iNkosi,
Libusisw' idwala
Lam', iNkosi yosindiso
Kayiphakanyiswe.

**47** KunguNkulunkulu yena
'Ngiphindiselayo,
Onqoba izizwe zonke
Zibe phansi kwami.

**48** Ungikhulul' ezitheni
Ezami-ke, futhi
Usungiphakamisile
Ngaphezulu kwabo

Abangivukelayo m'na.
Usungikhulule
Kubo abantu bolaka
Ungikhululile.

**49** Ngakho ngokubonga, Nkosi,
Phakathi kwezizwe,
Ngihubel' ibizo lakho,
Ngizakukubonga.

**50** Ukhululo olukhulu
Uluph' inkos' yakhe,
Njalo uyasitshengisa
Sona isihawu

Kowakhe ogcotshiweyo,
Yena uDavida,
Kweyakhe yona inzalo,
Kube nininini.

## Isihlabelelo 19

*Kumqondisi wokuhlabelela.*
*Isihlabelelo sikaDavida.*

**1** Amazulu atshengisa
Udumo lweNkosi,
Lomkhathi utshumayela
Umsebenzi wayo.

**2** Usuku lutshel' olunye,
Lobusuku labo
Butshengisa lon' ulwazi
Kobuny' ubusuku.

**3** Akukho-ke inkulumo,
Awakho lamazwi,
Lapho izwi labo linga-
sezwakali khona.

**4** Inhlokomo yabo yona
Iphumile futhi
Isiphumel' emhlabeni,
Emhlabeni wonke,

Lamazwi abo afika
'Mkhawulwen' womhlaba,
Umise phakathi kwawo
Idumba lelanga.

**5** Elinjengomyen' ephuma
Kuyo indlu yakhe,
Lithokoza njengeqhawe
'Ligijim' umjaho.

**6** Ukuhamba kwakhe khona
Sekuphumele-ke
Ekucineni kwezulu,
Yen' uhamba njalo

Emaphethelweni alo;
Akulalutho nje
Olufihliweyo kukho
Ukutshisa kwalo.

**7** Oway' iNkosi umthetho
Wona uphelele,
Yiwo wona ophendula
Wona umphefum'lo.

Ubufakazi beNkosi
Buqinisekile,
Bona buhlakaniphisa
Yen' ongelalwazi.

**8** EyeNkosi imilayo
Yonke ilungile,
Njalo iyajabulisa
Yona inhliziyo.

Owakhe uNkulunkulu
Wona-ke umthetho
Uhlanzekile njalo-ke
Ukhanyis' amehlo.

**9** Ukuyesaba iNkosi
Mpela kucwebile,
Njalo-ke kuhlala kuze
Kube laphakade.

Izahlulelo zeNkosi
Ziqinisekile,
Impela zigezekile
Zilungile zonke.



## Isihlabelelo 133

*Ingoma yokwenyuka, ekaDavida.*

**1** Khangela kuhle kangaka,
Kumnand' ukuhlala
Kwabazalwane ndawonye,
Babe nhliziyonye.

**2** Kunjengawo amafutha
Aligugu phezu
Kwalo ikhanda ehlela
Kuzo izindevu,

Ngitsho zona izindevu
Zakhe uAroni,
Az' ehlel' emphethelweni
Wezambatho zakhe.

**3** Njengamazol' eHermoni
Esehla khonapho
Entabeni zeZiyoni
Wona wawukhona.

Ngokuba yona iNkosi
Yayilayezile
Isibusiso, impilo
Engulaphakade.

## Isihlabelelo 134

*Ingoma yokwenyuka.*

**1** Bheka, dumisan' iNkosi,
Lonk' nceku zeNkosi,
Lina elihlal' endlini
YeNkos' ebusuku.

**2** Phakamisani izandla
Zenu endaweni
Yona eyingcwele, njalo
Libonge iNkosi.

**3** INkosi eyenze lona
Izulu lomhlaba
Kayikubusise, yebo
Yon' iseZiyoni.

## Isihlabelelo 135

**1** Dumisani yon' iNkosi,
Dumisan' ibizo
LeNkosi, yidumiseni,
Zinceku zeNkosi.

**2** Lin' elimiyo endlini
Eyayo iNkosi,
Emagumeni awendlu
AweNkosi yethu.

**3** Dumisan' iNkosi, ngoba
INkos' ilungile,
Dumisan' ibizo layo,
Ngokuba kumnandi.

**4** Ngob' iNkos' izikhethele
UJakobe, laye
UIsrayeli ukuba
'Mfuy' ayikhethile.

**5** Ngoba ngiyazi ukuthi
INkosi inkulu,
INkosi yethu iphezu
Kwabo bonk' othixo.

**5** Ngize ngiyifumanele
INkosi indawo
Yokuhlala yoLamandla
Yen' okaJakobe.

**6** Khangela sizwile ngakho
Khona eEfratha,
Sakufumanisa khona
Kunsimu yemithi.

**7** Sizakungena kwezakhe
Izindlu, sikhonze
Sikuso isenabelo
Sezinyawo zakhe.

**8** Sukuma, o Nkosi, kukho
Ukuphum'la kwakho,
Wena lawo umtshokotsho
Wawakho amandla.

**9** Kabathi abaprisiti
Bakho bagqokiswe
Ngokulunga, abangcwele
Bakho kabathabe.

**10** Ngenxa yenceku eyakho
'Davida ungaze
Wabuphendula ubuso
Bogcotshiwe wakho.

**11** Yon' iNkosi ifungile
Iseqinisweni,
Yathi kuye uDavida,
Ayiy'kuphenduka:

Ngizamis' inzalo yakho
'Sithelo somzimba
Owakho esihlalweni
Sakho sobukhosi.

**12** Uba abantwana bakho
Bezakusigcina
Isivumelwano sami,
Lobufakazi bam'

Engizakubafundisa,
Abantwana babo
Bazahlal' esihlalweni
Sakho laphakade.

**13** Ngoba iNkosi ikhethe
'Ziyoni, yathanda
Yona-ke ibe yindawo
Yayo yokuhlala.

**14** Lokhu yikuphum'la kwami
Ngokungapheliyo,
Ngizahlala lapha ngoba
Sengiyifisile.

**15** Ngizabusisa kakhulu
Khon' okungokwayo,
Ngosuthisa abayanga
Bayo ngokudla bo.

**16** Ngembese abaprisiti
Bayo ngosindiso,
Labangcwele bayo bathab',
Bamemez' kakhulu.

**17** Ngenze olukaDavida
Uphondo luhlume,
Ngimmisele isibane
Ogcotshiweyo wam'.

**18** Ngizazambathis' inhloni
Izitha ezakhe,
Kodwa uzakhazimula
Ngakuye umqhele.



**10** Ziloyiseka kakhulu
Kulal' igolide,
Igolide elinengi
'Licengekileyo.

Zimnandi okwedlulayo
Zona izinyosi,
Njalo futhi izinyosi
Zon' ezilenhlanga.

**11** Kanti eyakho inceku
Ilayiwe ngazo
Ekuzigcineni kwazo
Kulomvuz' omkhulu.

**12** Ngubani na ozaziyo
'Ziphambeko zakhe?
Ngihlambululeke mina
Kwim'landu yensitha.

**13** Gcin' inceku yakho kuzo
Ezokuzincoma,
Kazingabi lamandla bo
Khona phezu kwami.

Ngakho ngizakuba lakho
Khona ukuqonda,
Ngibe msulwa ecaleni
Lokon' okukhulu.

**14** Kungathi wona amazwi
Awomlomo wami
Kanye lazo izizindlo
Zenhliziyo yami

Zemukelwe phambi kwakho,
Kuwe Nkosi yami,
Wena ungamandla ami,
Lay' umhlengi wami.

## Isihlabelelo 20

*Kumqondisi wokuhlabelela.*
*Isihlabelelo sikaDavida.*

**1** 'Nkosi kayikulalele
Ngosuku lohlupho;
'Bizo leNkos' kaJakobe
Kalikuvikele.

**2** Kayikuthumel' usizo
Luvel' kwezingcwele;
Akuqinise ngamandla
Avel' eZiyoni.

**3** Akukhumbule-ke yonke
Im'nikelo yakho,
Njalo kakuwemukele
'Mhlatshelo wokutsha.

**4** Manje ake akunike
Okumayelana
Layo inhliziyo yakho,
'Kenz' icebo lakho.

**5** Siyakuthokoza kulo
Usindiso lwakho;
Njalo ebizweni lika-
Nkulunkulu wethu

Sizamis' iziboniso
Ezingezethu bo.
INkosi izagcwalisa
Izicelo zakho.

**6** Khathesi ngiyazi mina
Ukuthi iNkosi
Isindis' umgcotshwa wayo;
Izakuzwa yena

Isezulwini elayo
Lona elingcwele,
Ngamandla asindisayo
'Sandla sokunene.

**7** Abanye bathemb' inqola
Lamabhiza, kodwa
Thina sokhumbul' ibizo
LeNkosi uThixo.

**8** Bayabuyiselwa phansi
Njalo sebewile,
Kodwa thina sivusiwe
Futhi simi nje mpo.

**9** Ake usisize Nkosi;
Kungathi inkosi
Njalo kayisilalele
Lapho sibizayo.

## Isihlabelelo 21

*Kumqondisi wokuhlabelela.*
*Isihlabelelo sikaDavida.*

**1** Inkosi izathokoza
Emandleni akho,
Nkosi, kusindiso lwakho
Yothaba kakhulu.

**2** Umnike izifiso ze-
yakhe inhliziyo;
Kawumncitshang' isicelo
Sendebe yakhe bo.

**3** Umvikel' ngezibusiso
Zakho ukulunga;
Ubekil' ekhanda lakhe
'Mqhele wegolide.

**4** Wacela kuwe impilo,
Wena wasumupha,
Ngitsho lobude bensuku
Ngokungapheliyo.

**5** Lukhulu udumo lwakhe
Kusindiso lwakho;
Inhlonipho lobukhosi
Ubeke phez' kwakhe.

**6** Ngob' umenze wambusisa
Ngokungapheliyo,
Wamthokozisa kakhulu
Ngobakho ubuso.

**7** Ngoba yona le inkosi
Ithemb' eNkosini;
Ngaw' umusa woPhezulu
Kasoz' anyikinywa.

**8** Isandla sakh' sizathola
Zonk' izitha zakho,
'Sokunene sofumana
Abakuzondayo.

**9** Wena wobenza babenje-
ngeziko lomlilo;
Nges'khathi solaka lwakhe
'Nkosi yobaginya,

Ikuye intukuthelo;
Njalo-ke umlilo
Wothi wona ubaqede
Du, bona bonke bo.



**4** Kodwa-ke kanti kukhona
Ukuthethelelwa
Ngakuwe, ukuze wena
Wesatshwe-ke yibo.

**5** Ngalindela eNkosini,
Umphefum'lo wami
Uyalinda, elizwini
Layo ngiyathemba.

**6** Mphefum'lo wam' ulindele
INkos' okwedlula
Labo abalind' ukusa,
Ngitsho bona labo.

**7** "Srayeli kathemb' iNkosi,
Ngoba eNkosini
Kulesihawu lohlengo
'Lunengi lukuyo.

**8** Njalo izakumhlenga bo
Yen' uIsrayeli
Kuzo zonke ezakhe nje
Zon' iziphambeko.

## L.M. Isihlabelelo 131

*Ingoma yokwenyuka, ekaDavida.*

**1** Nkosi, inhliziyo yami
Ayilakho ukuzidla,
Lawami amehlo wona
Kawaziphakamisi-ke,

Njalo kangingeni kuzo
Izindaba ezinkulu
Lakuzo izinto ezi-
phakeme kakhulu kimi.

**2** Qotho ngiziphethe kuhle,
Ngabuya ngazithulisa,
Ngaba njengaye umntwana
Yena olunyuliweyo,

Elunyulwa kuy' unina.
Owami umphefumulo
Unjengaye-ke umntwana
Yena oselunyuliwe.

**3** Akuthi uIsrayeli
Athembe yona iNkosi
Kusukela khona manje
Kuze kube nininini.

## Isihlabelelo 132

*Ingoma yokwenyuka.*

**1** Nkosi kawumukhumbule
UDavida, njalo
Zona zonke ezakhe-ke
Izinhlupheko bo.

**2** Ukuthi yena wafunga
ENkosin', wafunga
KuJehova olamandla,
Yen' okaJakobe.

**3** Qotho angisayikuza
Kuyo indlu yami,
Njalo angisoze ngaya
Embhedeni wami,

**4** Angisoze ngawanika
Awami amehlo
Ubuthongo, lokozela
Kuz' inkophe zami,

**5** INkosi yokubusisa
IseZiyon', ubon'
Okuhle kweJerusalem'
Empilweni yakho.

**6** Yebo uzakubabona
Abantwana babo
Abantwana bakho, uku-
thula ku'Srayeli.

## Isihlabelelo 129

*Ingoma yokwenyuka.*

**1** Kanengi bangihluphile
Kwasebutsheni bam',
Kungathi uIsrayeli
Khathesi angathi:

**2** Kanengi bangihluphile
Kwasebutsheni bam'
Kodwa kabazange bona
Bangehlule mina.

**3** Abalimi balimile
Khon' emhlana wami,
Bayenz' imisele yabo
Yaba mide yona.

**4** Ilungile yon' iNkosi,
Iqume phakathi
Zona izibopho zonke
Zabakhohlakali.

**5** Kabajabhiswe-ke bonke,
Babuyiselwe nje,
Bona abangabazonda
Yona iZiyoni.

**6** Kabafanane lotshani
Phezu kwaz' izindlu
Obubuna bungazange
Bukhule-ke bona.

**7** Obusikayo kasoze
Agcwalis' isandla
Sakhe, loboph' izithungo
Izingalo zakhe.

**8** Labo bon' abadlulayo
Kabasoze batsho
Khon' ukuth': Isibusiso
Sayo yon' iNkosi

Kasibeke phezu kwenu.
Siyalibusisa
Ngalo lona nje ibizo
Elayo iNkosi.

## Isihlabelelo 130

*Ingoma yokwenyuka.*

**1** Ngakhalela ngakuwena,
Mina-ke o Nkosi,
Ngiphakathi kwayo yona
Inziki ephansi.

**2** Zwana izwi lami, Nkosi,
Izindlebe zakho
Zilalele lon' ilizwi
Lokuncenga kwami.

**3** Alubana wena, Nkosi,
Uqaphel' izono,
O Nkosi, ungubani na
Yena ozakuma?



**10** Wochith' izithelo zabo
Khona emhlabeni,
Leyabo yona inzalo
Kubantwan' babantu.

**11** Ngokuba bazimisela
Okubi ngakuwe,
Baceb' amaceb' amabi
Bengelakuwenza.

**12** Wobenza bafulathele,
Nxa usulungisa
Imitshok' ezintanjeni,
Iqondiswe kubo.

**13** Kawuphakanyiswe Nkosi,
Emandleni akho,
Sohlabela sidumise
Awakho amandla.

## L.M. Isihlabelelo 22

*Kumqondisi wokuhlabelela.*
*Ngempala yokusa. Isihlabelelo*
*sikaDavida.*

**1** Thixo wami, Thixo wami,
Yini na ungitshiyile,
Ukude lokungisiza
Lamazwi okukhala kwam'?

**2** Thixo wami ngiyakhala
Emini, kodw' awungizwa,
Lesikhathin' sebusuku
Angilakho ukuthula

**3** Kodwa uyingcwele wena,
O wena ohleziyo bo
Kuzo izibongo zakhe
Yena uIsrayeli bo.

**4** Obaba bethu bathemba
Kuwe, bathemba wena bo,
Waze wena waba nguye
Obakhululayo bonke.

**5** Bakhala khona kuwena,
Njalo bona bakhululwa,
Bathembela ngakuwena,
Abazange bayangiswe.

**6** Kodwa ngingumswenya mina,
Futhi angisuy' umuntu,
Ngilihlazo ebantwini,
Bayangidelela bonke.

**7** Bonke abangibonayo
Bayangihleka usulu,
Batubhul' umlomo; bani-
kina amakhanda bethi:

**8** Wayethemba eNkosini,
Ethi yayizamkhulula,
Kayimkhulule sibone
Njengobana yayimthanda.

**9** Kodwa wena unguye lo
Owangikhuph' esiswini,
Wangenza ngathemba ngise-
kuw' amabele kamama.

**10** Ngalahlelwa ngakuwena
Kusukel' esizalweni,
UnguNkulunkulu wami
Kwasesiswin' sikamama.

**11** Ungabi khatshana lami
Ngob' uhlupho luseduze,
Ngoba akakho yena-ke
Olakho ukungisiza.

**12** Amajongos' amanengi
Asengihanqile mina,
EBashani alamandla
Asengigombolozele.

**13** Zakhamisela ngakimi
Imilomo yazo njenge-
siphangayo laso esi-
bhongayo-ke isilwane.

**14** Ngithululwe njengamanzi,
Amathamb' am' ahlukene,
'Nhliziyo yam' okwengcino
Incibilikile kimi.

**15** 'Mandl' am' ome sadengezi,
'Limi lwam' lunamathele
'Mihlathin', ungilethile
Min' othulini lokufa.

**16** Ngob' izinja zing'hanqile,
'Nhlangano yababi ingi-
valele; bangibhoboza
Izandla lenyawo zami.

**17** Amathambo ami wona
Ngingawabala ngalinye,
Bangikhangele kakhulu,
Basebengijolozela.

**18** Babelana ngezingubo
Zami omunye lomunye,
Benz' inkatho ngezembatho
Zami, bancintisana bo.

**19** Kodwa kawungabi kude
Lami-ke, wena, o Nkosi,
Omandl' ami, phangisa bo
Ukuzangisiza mina.

**20** Khulul' umphefum'lo wami
Kuyo yona-ke inkemba,
Isithandwa sami kuwo
Amandla awayo inja.

**21** Ngisindise emlonyeni
Owaso-ke isilwane,
Ngoba wena ungizwile
Empondweni zezinyathi.

**22** Ngizamemezel' ibizo
Elakho kubafowethu,
Phakathi kwalo ibandla
Ngizakukubonga wena.

**23** Lin' abesaba iNkosi,
Ibongeni, lonke nzalo
KaJakobe, liyesabe
Lonke nzalo ka'Srayeli.

**24** Kadelanga kenyanyanga
Inhlupho yohluphekayo,
Kafihlang' ubuso bakhe,
Kodwa wezwakala kuye.

**25** Ukubongwa kwami koba
Ngaw' ebandlen' elikhulu,
Ngokhokhela izifungo
Phambi kwabamesabayo.

**26** Abamnene bazakudla
Basuthe, babong' iNkosi
'Bay'dingayo; inhliziyo
Yenu yophila phakade.



Sibili wobuya futhi
Yena ejabula
Ethwele inyanda zakhe,
Yeb' esiza lazo.

## Isihlabelelo 127

*Ingoma yokwenyuka, ekaSolomoni.*

**1** Aluba yona iNkosi
Ingayakhi indlu
Basebenzela lon' ize
Bon' abayakhayo.

Nxa iNkosi ingagcini
Wona-ke umuzi
Umlindi ulindela-ke
Kodwa lona ize.

**2** Kuyize kini-ke lina
Eliphangisayo,
Ukuvuka ekuseni
Lihlale kuhlwe nje,

Lidla sona lesosinkwa
Esalo usizi,
Ngoba upha ubuthongo
Abathandwa bakhe.

**3** Khangel' abantwana yilo
Ilifa leNkosi,
Lesithelo sas' isisu
Singumvuzo wayo.

**4** Njengemitshok' esandleni
Salo lon' iqhawe,
Banjalo-ke abantwana
Babo bon' ubutsha.

**5** Iyajabula indoda
Elaso esayo
Isamba esigcweleyo
Sigcwaliswe ngabo.

Kabayikuba lanhloni,
Kodwa abantwana
Bazakhuluma lezitha
Ngakulo isango.

## Isihlabelelo 128

*Ingoma yokwenyuka.*

**1** Bayabusiswa bonke nje
Abayesabayo
Yona iNkosi, behamba
Ngezindlela zayo.

**2** Uzakudla umsebenzi
Owezandla zakho,
Wothokoza njalo kuwe,
Kuzakuba kuhle.

**3** Umkakho uzafanana
Lalo-ke ivini
Elithelay' eceleni
Kwayo indlu yakho.

Abantwana bakho boba
Njengosab' lomhlwathi,
Bagombolozele lona
Itafula lakho.

**4** Khangela kuthi kunjalo
Yen' uyabusiswa
Umuntu oyesabayo
Yona iNkosi bo.

**8** Olwethu lona usizo
Lukulo ibizo
LeNkosi, yona eyenza
Izulu lomhlaba.

## L.M. Isihlabelelo 125

*Ingoma yokwenyuka.*

**1** Abathemba yon' iNkosi
Banjengentab' iZiyoni
Engeke inyikinyeke,
Emi ngokungapheliyo.

**2** Njengentaba ezihanqe
IJerusalema, layo
INkosi kubantu bayo
Ibavikela phakade.

**3** Ngoba intonga yababi
Kayiyikuhlala phezu
Kwaso sona isabelo
Sabo abalungileyo.

Hlezi abalungileyo
Bona belulele zona
Ezabo izandla kukho
Ukwenza ukungalungi.

**4** O Nkosi, yenza okuhle
Kwabalungileyo, yebo
Lakubo bon' abaqotho
Ezinhliziyweni zabo.

**5** Labo abaphambukayo
INkosi izabahola
Labo abenza okubi,
Ukuthula ku'Srayeli.

## Isihlabelelo 126

*Ingoma yokwenyuka.*

**1** Yathi iNkos' ibuyisa
'Kuthunjwa kweZiyon'
Saba njengabaphuphayo
Wona amaphupho.

**2** Kwathi umlomo owethu
Wagcwala uhleko,
Njalo ulimi olwethu
Lakh' ukuhlabela.

Basebesithi bona-ke
Phakathi kwezizwe:
INkosi isibenzele
Izint' ezinkulu.

**3** INkosi yon' isenzele
Izint' ezinkulu,
Ngakho-ke thina sonke-ke
Sesithokozile.

**4** Phendula Nkos', ukuthunjwa,
Hawu wena Nkosi,
Njengazo izifudlana
Ezikhon' ezansi.

**5** Bona abahlanyelayo
Ngayo im'nyembezi
Bona-ke bazakuvuna
Ngakh' ukuthokoza.

**6** Lowo ophuma ekhala
Ethwel' ihlanyelo
Eligugu elikhulu
Uzathi abuye



**27** Yonk' imikhawulo yezwe
Yokhumbula ibuyele
KwiNkosi, lezizwe zonke
Zizakhonza phambi kwakho.

**28** Ngokuba umbuso wona
Ungowayo iNkosi le,
Iyiyo le engumbusi
Phakathi kwezizwe zonke.

**29** Bonk' abakhulupheleyo
Emhlabeni bazakudla,
Kanjalo bazakukhonza;
Bonke abay' othulini

Bazakukhothama phambi
Kwakhe yena; njalo kakho
Ongaphilisa owakhe
Umphefum'lo ngokuthanda.

**30** Inzalo izakumkhonza,
Njalo izakubalelwa
Ngakuyo iNkosi yona
Kuso isizukulwana.

**31** Bazafika bafakaze
Khona ukulunga kwayo
Kubantu abazazalwa,
Ukuthi yenzile lokhu.

## Isihlabelelo 23

*Isihlabelelo sikaDavida.*

**1** Umalusi wam' iNkosi,
Angiyikuswela,
Emadlelwen' aluhlaza
Iyangilalisa.

**2** Ngasemanzin' okuphum'la
Iyangiholela,
Ibuye ivuselele
Umphefum'lo wami.

**3** Endleleni zokulunga
Iyangiholela;
Akungenxa yami, kodwa
Ngal' ibizo layo.

**4** Loba ngisuke ngihambe
Kuso isigodi,
Lethunzini lakh' ukufa,
Angesab' okubi.

Ngokuba wena ulami,
Lay' intonga yakho
Lalo udondolo lwakho
Kuyangiduduza.

**5** Ungendlalel' itafula
Phambi kwezitha zam',
Ugcobil' ikhanda lami,
'Nkezo yam' igcwele.

**6** Impel' okuhle lomusa
Kuzangilandela
Kuzo zonke izinsuku
Ezempilo yami.

Njalo sengizakuhlala
Phakathi kway' indlu,
Kuyo engeyay' iNkosi,
Kub' ephakadeni.

## Isihlabelelo 24

*Isihlabelelo sikaDavida.*

**1** Umhlaba ungoweNkosi
Lokugcwala kwawo,
Izwe lonke, labo aba-
hlezi kulo lonke.

**2** Ngokuba wawusekela
Phezu kwezinlwandle,
Wawumisa yena phezu
Kwazo impophoma.

**3** Nguban' ozakwenyukela
Entaben' yeNkosi?
Ngubani ozakumana
'Ndawen' yay' engcwele?

**4** Nguyen' olezandla zakhe
Ezigeziweyo,
Yena onhliziyo yakhe
Ehlanzekileyo.

Ngongaphakam'sang' owakhe
'Mphefum'l' ezenini,
Ongazange njal' afunge
Ngokuyinkohliso.

**5** Uzakwem'kel' 'zibusiso
'Zivel' eNkosini,
Lokulunga kuNkulunkul'
Wosindiso lwakhe.

**6** Yilesisizukulwana
Sabamdingayo bo,
Abading' ubuso bakho,
O wena, Jakobe.

**7** Phakam'san' inhloko zenu,
Lina-ke masango,
Phakanyiswani minyango
Yasephakadeni;

Ukuze ingen' iNkosi
Yokukhazimula.
Ingubani iNkosi le
Yokukhazimula?

**8** Yiyo iNkos' elamandla,
Impel' ilamandla,
YiNkosi elobuqhawe
Khona kuyo impi.

**9** Phakam'san' inhloko zenu,
Lina-ke masango,
Yebo liyiphakamise,
M'nyango yaphakade,

**10** Izangena-ke iNkosi
Yokukhazimula.
Ingubani iNkosi le
Yokukhazimula?

INkosi eyamabandla,
Iyiyo iNkosi,
Iyiyo iNkosi yona
Yokukhazimula.

## S.M. Isihlabelelo 25

*EsikaDavida.*

**1** Kuwe, wena Nkosi,
Ngiphakamisela
Umphefum'lo wami, kuwe
Ngiwuphakamise.



## Isihlabelelo 123

*Ingoma yokwenyuka.*

**1** Ngiphakamisa amehlo
Ami ngakuwena,
Wena ohlala phezulu
Khona ezulwini.

**2** Bheka, njengoba amehlo
Ezinceku zakho
Akhangela kus' isandla
Samakhosi azo,

Njengamehl' encekukazi
Enkosikazini,
Anjalo amehlo ethu
Alindel' iNkosi,

Yen' uNkulunkulu wethu,
Simlindele njalo,
Aze abe lesihawu
Khona phezu kwethu.

**3** Woba lesihawu kithi,
Nkosi hawukela,
Ngoba thina sesigcwele
Khon' ukudelelwa.

**4** Mphefum'lo weth' usugcwele
Khona ukuhleka
Kwabo abonwabileyo
Labaziqhenyayo.

## Isihlabelelo 124

*Ingoma yokwenyuka, ekaDavida.*

**1** Aluba yona iNkosi
Ibingasimeli,
UIsrayeli angatsho,
Angakutsho lokho,

**2** Aluba yona iNkosi
Ibingasimeli
Lapho bona-ke abantu
Babesisukela,

**3** Babelakh' ukusiginya
Thina-ke siphila,
Lapho olwabo ulaka
Lwalusivuthela.

**4** Ngasagutshuzelw' ngamanzi
Umfula, ngaweqa
Phezu kwawo umphefum'lo
Wona low' owethu.

**5** 'Magagas' aphakemeyo
Ayezakudlula
Ngaphezulu kwawo wona
Umphefum'lo wethu.

**6** Kayibongwe yon' iNkosi,
Ngoba ingazange
'Sinikel' emazinyweni
Awabo sidliwe.

**7** Umphefum'l' uphunyukile
Njengenyoni kiwo
Umjibila owomthiyi,
Uqam'ke saphepha.

**4** Khangela yen' ogcinayo
Yen' uIsrayeli
Kalakho ukuwozela
Ngitsho lokulala.

**5** INkosi ngumgcini wakho
Law' umthunzi wakho
Ngakuso sona esakho
'Sandla sokunene

**6** Alisoze likutshaye
Ilanga emini,
Ayisoze ikutshaye
Lenyang' ebusuku.

**7** Izakuvikel' iNkosi
Kibo bonk' ububi,
Lawo umphefum'lo wakho
Izakuwugcina.

**8** INkosi izakulonda
Ukuphuma kwakho
Lokungena kwakho manje
Kub' ephakadeni.

## Isihlabelelo 122

*Ingoma yokwenyuka, ekaDavida.*

**1** Ngathokoza nxa besithi
Kimi: Kasihambe
Siye kuyo yona indlu
EngekaJehova.

**2** Inyawo zethu zokuma
Ngaphakathi kwawo
Wona amasango akho,
Wena Jerusalem'.

**3** Yakhiw' iJerusalema
Njengawo umuzi,
Njengawo wona umuzi
Olokuhlangana.

**4** Laph' izizwe zenyukela
Khonale phezulu,
Izizwe ezay' iNkosi
Ziqonda phezulu

Kuso isifakazelo
SikaIsrayeli,
Ukuze zona zibonge
Ibizo leNkosi.

**5** Kubekiwe izihlalo
Ezokwahlulela,
Izihlalo zobukhosi
Zendlu kaDavida.

**6** Khulekelan' ukuthula
KweJerusalema,
Bazaphumelela bona
Abakuthandayo.

**7** Ngaphakathi kwemiduli
Kube lokuthula,
Lempumelelo ngakizo
Izigodlo zakho.

**8** Ngenxa yabo abangane
Lab' abazalwane
Sengiyakutsho ukuthi:
Ukuthula kuwe.

**9** Ngenxa yendlu yay' iNkosi,
Yen' uMlimu wethu,
Ngizakukudingela bo
Ukulunga kwakho.



**2** Nkosi ngikuthemba,
Kangingayangeki,
Zinganqobi phezu kwami
Izitha ezami.

**3** Abakulindayo
Kabangayangeki,
Abonayo ngamabomu
Kababe lenhloni.

**4** Ngitshengise Nkosi,
Izindlela zakho,
Ngifundise imikhondo
Yakho, Nkosi yami.

**5** Kawungikhokhele
Mina-ke ngakulo
Lona iqiniso lakho,
Njalo ngifundise;

Ngoba uyiNkosi
Yosindiso lwami,
Kuwe ngizakulindela
Kulo lonk' usuku.

**6** Khumbula bo Nkosi,
Isihawu sakho
Lobubele bakho, ngoba
Busuka phakade.

**7** Ungazikhumbuli
'Zono zobutsha bam',
Leziphambeko ezami.
Ngaw' umusa wakho

Ngikhumbule mina.
Ngenxa yokulunga
Okwakho kuphela Nkosi
Ungikhumbule nje.

**8** Ilungil' iNkosi,
Iqondile yona,
Ngakho izakufundisa
Izoni ngendlela.

**9** Abamnene bona
Izabaqondisa
Ekwahluleni, lendlela
Yay' ibafundise.

**10** Indlela zeNkosi
Ngum'sa leqiniso
Kwabagcin' uvumelwano
Lemilayo yayo.

**11** Ngokwebizo lakho
Nkosi, uxolele
Isiphambeko sami-ke,
Ngokuba sikhulu.

**12** Ngubani na yena
Owesab' iNkosi?
Yiyo ezakumfundisa
'Ndlel' ayikhethayo.

**13** Umphefum'lo wakhe
Wohlal' uchelese,
Layo eyakhe inzalo
Yofuya ilizwe.

**14** Imfihlo yeNkosi
'Kwabayesabayo,
Njalo izabatshengisa
Isivumelwano.

**15** Amehl' am' ahlezi
Ebhek' eNkosini,
Ngob' ihlwith' inyawo zami
Khona embuleni.

**16** Phendukela kimi,
Ungihawukele,
Ngokuba ngilesizungu,
Ngihluphekile m'na.

**17** Inhlupho ezayo
Inhliziyo yami
Zibanzi, ngikhuphe mina
Kunhlupheko zami.

**18** Bona uhlupho lwam'
Lobuhlungu bami,
Njalo uzixolele-ke
Zonk' izono zami.

**19** Khangel' izitha zam',
Ngoba zinengi bo,
Ziyangizonda mina-ke
Ngenzondo yolunya.

**20** Lond' umphefum'lo wam',
Njal' ungikhulule,
Ngingabi lanhloni, ngoba
Ngithembele kuwe.

**21** Akuth' ubuqotho
Lakho ukuqonda
Ngilonde bo, ngoba mina
Ngilindele kuwe.

**22** Nkulunkulu, mhlenge
Yen' uIsrayeli,
O Nkosi, kuzo zonke bo
Izinhlupho zakhe.

## Isihlabelelo 26

*EsikaDavida.*

**1** Ngahlulele, wena Nkosi,
Ngoba ngihambile
Kubo ubuqotho bami,
Njalo ngithembile

Kuyo yon' iNkosi yami,
Ngenxa yakho lokhu
Mina angisoze ngibe
Ngisatshelela bo.

**2** Ngihlolisise, o Nkosi,
Njalo ungilinge,
Uhlolisise izinso
Lenhliziyo yami.

**3** Ngoba owakho umusa
Ukhona phambili
Kwamehlo ami, ngihambe
Ngeqiniso lakho.

**4** Kangihlalanga lababi
Abantu kanjalo,
Kangihambanga labo nje
Abazenzisayo.

**5** Ngilizondile ibandla
Labenza okubi,
Njalo angiyikuhlala
Labaxhwalileyo.

**6** Ngizagez' izandla zami,
Ngoba sengimsulwa,
Ngizazingelez' ilathi
Elakho, o Nkosi.



**173** Akuthi isandla sakho
Singincede mina,
Ngoba ngikhethile yona
Imithetho yakho.

**174** Ngiyalufisa olwakho
Lona usindiso,
Nkosi, umthetho owakho
Yinjabulo yami.

**175** Kawuphile umphefum'lo
Wam', uzakubonga,
Akuth' izigwebo zakho
Zingincedise bo.

**176** Ngilahlekile njengemvu;
Ding' inceku yakho,
Ngoba kangikhohlwa mina
Imilayo yakho.

## Isihlabelelo 120

*Ingoma yokwenyuka.*

**1** Ekuhluphekeni kwami
Ngakhalela khona
Ngakuyo iNkosi, njalo
Wangizwa mina-ke.

**2** Nkosi, khulul' umphefum'lo
Wami endebeni
Zamanga laselimini
Olukhohlisayo.

**3** Uzakunikwani wena?
Kumbe kwenziweni
Ngakuwena limi lolu
Olukhohlisayo?

**4** Imitshoko ebukhali
Yawo amaqhawe
Lawo wona amalahle
Awawo umnondo.

**5** Maye bo kimi ukuthi
Ngihlal' eMesheki,
Ngihlale emathenteni
AwaseKedari!

**6** Umphefum'lo wami kade
Wahlala wona bo
Laye lowo ozondayo
Khona ukuthula.

**7** Mina ngiyafisa khona
Ukuthula, kodwa
Nxa ngithi ngiyakhuluma
Bona bafis' impi.

## Isihlabelelo 121

*Ingoma yokwenyuka.*

**1** Ngizaphakamis' amehlo
Am' ezintabeni
Lapho okuvela khona
Olwami usizo.

**2** Usizo lwami luvela
Ngakuyo iNkosi,
Yona eyalenz' izulu
Lawo won' umhlaba.

**3** Kasoz' avumel' unyawo
Lwakho lutshelele,
Yen' okugcinayo wena
Kayikuwozela.

**159** Bona ukuthanda kwami
Owakho umlayo.
Ngivuselele-ke Nkosi
Ngokomusa wakho.

**160** Izwi lakho liqiniso
Kwasekuqaleni.
Konk' ukwahlulel' okuhle
Kuhlezi phakade.

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**161** Izikhulu zing'hluphile
Zingelasizatho,
Kodwa inhliziyo yami
Yesab' izwi lakho.

**162** Mina-ke ngiyathokoza
Ngelakho ilizwi
Njengalowo ofumana
Impango enkulu.

**163** Ngiyazonda ngisenyanya
Umqambi wamanga,
Kodwa owakho umthetho
Ngiyawuthanda bo.

**164** Kasikhombisa ngosuku
Ngiyakudumisa
Ngenxa yokugweba kwakho
Okulungileyo.

**165** Balokuthul' okukhulu
Abathand' umthetho
Wakho, njalo kabalakho
Okuzabakhuba.

**166** Nkosi ngithembele kulo
Usindiso lwakho,
Njalo ngiyenzile yonke
Imilayo yakho.

**167** Ngigcinile ngomphefum'lo
'Bufakazi bakho,
Njalo ngiyabuthanda-ke
Kakhulukazi bo.

**168** Ngigcinil' umthetho wakho
Lab' ubufakazi,
Ngoba zonk' indlela zami
Zikho phambi kwakho.

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**169** Kakuze phambili kwakho
Nkos', ukukhala kwam',
Ngiphe ukuqedisisa
Ngokwelizwi lakho.

**170** Kawubuye umthandazo
Wami phambi kwakho,
Akunginike uncedo
Ngokwelizwi lakho.

**171** Indebe zomlomo wami
Zizakukubonga
Nxa usungifundisile
Imithetho yakho.

**172** Luzakhuluma ulimi
Lwami ngezwi lakho,
Ngoba yonk' im'layo yakho
Iyikh' ukulunga.



**7** Ukuze ngifakaze nge-
lizwi lokubonga,
Ngikhuluma ngazo zonke
'Zimangalis' zakho.

**8** Nkosi ngithanda inhlalo
Yayo indlu yakho,
Lalaph' okuhlala khona
Inhlonipho yakho.

**9** Kawungabuth' umphefum'lo
Wami laz' izoni,
Labo kuy' impilo yami
Labantu begazi.

**10** Ngakuzo izandla zabo
Kukhona ububi,
Kwezokunene kugcwele
'Nzuzo yenkohliso.

**11** Kodwa mina ngizahamba
Ebuqothweni bam',
Ngihlenge-ke, futhi ube
Lesihawu kimi.

**12** Unyawo lwami lumile
Ebutshelezini,
Ngizabusisa iNkosi
Ngisemabandleni.

## Isihlabelelo 27

*EsikaDavida.*

**1** INkosi iyikukhanya
Kwami losindiso
Lwami. Njalo-ke ngubani
Engizamesaba?

Inkosi yon' ingamandla
Awempilo yami,
Ngubani yena engiza-
kumesaba yena?

**2** Nxa zon' izikhohlakali
Lazo izitha zam'
Lalabo abayizitha
Beza phezu kwami,

Ukuze bona bayidle
Yona inyama yam',
Bona-ke bayakhubeka,
Bawele phansi bo.

**3** Lob' ibutho ling'hanqile
Kangiyikwesaba,
Lob' impi ingivukele
Kulokhu ngothemba.

**4** Kunye engikufisayo
ENkosini, lokhu
Ngizadinga, ukuhlala
Endlini yeNkosi

Ngensuku zonk' zempilo yam',
Ukubon' ubuhle
BeNkosi, ngibuze ngise-
thempelini layo.

**5** Ngoba ngaso isikhathi
Salo uhlupho bo,
Yona izakungifihla
Kwelayo idumba.

Kuy' insitha yendlu yayo
Izakungifihla,
Izakungibeka phezu
Kwalo idwala-ke.

**6** Lakhathes' ikhanda lami
Lizaphakanyiswa
Phezulu kwezitha zami
'Zingihanqileyo.

'Thenteni layo ngoy'nika
'M'hlatshel' yentokozo.
Ngihlabelele ngihube
'Zibongo zeNkosi.

**7** Zwana-ke, o Nkosi yami,
Lapha ngikhalayo
Ngezwi lami, ube lom'sa
Kim', ungiphendule.

**8** Lapho usutshilo: Dinga
Ubuso obami;
Inhliziyo yami yathi:
Ngizakubudinga.

**9** Ungaze wangifihlela
Obakho ubuso,
Ungayilahli inceku
Yakho olakeni.

Ubunguy' umsizi wami,
Ungangiyekeli,
Ungangitshiy', Nkulunkulu
Wosindiso lwami.

**10** Lapho ubaba lomama
Bengitshiya mina,
Kuzakuth' iNkosi yami
Izangemukela.

**11** Ngifundis' indlela yakho,
Nkosi, ngikhokhele
Endlelen' eqondileyo
Ngenxa yezitha zam'.

**12** Ungaze wanginikela
Entandweni yazo,
Entandweni yezitha zam',
Zon' izitha zami.

Abafakazi bamanga
Sebengivukele,
Labo abaphefumula
Sona isihluku.

**13** Ngabe ngadela-ke uba
Ngingakholw' ukuthi
Ngibon' ubuhle beNkosi
'Zwen' lababaphilayo.

**14** Lindela kuyo iNkosi,
Woba lesibindi,
Yoqinisa inhliziyo
Yakho, lind' iNkosi.

## Isihlabelelo 28

*EsikaDavida.*

**1** Ngizakhala kuwe, Nkosi,
Wena dwala lami,
Ungavali izindlebe
Zakho zona kimi,

Hlezi nxa uthule mina
Ngifanane labo
Abawayo nxa besiya
Phansi emgodini.

**2** Zwana izwi lokuncenga
Nxa ngikhala kuwe,
Nxa ngiphakamis' izandla
Kundawo engcwele.



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**145** Ngenhliziyo yami yonke
Ngakhala, ungizwe
Nkosi, ngizakuyigcina
Imilayo yakho.

**146** Ngakhalela ngakuwena:
Akungisindise,
Ngizazigcina ezakho
Izifakazelo.

**147** Ngandulele ukukhanya
Kokus' ekuseni,
Ngakhala, mina ngathemba
Elizwini lakho.

**148** Amehl' ami aqalela
'M'lindo yobusuku
Ukuze ngizindle ngalo
Elakho ilizwi.

**149** Yizwa ilizwi elami
Ngokothando lwakho,
Nkosi, uze ungivuse
Ngesigwebo sakho.

**150** Bayasondela eduze
Abenza okubi,
Njalo bona bakhatshana
Law' umthetho wakho.

**151** Wena useduze Nkosi,
Njalo futhi yona
Eyakho yonk' imilayo
Iyil' iqiniso.

**152** Ngobufakazi obakho
Ngazile kudala
Ukuthi ubumisile
Ngokungapheliyo.

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**153** Nanzelel' uhlupho lwami,
Akungisindise,
Ngoba angikhohlwa wona
Owakho umthetho.

**154** Ngincengele ngendaba
yam',
Akungikhulule,
Ungivuselele mina
Ngokwelizwi lakho.

**155** Usindiso lukhatshana
Labakhohlakele,
Ngoba bona abadingi
Imithetho yakho.

**156** Sikhul' isihawu sakho,
Wena oyiNkosi,
Ngivuse kuvumelane
Lezigwebo zakho.

**157** Baneng' abahluphi bami
Laz' izitha zami,
Kodwa-ke angiphambuki
Kufakazo lwakho.

**158** Ngakhangel' izequmlayo,
Zangicunula m'na,
Ngoba aziligcinanga
Elakho ilizwi.

**131** Ngakhamis' umlomo wami,
Ngangikhefuzela,
Ngokuba nganginxwanela
Imilayo yakho.

**132** Kakungikhangele mina,
Ungihawukele
Njengenhlalayenza kwaba-
thand' ibizo lakho.

**133** Khokhelel' inyawo zami
Elizwini lakho,
Ungavumeli ububi
Bubuse phezu kwam'.

**134** Uhlupho lwabo abantu
Ngikhulule kilo,
Ngize mina ngiwugcine
Won' umthetho wakho.

**135** Yenza obakho ubuso
Bukhanyel' inceku,
Njalo akungifundise
Imilayo yakho.

**136** Imifula eyamanzi
Igeleza kuwo
Amehl' ami, ngoba kaba-
gcin' umthetho wakho.

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**137** Ulungile wena Nkosi,
Sibili kakhulu,
Futhi ziqondile zona
Izigwebo zakho.

**138** Izifakazelo zakho
Uzenzile wena
Zilungile zikholeka
Kakhulukazi bo.

**139** Inkuthalo yami yona
Isingidlile bo,
Ngoba zon' izitha zami
Zikhohlw' izwi lakho.

**140** Ilizwi elakho lona
Licengek' kakhulu,
Ngakho-ke inceku yakho
Ilithanda lona.

**141** Mina ngimncinyane njalo
Bayangidelela,
Kodwa mina angikhohlwa
Owakho umthetho.

**142** 'Kulunga kwakho kukhona
Ngokungapheliyo,
Njalo won' umthetho wakho
Uyil' iqiniso.

**143** Uhlupho lokububula
Sekwehlele kimi,
Imilayo yakho yona
Yintokozo yami.

**144** 'Kulunga kobufakazi
Bakho kuphakade,
Nginik' ukuqedisisa,
Mina ngizaphila.



**3** Ungaze wangidonsa-ke
Lezikhohlakali,
Kanye labenzi bobubi,
Betsho ukuthula

Kubo-ke omakhelwane
Abangababo bo,
Kodwa ububi bukhona
Kwezab' inhliziyo.

**4** Baphe njengezenzo zabo,
Njengenkohlakalo,
Eyemizamo yabo bo,
Banike-ke bona.

Baphe ngokwemisebenzi
Eyezandla zabo,
Ubanike khona lokho
'Kubafaneleyo.

**5** Kabanak' imisebenzi
YeNkosi lokwenza
Kwezandla zayo, bochithwa
Bona bangakhiwa.

**6** Kayibusiswe iNkosi,
Ngoba ilizwile
Lona-ke ilizwi lakho
Ukuncenga kwami.

**7** INkos' ingamandla ami
Lelami ihawu,
Yona inhliziyo yami
Ithembela kuyo.

Njalo-ke sengisiziwe,
Lenhliziyo yami
Iyathokoza kakhulu,
Ngohlabela kuyo.

**8** INkos' ingamandla abo,
Njalo ingamandla
Awakho ukusindisa
Ogcotshiwe wayo.

**9** Sindisa abantu bakho,
Ubusise ifa
Lakho, ubondle bona bo
Ubaphakamise.

## Isihlabelelo 29

*Isihlabelelo sikaDavida.*

**1** Nikanin' iNkos' udumo,
Lin' elilamandla,
Nikanin' iNkos' udumo
Njalo law' amandla.

**2** Nikanin' iNkos' udumo
Lufanel' ibizo
Layo, likhonze iNkosi
Kubuhl' obungcwele.

**3** Izwi leNkosi liphezu
Kwamanzi lomdumo;
INkosi ikhona phezu
Kwamanz' amakhulu.

**4** Izwi leNkosi lilawo
Amandl' amakhulu,
Ilizwi leNkosi lilo-
dumo olukhulu.

**5** Izwi leNkosi lephula
Imisedare, ye,
'Nkosi yephul' im'sedare
EseLebanoni.

**6** Iyayenza iqolotshe
Njengalo ithole,
ILebanon' leSiriyon'
Sathole lenyathi.

**7** Ilizwi leNkosi lona
Liyehlukanisa
Wona amalangabi-ke
Awawo umlilo.

**8** Izwi leNkosi liyayi-
nyikiny' inkangala,
INkosi lay' inyikinya
EyaseKadeshi.

**9** Ilizwi leNkosi lenza
Impala zizale,
Lihlubula amahlathi
Elayo ilizwi.

Ethempelini elayo
Bonke bon' abantu
Bakhulume ngal' udumo
Olwayo iNkosi.

**10** INkosi ihlezi phezu
Kwempophoma, yebo,
INkos' ihlezi, ibusa
Kub' ephakadeni.

**11** INkosi izakunika
Amandl' ebantwini,
Ibusis' abantu bayo
Ngokuthula kwayo.

## Isihlabelelo 30

*Isihlabelelo. Ingoma yokwehlukaniswa kwendlu kaDavida.*

**1** Ngizakudumisa Nkosi,
Ngoba wena usu-
ngiphakamisile, njalo
Wenz' izitha zami

**2** Zingajabuli phezu kwam'.
Nkosi, Mlimu wami,
Ngikhalile khona kuwe,
Ungisilisile.

**3** Nkos' ukhuphile owami
'Mphefum'l' engcwabeni,
Ungigcinile ngiphila,
Ngingatshon' kumgodi.

**4** Hlabelelan' eNkosini,
Lina ngcwele zayo,
Libonge ngokukhunjulwa
Kobungcwele bayo.

**5** Ngob' ulaka lwayo lumi
Kodw' isikhatshana,
Khona emuseni wayo
Kukhona impilo.

Ukulila kuyahlala
Okobusuku nje,
Kodwa kuz' ukujabula
Khona ekuseni.



**117** Ngiqinise ngovikelwa,
Njalo ngohlonipha
Zona izimiso zakho
Kube njalonjalo.

**118** Wena ugxobile bonke
Abaphambukayo
Emilayweni, obabo
'Buqili buyize.

**119** Wolahla ababi bonke
Bomhlaba njengayo
Ingcekeza, ngizathanda
Izimiso zakho.

**120** Inyama yami yaqhuqha
Ngokwesaba wena,
Njalo mina ngiyesaba
Izahlulo zakho.

*AIN* ע

**121** Ngenzile ukwahlulela
Lokulungileyo,
Ungangitshiyi-ke mina
Kwabangihluphayo.

**122** Yiba ngummeli kunceku
Yakho ngokulunga,
Ungavum' oziqhenyayo
Angihluphe mina.

**123** Amehlo am' afiphala
Elind' usindiso
Lwakho lalo lon' ilizwi
Lokulunga kwakho.

**124** Yenza encekwini yakho
Ngesihawu sakho,
Njalo ungifundise bo
Imilayo yakho.

**125** Ngiyinceku yakho, ngipha
Ukuqedisisa,
Ukuze ngiqond' ezakho
Izifakazelo.

**126** Sekuyisikathi lesi
Usebenze Nkosi,
Ngokuba sebedelile
Umthetho owakho.

**127** Ngakho mina ngiyathanda
Imilayo yakho
Okwedlula igolide
Elicwengiweyo.

**128** Ngivuma yonk' imilayo
Ezintweni zonke
Ukuthi ilungile bo.
Ngizonda amanga.

*PE* פ

**129** Izilayezelo zakho
Ziyamangalisa,
Ngakho umphefum'lo wami
Uzilondoloza.

**130** Ukwambulwa kwezwi
lakho
Kunik' ukukhanya,
Kunik' ukuqedisisa
Kuye ongaziyo.

**103** Amnandi kangak' amazwi
Akho emlonyeni!
Amnandi emlonyeni wam'
Okwedlul' uluju!

**104** Ngemithetho yakho yona
Ngiyaqedisisa,
Ngakho ngiyazonda zonke
'Zindlela zamanga.

*NUN* נ

**105** Izwi lakho yisibane
Enyaweni yami,
Lokukhanya kuyo yona
Indlela eyami.

**106** Sengifungile njalo-ke
Ngizakwenz' ukuthi
Ngigcin' izimiso zakho
Ezilungileyo.

**107** Ngihluphekile kakhulu,
Ngivuse o Nkosi,
Ngenxa yalo lon' ilizwi
Ilizwi elakho.

**108** Yemukela im'nikelo
Yomlomo owami
Nkosi, akungifundise
Izigwebo zakho.

**109** Umphefumulo owami
'Sesandleni sami
Njalonjalo, kodwa kangi-
khohlw' umthetho wakho.

**110** Ababi bangibekele
Umjibila, kodwa
Kangiduhanga-ke mina
Emlayweni wakho.

**111** Ngitheth' izimiso zakho
Njengelifa njalo,
Ngoba ziyiy' intokozo
Yenhliziyo yami.

**112** Ngimisel' inhliziyo yam'
Ukugcin' im'thetho
Yakho njalonjalo kuze
Kube sek'pheleni.

*SAMECH* ס

**113** Ngiyazond' imikhumbulo
Yon' eyilo ize,
Kodwa mina ngiyathanda
Umlayo owakho.

**114** Wena uyisiphephelo
Sami lesihlangu,
Ngiyathembela ngakuwe
Kulo izwi lakho.

**115** Sukanini kimi lina
Elenzay' okubi,
Ngoba ngolond' imilayo
EyeNkosi yami.

**116** Ngisekele ngokwelizwi
Lakho, ngiphile-ke,
Ngingaze ngaba lenhloni
Ngal' ithemba lami.



**6** Njalo kikho khona uku-
phumelela kwami,
Ngitsholo ukuthi angi-
soze nginyikinywe.

**7** Jehova, ngomusa wakho
Umis' intaba yam'
Yaqina, wafihl' ubuso
Bakho, ngahlupheka.

**8** Ngikhalile kuwe Nkosi,
Njalo ngakuyona,
Sengenzile isicelo
Sami eNkosini.

**9** Kulenzuzo bani lapho
Egazini lami,
Nxa ngingena khona kulo
Igodi phansi na?

Luzakukudumisa na
Lona lolothuli?
Lutshumayele ngalo na
Iqiniso lakho?

**10** Zwana Nkosi, njalo ube
Lesihawu kimi,
Nkosi, woba nguye lowo
Ongumsizi wami.

**11** Usukuguqule khona
Ukulila kwami
Wakwenza kwaba yikho nje
Khona ukusina.

Wangikhupha izigqoko
Zawo amasaka,
Wasungembathisa ngayo
Yona intokozo.

**12** Ukuze udumo lwami
Lukuhlabelele
Zona indumiso kuwe,
Njalo lungathuli.

Nkosi, Nkulunkulu wami,
Ngizakukunika
Ukubongwa kuze kube
Lasephakadeni.

## Isihlabelelo 31

*Kumqondisi wokuhlabelela.*
*Isihlabelelo sikaDavida.*

**1** Kuwe Nkosi, ngiyathemba,
Ngingabi lanhloni,
Kawungikhulule wena
Ngokulunga kwakho.

**2** Thob' indlebe yakho kimi,
Ngihleng' ngokutshetsha,
Ube 'dwal' eliqinile,
'Ndlu yosindiso lwam'.

**3** Ngob' ulidwala elingi-
vikelayo, ngakho
Ngenxa yelakho ibizo
Ngihol' ngiqondise.

**4** Ngixakulul' embuleni
'Bangithiye ngalo
Ensitha, njengokubana
Ungamandla ami.

**5** Kusandla sakho nginika
Umoya wami nje,
Ungihlengile, o Nkosi,
Thixo weqiniso.

**6** Ngizondile abananza
Amanga ayize,
Kodwa mina ngiyathemba
Khona eNkosini.

**7** Ngizathaba, ngithokoze
Kusihawu sakho,
Ngokuba ucabangile
Usizi lwami-ke.

Wena usuwazile bo
Owami wona nje
Umphefum'lo uphakathi
Kwayo inkathazo.

**8** Kawungivalelanga bo
Kusandla sesitha,
Umisil' inyawo zami
Kundawo ebanzi.

**9** Ngihawukele o Nkosi,
Ngikulo uhlupho,
Usizi lungidl' ilihlo,
Lomoya lesisu.

**10** Impilo yami ichithwa
Kusizi-ke, njalo
Iminyaka yami layo
Ekububuleni.

Amandl' ami ayaphela
Ngenxa yazo izi-
phambeko ezami, lawo
'Mathambo aphela.

**11** Ngaba yinhlekisa kuzo
Izitha zam' zonke,
Langokukhethekileyo
Kubomakhelwane.

Njalo ngabesaba labo
Abazana lami,
Abangibonayo endle
Bangibalekela.

**12** Ngilitshelwe engqondweni
Samunt' ofileyo,
Ngiyafanana lesitsha
Esephuliweyo.

**13** Ngokuba sengikuzwile
'Kuhleb' kwenengi,
Ukwesaba kwangihanqa
Inhlangothi zonke.

Lapho benza amacebo
Amelana lami,
Beceba ukuyisusa
Yon' impilo yami.

**14** Kodwa mina ngathembela
Kuwe, wena Nkosi,
Njalo ngangisithi: Wena
'NguNkulunkulu wam'.

**15** Izikhathi zami zikho
Esandleni sakho,
Ngikhulule esandleni
Esezitha zami

**16** Lakwabangizingelayo.
Khanyisa ubuso
Bakh' encekwini, uhlenge
Mina ngom'sa wakho.



*LAMED* ל

**89** Nkosi, ilizwi elakho
Lihlezi khonale
Liqinile ezulwini
Kub' ephakadeni.

**90** Lusezizukulwaneni
Uthembeko lwakho,
Umisile won' umhlaba
Umi uqinile.

**91** Kusemi-ke lalamuhla
Njengem'layo yakho,
Ngokuba konke kuyizo
'Zisebenzi zakho.

**92** Ub' ubungesintokozo
Yam' umlayo wakho,
Ngabe sengabhubha kuyo
Inhlupheko yami.

**93** Angisoze ngayikhohlwa
Imilayo yakho,
Ngokuba ngayo-ke yona
Wen' ungivusile.

**94** Mina-ke nginguy' owakho,
Akungisindise,
Ngoba sengiyidingile
Imilayo yakho.

**95** Ababi bangilindele
Ukungibulala,
Kodwa ngizananzelela
Izimiso zakho.

**96** Ngibonile ukucina
Kokuphelel' konke,
Kodwa won' umthetho wakho
Ubanzi kakhulu.

*MEM* מ

**97** Yeka ukuthanda kwami
Umlayo owakho,
Ungumnakano wami-ke
Usuku lonke nje.

**98** Wena ngemilayo yakho
Ngahlakanipha-ke
Okwedlul' izitha zami,
Ngob' zihlezi lami.

**99** Ngiqedisisa kulabo
Abafundisi bam',
Ngoba mina nginakana
Ngemilayo yakho.

**100** Ngilakh' ukuqedisisa
Kulabakudala,
Ngokuba ngilondoloza
Imithetho yakho.

**101** Ngithintil' inyawo zami
Ezindlelen' zonke
Ezimb', ukuze ngigcine
Ilizwi elakho.

**102** Angisukanga-ke mina
Kwezakh' izahlulo,
Kungenxa yokuthi wena
Ungifundisile.

**76** 'Sihawu sakho kasibe
Yinduduzo yami
Njengokwelizwi elakho
Encekwini yakho.

**77** Isihawu sakho size
Kimi-ke ngiphile,
Ngokuba umlayo wakho
Yintokozo kimi.

**78** Kababe lenhloni bona
Abazigqajayo,
Ngokuba bangiqilile
Ekwenzeni kwabo.

Bangiqilile ngaphandle
Kwaso isizatho,
Kodwa ngizazindla ngazo
Izimiso zakho.

**79** Ababuyele-ke kimi
Abakwesabayo
Labo bonk' abayaziyo
Imilayo yakho.

**80** Akuth' inhliziyo yami
Iphelele kuzo
Zon' izimiso ezakho,
Ngingabi lanhloni.

*CAPH* כ

**81** Umoya wam' uyaphela,
Uswel' usindiso
Lwakho, kodwa ngithembile
Elizwini lakho.

**82** Amehl' ami ayaphela
Ngilind' izwi lakho
Ngisakhuluma ukuthi:
Ngoduduzwa nini?

**83** Mina nginjengembodlela
Esentuthwini nje,
Angizikhohlwanga zona
Izimiso zakho.

**84** Insuku zenceku yakho
Zingaki na zona?
Uzabagweba nini na
Abangihluphayo?

**85** Abaziphakamisayo
Bangimbel' im'godi,
Abangahambiyo bona
Ngokomlayo wakho.

**86** Imilayo yakho yonke
Yon' ithembekile,
Bona bangihlupha kubi;
Akungisize bo.

**87** Baphose bangiqeda nje
Emhlabeni, kodwa
Kangiyitshiyanga yona
Imilayo yakho.

**88** Ngivuse ngas' isihawu
Sakho, ngiyagcina
Zona izilayezelo
Zaw' umlomo wakho.



**17** Kangingayangeki Nkosi,
Ngibizile wena,
Kabayangeke ababi
Bathul' engcwabeni.

**18** Kazithuliswe indebe
'Zikhulum' amanga,
Ziziqhenya ngokweyisa
Yen' olungileyo.

**19** Hay' ubukhulu bobuhle
Bakh' obubekele,
Ubekele bona labo
Abakwesabayo,

Khona okulungisele
Wakusebenzela
Abathembela ngakuwe,
Kunzalo yabantu!

**20** Uzabafihla ensitha
Yobukhona bakho,
Kukuzigqaja kwabantu.
Uzakubalonda,

Uzabagcina ngasese
Edumbeni lakho
Kukho ukuphikisana
Kwazo izindimi.

**21** Kayibusiswe iNkosi,
Engibonisile
Um'sa way' oyisimanga
Kumuz' oyinqaba.

**22** Ngokuba ngitshilo kukho
'Kuphangisa kwami,
Ngiqunyiwe phambi kwawo
Won' amehlo akho.

Kodwa-ke ulizwile nje
Lonk' ilizwi lami
Lakho ukuncenga kwami
Nxa ngikhala kuwe.

**23** O, thandanini iNkosi
Lonk' bangcwele bayo.
Ngokuba yona iNkosi
Iyalondoloza

Bona abathembekayo.
Iyaphindisela
Bona abazigqajayo
Kakhulukazi bo.

**24** Woba lesibindi, ngoba
Yen' uzaqinisa
Inhliziyo yenu, lina
Bathemb' eNkosini.

## Isihlabelelo 32

*EsikaDavida. Masikhili.*

**1** Um'ntu low' uyabusiswa
Oxolelwe konke
Ukuphambeka, lesono
Sisibekelwe du.

**2** Uyadel' umunt' iNkosi
Engambalelanga
Ubub', lemoyeni wakhe
Akalabuqili.

**3** Ekuthuleni kwami zwi
Agug' amathambo
Ami ngokubhonga kwami
Usuku lonke nje.

**4** Emini lasebusuku
Esakho isandla
Sibe nzima phezu kwami.
Ubumanzi bami

Sebuguquliwe baba
Njengakho khona-ke
Ukoma okwalo lona
Ihlobo lelo bo.

**5** Ngasivum' isono sami
Kuwe, lab' ububi
Angibufihlanga kuwe
Ekusithekeni.

Ngathi: Ngizavum' kuNkosi
'Ziphambeko zami,
Waxolel' ububi baso
Esami isono.

**6** Ngakho-ke bonke abale-
Nkosi bothandaza
Kuwe ngesikhathi onga-
tholakala ngaso.

Mpela esikhukhuleni
Samanz' amanengi
Kawasoz' afinyelele
Khona duze laye.

**7** Wena uyindawo yami
Yokucatsha, njalo
Uzakungilondoloza
Kuzo inhlupheko.

Wena uzakungihanqa
Inhlangothi zonke
Ngazo izingoma zayo
Inkululo; yebo.

**8** Ngizakulay' ngifundise
Indlela ozayi-
hamba wena, ngikuhole
Ngelami ilihlo.

**9** Ungabi njengal' ibhiza,
Layo imbongolo,
Zona-ke ezingelakho
Ukuqondisisa.

Emlonyeni ziletomu
Ezibanjwa ngalo,
Hlezi zisondele khona
Eduzane lawe.

**10** Insiz' ezinengi ziza
Kuzikhohlakali.
Othembele eNkosini
Wohanqwa ngumusa.

**11** Thokozani eNkosini,
Abalungileyo,
Lijabule lina aba-
qoth' enhliziyweni.

## Isihlabelelo 33

**1** Thokozani eNkosini,
Lina balung'leyo,
Ngoba khona ukubonga
Kufanel' oqotho.

**2** Bongan' iNkosi ngechacho,
Hlabelan' ngogubhu,
Langechacho elentambo
Ezilitshumi-ke.



**62** Ngizakuvuka phakathi
Kobusuk', ukuze
Ngikubonge ngokulunga
Kwezigwebo zakho.

**63** Ngingumngane wabo bonke
Abakwesabayo,
Lalabo abagcinayo
Imilayo yakho.

**64** Umhlaba ugcwele sona
Isihawu sakho
Nkosi, akungifundise
Imilayo yakho.

*TETH ט*

**65** Uyenzel' inceku yakho
Khona okuhle nje,
Wena Nkosi, ngokwalo nje
Elakho ilizwi.

**66** Ngifundise ukwahlula
Okulungileyo
Lolwazi, ngoba ngikholwe
Imilayo yakho.

**67** Ngingakahlupheki mina
Ngalahleka, kodwa
Khathesi ngiligcinile
Elakho ilizwi.

**68** Wena yebo ulungile,
Wenza ukulunga,
Ngifundise yona leyo
Imilayo yakho.

**69** Bangiqambela amanga
Abazigqajayo,
Ngizagcin' im'layo yakho
Ngenhliziyo yonke.

**70** Inhliziyo yab' igcwele
Amafutha, kodwa
Mina-ke ngiyathokoza
Emlayweni wakho.

**71** Kungilungele ukuthi
Mina-ke ngihlutshwe,
Ukuze-ke ngifunde nje
Izimiso zakho.

**72** Umlayo womlomo wakho
Ungcono ngakimi
Ngaphezu kwezigidi ze-
golide lesil'va.

*JOD י*

**73** 'Zandla zakho zingenzile,
Zangibumba, ngiphe
'Kuqedisisa, ngifunde
Imilayo yakho.

**74** Abakwesabayo bona
Bazakungibona
Bathokoze, ngoba mina
Ngithemb' izwi lakho.

**75** Ngiyazi Nkosi, ukuthi
Izahlulo zakho
Zilungile, wangihlupha
Ngok'thembeka kwakho.

**48** Ngiphakamis' izandla zam'
Kumlayo wakh' engi-
wuthandayo, nginakane
Imilayo yakho.

*ZAIN ז*

**49** Khumbula lona ilizwi
Encekwini yakho,
Owangenza ukuthi nje
Ngithembele kulo.

**50** Yile induduzo yami
Kuzinhlupho zami,
Ngokuba ilizwi lakho
Lingiphilisile.

**51** Bona abazigqajayo
Bangihlek' kakhulu,
Kodwa kangiphambukanga
Emlayweni wakho.

**52** Ngakhumbula izigwebo
Zakho zasendulo,
O! Nkosi mina sengaze
Ngaziduduza bo.

**53** Ngabanjwa yisesabiso
Ngenxa yabo labo
Ababi bon' abatshiya
Imilayo yakho.

**54** Izimiso zakho zaba
Yiyona ingoma
Yami, kuyo indlu yami
Eyobuhambuma.

**55** Ngikhumbule lon' ilizwi
Lakho Nkosi khona
Ebusuku, ngigcinile
Umlayo owakho.

**56** Lokhu ngilakho ngokuba
Ngigcinile zona
Ezakho zona lezo nje
Izimiso zakho.

*CHETH ח*

**57** Uyisabelo sam', Nkosi,
Mina sengitshilo
Ukuthi ngolondoloza
Law' amazwi akho.

**58** Ngakuncenga ngenhliziyo
Yona yonk' eyami,
Woba law' umusa kimi
Ngokwelizwi lakho.

**59** Nganakan' indlela zami,
Ngaziphendulela
Izinyawo zami zona
Em'layweni yakho.

**60** Ngiphangisile sibili,
Angilibalanga
Ukulondoloza yona
Imilayo yakho.

**61** Zingithandele kakhulu
Intambo zababi,
Kodwa kangiwukhohlwanga
Umlayo owakho.



**3** Yihlabeleleni yona
Ihubo elitsha,
Tshayanini kuhle, lenze
Umsindo omkhulu.

**4** Ngoba ilizwi leNkosi
Phela liqondile,
Yonk' eyayo im'sebenzi
Yenz'wa ngeqiniso.

**5** Iyathanda ukulunga
Lakho ukwahlula,
Umhlaba ugcwele ngakho
'Kulunga kweNkosi.

**6** Ngalo ilizwi leNkosi
Amazul' enziwe,
Ngomoya womlomo wayo
Kwadalwa konkana.

**7** Ibuthel' amanz' olwandle
Wonke njengenqwaba,
Iyabekel' ukutshona
Kuzo iziphala.

**8** Kakuthi wonke umhlaba
Wesabe iNkosi,
Abahlez' ezweni bonke
Bame bay'hloniphe.

**9** Ngoba yona yakhuluma,
Khona kwenzakala,
Yatsho owayo umlayo,
Kwema kwaqina nko.

**10** INkos' ichitha icebo
Elabahedeni,
Yenz' amacebo abantu
Angaphumeleli.

**11** Icebo leNkosi lima
Kub' ephakadeni,
Im'khumbulo yenhliziyo
Kuzizukulwana.

**12** Siyadel' isizwe esi-
loThix' oyiNkosi,
Abant' ebakhethileyo
Babe 'lifa layo.

**13** INkosi bo ikhangele
Isemazulwini
Iyabon' amadodana
Awabantu wonke.

**14** Ikundawo yokuhlala
Ikhangela phezu
Kwabo bonke abahlali
Bawo won' umhlaba.

**15** Iyazenza inhliziyo
Zabo zifanane,
Iyanakana-ke yonke
Im'sebenzi yabo.

**16** Kayikh' inkos' esindiswa
Ngobunengi bempi,
'Siqhwaga asikhululwa
Ngamandl' amakhulu.

**17** Ibhiza yinto eyize
Njengayo inqaba,
Lingekhulule loyedwa
Ngawalo amandla.

**18** Bona, ilihlo leNkosi
Liphezu kwab' aba-
yesabayo, labathemba
Kuw' umusa wayo.

**19** Ukukhulul' im'phefum'lo
Yabo kukh' ukufa,
Ukugcina bephilile
Lakuyo indlala.

**20** Imiphefumulo yethu
Ilindel' iNkosi,
Ilusizo yona njalo
Lesihlangu sethu.

**21** Ngoba inhliziyo yethu
Yothokoza kuyo,
Sithembele ebizweni
Layo elingcwele.

**22** Akuthi umusa wakho,
O Nkos', ube phezu
Kwethu, njengalokhu thina
Sithembela kuwe.

## Isihlabelelo 34

*EsikaDavida, eseguqule ukuziphatha kwakhe phambi kukaAbhimeleki, owamxotshayo wahamba.*

**1** Ngizayibonga iNkosi
Ngezikhathi zonke,
'Ndumiso zayo zihlala
Emlonyeni wami.

**2** Umphefum'lo wami uza-
zincoma ngeNkosi,
Abathobekileyo ka-
bezwe bajabule.

**3** Ye khulisani iNkosi,
Lina kanye lami,
Kasiphakamis' ibizo
Layo kanyekanye.

**4** Ngayidinga yon' iNkosi,
Yabuya yangizwa,
Yasingikhulula kikho
Konk' ukwesaba kwam'.

**5** Bona bakhangela kuyo,
Bakhanyiswa bonke;
Ubuso bab' abuzange
Bube lezinhloni.

**6** Lo umyanga wasekhala,
INkosi yamuzwa,
Yamsindisa kuzo zonke
Inhlupheko zakhe.

**7** Ingilosi eyeNkosi
Ibazungezile
Bona abayesabayo,
Iyabakhulula.

**8** Nambithanini libone
Ukuthi iNkosi
Ilungil', ubusisiwe
'Munt' othemba kuyo.

**9** Yesabeni yon' iNkosi,
Lin' bangcwele bayo,
Ngoba kakukh' ukuswela
Kwabayesabayo.

**10** Izingonyama ezintsha
Ziswela, zilambe,
Kodwa abading' iNkosi
Kabaswel' okuhle.



**34** Ngiphe ukuqedisisa,
Ng'lond' umlayo wakho,
Yebo, ngowulondoloza
Ngenhliziyo yami.

**35** Ngihambisa endleleni
Yemilayo yakho,
Ngokuba mina uqobo
Ngithokoza kuyo.

**36** Khangelisa inhliziyo
Yam' kubufakazi
Obakho, ukuze yona
Ingabi lomhawu.

**37** Susa amehlo awami
Angabuki ize,
Ungiphilise-ke mina
Endleleni yakho.

**38** Qinisa ilizwi lakho
Kuy' inceku yakho,
Yona ezinikeleyo
Ekukwesabeni.

**39** Susa ihlazo elami
Engilesabayo,
Ngokuba zon' izigwebo
Zakho zilungile.

**40** Khangela ngizifisile
Izimiso zakho,
Ngivuselele-ke kikho
Ukulunga kwakho.

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**41** Kasize kim' isihawu
Sakho, wena Nkosi,
Lalo usindiso lwakho
Ngokwelizwi lakho.

**42** Kothi ngiziphendulele
Kuy' ongigconayo,
Ngokuba mina ngithemba
Elakho ilizwi.

**43** Kawungalisusi mpela
Izwi leqiniso
Kumlomo wami, ngithemba
Em'layweni yakho.

**44** Kothi ngiyilondoloze
Imithetho yakho
Kokuphela, ngiyigcina
Kube njalo njalo.

**45** Ngizakuhamba-ke mina
Ngikhululekile,
Ngokuba sengidingile
Imilayo yakho.

**46** Ngizakuzitshumayela
Izilayezelo
Kuwo amakhosana-ke,
Ngingabi lenhloni.

**47** Mina ngizakuthokoza
Ngezilayezelo
Zakho, zona lezo mina
Engizithandayo.

**20** Umphefum'lo wami wona
Wephukile ngakho
Ukunxwanel' izahlulo
Zakho kokuphela.

**21** Basol' abaziqhenyayo
Abathukiweyo,
Bona abaphambukayo
Em'layweni yakho.

**22** Susa phezu kwam' inhloni
Lakh' ukudelela,
Ngokuba ngizigcinile
Izimiso zakho.

**23** Amakhosana ahlala
Etsh' okubi ngami,
Inceku yakho yazindla
Ngemilayo yakho.

**24** Izilayezelo zakho
Ziyilokhu mina
Okungithokozisayo,
Ziyangeluleka.

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**25** Unamathel' othulini
Umphefum'lo wami,
Kawungivuse mina nje
Ngokwelizwi lakho.

**26** Mina-ke ngizibikile
Izindlela zami,
Wang'phendula, ngifundisa
Imilayo yakho.

**27** Ungichasisel' indlela
Yemilayo yakho,
Ngokhulum' ngemisebenzi
Yakh' eyisimanga.

**28** Umphefumulo owami
Uyaphel' amandla
Ngalusizi, ngiqinise
Ngokwelizwi lakho.

**29** Susa ngakimi indlela
Eyamanga yona,
Unginik' umlayo wakho
Ngokomusa wakho.

**30** Ngiyikhethile indlela
Eyal' iqiniso,
Ngizibekil' izahlulo
Zakho phambi kwami.

**31** Nginamathele-ke kuzo
Izilayo zakho,
Ungangithelel' inhloni,
Wena oyiNkosi.

**32** Ngigijima endleleni
Yemithetho yakho,
Lapho woyenz' ibe banzi
Inhliziyo yami.

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**33** Nkosi, ngifundis' indlela
Yemithetho yakho,
Ngizakuyilondoloza
Kub' ephakadeni.



**11** Wozanini-ke bantwana,
Lilalele kimi,
Ngizathi ngilifundise
Ukwesab' iNkosi.

**12** Ngubani umunt' ofisa
Impilo, othanda
Insuk' ezineng', ukuze
Abone okuhle?

**13** Londa ulimi olwakho
Kokubi, lowakho
Umlomo ungakhulumi
Yona inkohliso.

**14** Suka ebubini, wenze
Okulungileyo,
Dingisisa ukuthula
Njal' ukulandele.

**15** Amehlo eNkos' aphezu
Kwabalungileyo,
Lendlebe zayo ziyezwa
Ukukhala kwabo.

**16** Ubuso beNkosi bume-
lene lab' ababi,
Ukuqum' ukukhunjulwa
Kwabo emhlabeni.

**17** 'Balungileyo bakhala,
INkosi yabezwa,
Yabakhupha kuzo zonke
Inhlupheko zabo.

**18** INkos' iseduze labo
'Bephuk' inhliziyo,
Iyabasindisa aba-
moy' odabukile.

**19** Zinengi inhlupho zakhe
Ongolungileyo,
Kodw' iNkos' iyamkhulula
Kuzo zonke zona.

**20** Iyagcina wonke wona
Amathambo akhe,
Kungephuki libe linye
Kuwo wona wonke.

**21** Ububi buzabhubhisa
Okhohlakeleyo,
Labazond' abalungile
Bazatshabalala.

**22** INkos' ihleng' umphefum'lo
Wezinceku zayo,
Othemba kuyo iNkosi
Kasoze alahlwa.

## Isihlabelelo 35

*EsikaDavida.*

**1** O Nkosi, melana labo
Abamelana lam',
Ulwe wena labo bonke
Abangilwisayo.

**2** Uthathe lona ihawu
Laso isihlangu,
Ungivikel', ungimele,
Ube lusizo lwam'.

**3** Hwatsh' umkhonto, uvimbele
Abangihluphayo,
Utsho kumphefum'lo wami,
Ngilusizo lwakho.

**4** Kabaphanjaniswe bona,
Njalo bayangiswe
Labo abawudingayo
Umphefum'lo wami.

Kababuyiselwe emva,
Bahlatshwe ngenhloni
Abangicebela bona
Ukungona mina.

**5** Kababe njengamakhoba
'Phephethwa ngumoya,
Ingilosi eyeNkosi
Kayibaxotshe nje.

**6** Ibe mnyam' indlela yabo
Njalo itshelele,
Lengilosi eyeNkosi
Kayibazingele.

**7** Singekho isizatho bo
Sebengifihlele
Lona elabo imbule
Phakathi komgodi.

Okuthi nje kungelaso
Sona isizatho
Bawugebhele umgodi
Umphefum'lo wami.

**8** Kayehlele phezu kwakhe
Yon' im'cibitshelo
Engayilindele, njalo
Elakhe imbule

Alifihlileyo kali-
mbambe umninilo.
Yona ley' incithakalo
Umyekele awe.

**9** Uzajabul' umphefum'lo
Wami eNkosini,
Uzathokoza impela
Kusindiso lwayo.

**10** Wonk' amathamb' ami othi:
Nkosi ngubani na
Ofana lawe, ohlenga
Ongumyanga kuye,

Kolamandla kulaye bo,
Yebo, ongumyanga
Laye oswelayo kuye
Yena omphangayo?

**11** Kwavuka abafakazi
Abamanga wodwa,
Bengicala ngemilandu
Engingayaziyo.

**12** Bangivuza okubi bo
Ngokuhle, ukuze
Bona bawuphange wona
Umphefum'lo wami.

**13** Kodwa mina, nxa begula,
Izigqoko zami
Zona zazingamasaka,
Ngawuthobisa bo

Owami umphefumulo
Ngokuzila, njalo
Owami umthandazo bo
Ubuyele kimi.

**14** Ngaziphatha kwangazani
Laye nje ngumngane
Wami kumbe umfowethu,
Ngaz'thobela phansi



**6** Ngakho kangisoze ngibe
Lenhloni, nxa mina
Ngiqaphela yona yonke
Imilayo yakho.

**7** Ngokubona ngobuqotho
Benhliziyo, lapho
Ngifund' izahlulo zakho
Ezilungileyo.

**8** Ngizakuzilondoloza
Izimiso zakho,
Akungangitshiyi mina
Ngokupheleleyo.

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**9** Ijaha lingayihlanza
Kanjani indlela
Yalo na? Ngokuqaphela
Imilayo yakho.

**10** Ngikufune ngenhliziyo
Yami yona yonke,
Kangingaphambuki kuyo
Imithetho yakho.

**11** Izwi lakho ngilifihle
Enhliz'yweni yami,
Ukuze ngingoni mina
Ngimelane lawe.

**12** Ubusisiwe bo wena
Ye, o wena Nkosi,
Ngifundise izimiso
Zona ezakho-ke.

**13** Ngendebe zami kangithi
Ngizitshumayele
Izahlulelo zonke-ke
Ezomlomo wakho.

**14** Ngithokozil' endleleni
Yezilayezelo
Ezakho njengenothweni
Enkulukazi bo.

**15** Ngizazindla ngikuyona
Imilayo yakho,
Ngiziqaphele indlela
Ezomthetho wakho.

**16** Ngizazithabisa mina
Ngemilayo yakho,
Kangisoze ngilikhohlwe
Elakho ilizwi.

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**17** Yandisel' inceku yakho
Okuhle, ukuze
Ngiphile, ngilondoloze
Lon' ilizwi lakho.

**18** Vula amehlo awami
Ukuze ngibone
Okumangalisayo bo
Emthethweni wakho.

**19** Ngiyisihambi nje lapha
Emhlabeni mina,
Kawungangifihleli bo
Imilayo yakho.

**21** Ngizakubonga ngobana
Ungizwile mina,
Njalo usube yilona
Usindiso lwami.

**22** Ilitshe elaliwayo
Yibona abakhi
Selibekwe laba yiyo
Inhloko yegumbi.

**23** Lokhu kuyikwenza kwayo
Yona iNkosi nje,
Kuyiso son' isimanga
Emehlweni ethu.

**24** Lolu yilona usuku
INkos' ilwenzile,
Kasithokoze-ke njalo
Sithabe kulona.

**25** O sindisa-ke Jehova,
Ngikuncenga Nkosi,
Ngiyakuncenga khathesi,
Leth' impumelelo.

**26** Ubusisiwe ozayo
Ngebizo leNkosi,
Thina silibusisile
Sisendlin' yeNkosi.

**27** UNkulunkulu yiNkosi,
Yon' esibonise,
Esibonis' ukukhanya,
Ukukhany' impela.

Bopha wona umnikelo
Ngazo izintambo,
Ngitsho lakuzo impondo
Zona ezelathi.

**28** UnguNkulunkulu wami,
Ngizakukubonga,
UnguNkulunkulu wami,
Ngikuphakamise.

**29** Bonganini uJehova,
Ngoba ulungile,
Ngoba isihawu sakhe
Sihlezi phakade.

## Isihlabelelo 119

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**1** Babusisiw' abaqotho
Kuyona indlela,
Abahamba emlayweni
OngokaJehova.

**2** Babusisiw' abalonda
Imilayo yakhe,
Bona abadinga yena
Ngenhliziyo yonke.

**3** Abangakwenziy' okubi
Okweziphambeko,
Bayahamba endleleni
Zon' ezingezakhe.

**4** Wena usulayezele
Ukuthi silonde
Imilayo yakho wena
Ngokukhuthala bo.

**5** O! kungathi izindlela
Zami zonke zona
Nga ziqondiswa, ngilonde
Imithetho yakho.



Ngothobeko olukhulu,
Njengaye yena lo
Olilela unina nje,
Yena ongasekho.

**15** Kodwa bona bathokoza
Ngisenhluphekweni,
Babuthana ye ababi
Emhlanganwen' yabo.

Bangihlanganisile nje
Mina bengingazi
Bangihlikizile bona
Kabayekelanga.

**16** Belabazenzisi aba-
ngiklolodelayo,
Bangigedlel' amazinyo
Awabo-ke bona.

**17** Nkosi koze kube nini
Ulokh' ukhangele?
Kawubuyise owami
Wona umphefum'lo

Kuzo izincithakalo,
Njalo lomthandwa wam'
Kuwo wona amandl' abo
Azo izilwane.

**18** Ngizakubong' ebandleni
Elikhulukazi,
Ngikudumise phakathi
Kwabaneng' abantu.

**19** Ungabavumeli labo
Abayizitha zam'
Ngaphandle kwesizatho-ke
Bajabule ngami.

Ungabavumeli njalo
Bengiciyozela
Ilihlo abangizonda
Ngaphandl' kwesizatho.

**20** Kazikhulum' ukuthula,
Ziceba amanga
Ngalabo abathuleyo
Khona elizweni.

**21** Yebo bangikhamisele
Imilomo yabo,
Bethi: Aha ha, ilihlo
Lethu limbonile.

**22** Lokhu ukubonile bo,
Nkosi, ungathuli,
Kawungathuli, o Nkosi,
Ungabi kude lam'.

**23** Zivuse uvukele-ke
Ilungelo lami
Lendaba yam', Nkulunkulu
Wami, Nkosi yami.

**24** Ngahlulele Nkosi, Thixo
Wami, ngokulunga
Okwakho, kabangaze ba-
jabula phezu kwam'.

**25** Kabangatsho enhliz'yweni
Zab' ukuthi: Aha
S'yakufuna, kabangatsho:
Simginyile yena.

**26** Kababe lenhloni njalo
Baphambane bonke
Abathokoza nxa bengi-
limaza mina nje.

Bagqokise ngezinhloni
Njalo lendumazo
Lab' abazikhukhumeza
Khona phambi kwami.

**27** Kabajabule ngomsindo
Njalo bathokoze
Labo abathandanayo
Lokulunga kwami.

Kayikhuliswe iNkosi,
Ngoba ilothando
Kukho ukuphumelela
Kway' inceku yayo.

**28** Njalo olwami ulimi
Lukhuluma ngakho
Ukulunga lokubonga
Kwakho usuk' lonke.

## Isihlabelelo 36

*Kumqondisi wokuhlabelela.*
*EsikaDavida, inceku*
*kaNkulunkulu.*

**1** Isono somubi sithi
Kunhliziyo yami:
Kakukho ukuyesaba
INkos' 'mehlwen' akhe.

**2** Uyazikhohlisa yena
Emehlweni akhe,
Kuze kuficwe icala
Lakhe lizondeka.

**3** Amazwi omlomo wakhe
'Bubi lenkohliso,
Uyek' ukuhlakanipha
Lokwenza okuhle.

**4** Uyaceb' ukungalungi
Elel' ecansini,
Umi endleleni embi,
Kabali ububi.

**5** Isihawu sakho, Nkosi,
Sisemazulwini,
Njal' ukuthembeka kwakho
Kufik' emafini.

**6** Ukulunga kwakho khona
Kufanana lazo,
Kunjengalezozintaba
Ezinkulukazi.

'Zigwebo zakho zijule
Kakhulu; o Nkosi,
Uyalondoloz' abantu
Lezinyamazana.

**7** Hayi ubuhle bothando
Olomusa wakho,
O Nkulunkulu, ngakho-ke
'Bantwana babantu

Bona-ke bayalibeka
Ithemba elabo
Ngaphansi komthunzi wawo
Amaphiko akho.



**6** INkosi iyangimela,
Kangiyikwesaba.
Kuyini yena umuntu
Angakwenza kimi?

**7** INkosi iyangimela
Labangisizayo,
Ngobon' isifiso sami
Kwabangizondayo.

**8** Kungcono ukuthembela
Khona eNkosini
Kulokuba lal' ithemba
Kuyena umuntu.

**9** Kungcono ukuthembela
Khona eNkosini
Kulokubeka ithemba
Kuw' amakhosana.

**10** Zona-ke izizwe zonke
Sezingihanqile,
Kodwa ngebizo leNkosi
Ngizakuzichitha.

**11** Zingihanqile-ke mina,
Yebo zangihanqa,
Kodwa ngebizo leNkosi
Ngizakuzichitha.

**12** Zangihanqa njengenyosi,
Zacitsh' njengomlilo
Wameva, ngoba ngebizo
LeNkos' ngozichitha.

**13** Usungitshayile mina
Kakhulu ngamandla
Ukuze ngiwe, kodwa-ke
INkos' yangisiza.

**14** INkosi ingamandl' ami
Njalo lay' ingoma,
Yaphinda yaba yilona
Usindiso lwami.

**15** Ilizwi lothokozayo
Lalo usindiso
Lizwakala ezindlini
Zabalungileyo.

Esokunene isandla
Sayo yon' iNkosi
Siyasebenza-ke sona
Ngabo ubuqhawe.

**16** Isandla esokunene
Esayo iNkosi
Siphakanyisiwe njalo
Senza ngobuqhawe.

**17** Kangiyikufa mina bo,
Kodwa ngizaphila,
Ngitshumayele izenzo
Ezayo iNkosi.

**18** INkosi ingitshayile
Kabuhlungu, kodwa
Ayinginikelanga bo
Khona ekufeni.

**19** Ngivulele amasango
Awakh' ukulunga,
Ngizakungena kuwo bo,
Ngidumis' iNkosi.

**20** Isango leli leNkosi
Ngalo bona labo
Abalungileyo bona
Bazangena ngalo.

**15** Kuligugu emehlweni
Awayo iNkosi
Khona ukufa kongcwele
Yen' olungileyo.

**16** O! Nkosi ngokweqiniso
Ngiyinceku yakho,
Ngiyinceku eyakho bo,
Eyiy' indodana,

Indodana eyayo bo
Yon' incekukazi,
Usuzikhululile bo
Izibopho zami.

**17** Ngizanikel' umnikelo
Kuwo wokubonga,
Njalo ngizabiza lona
Ibizo leNkosi.

**18** Ngizagcwalis' izifungo
Zami eNkosini
Phambi kwabantu beNkosi,
Bonke behlangene.

**19** Phakathi kwamagum' endlu
ENkosi, phakathi
Kwakho, o Jerusalema.
Libonge iNkosi.

## Isihlabelelo 117

**1** Dumisani uJehova,
Lina zizwe lonke,
Mdumiseni lina lonke
Yebo, lin' abantu.

**2** Ngoba isihawu sakhe
Esilomusa-ke
Sikhulu kakhulukazi
Khona ngakithina,

Leqiniso lay' iNkosi
Limi njalo njalo.
Kaliyidumise lina
Yona-ke iNkosi.

## Isihlabelelo 118

**1** O! bonganini iNkosi,
Ngoba ilungile,
Ngoba isihawu sayo
Sihlezi phakade.

**2** Katsho yen' uIsrayeli
Khathesi ukuthi
Isihawu sayo sona
Simi njalo njalo.

**3** Kayitsho-ke yona indlu
KaAron' khathesi
Ukuth' isihawu sayo
Simi njalo njalo.

**4** Abatsho bona khathesi
Abesab' iNkosi
Ukuth' isihawu sayo
Simi njalo njalo.

**5** Ngasengibiza iNkosi
Ngisenkathazweni,
Yaphendula yangibeka
Endawen' ebanzi.



**8** Bosuthiswa ngamanono
Endlu yakho mpela.
Ubanathis' imifula
Yenjabulo yakho.

**9** Ngoba kuwe kulomthombo
Wayo yon' impilo,
Ekukhanyen' kwakho siza-
bona ukukhanya.

**10** Qhubela umusa kubo
'Bakwaziyo wena,
Lokulunga kwakho kubo
'Banhliziy' eqotho.

**11** Yal' ukuth' unyawo loku-
ziqhenya lung'khube,
Lesandla somkhohlakali
Singisuse mina.

**12** Nampo abenza okubi
Bawile, baphoswa
Phansi, njalo kabasoze
Baphinde bavuke.

## Isihlabelelo 37

*EsikaDavida.*

**1** Ungabozikhathaza bo
Ngabenza okubi,
Ungabi lamona ngabo
Abenza okubi.

**2** Ngoba masinya baqunywa
Njengabo utshani,
Babune njengezimila
Zon' eziluhlaza.

**3** Themb' iNkosi, wenze khona
Okulungileyo,
Wohlala ezweni, qotho
Uzakondliwa-ke.

**4** Jabula njal' eNkosini,
Njal' izakunika
Zona izifiso zayo
Inhliziyo yakho.

**5** Nikela indlela yakho
ENkosini, themba
Kuyo, izakukwenzela
Konke kuphelele.

**6** Izaveza ukulunga
Okwakho njengakho
Ukukhanya, lokugweba
Kwakho okwemini.

**7** Phumula eNkosini-ke,
Njalo-ke ulinde
Ngokubekezela kuyo.
Ungazikhathazi

Ngenxa yophumelelayo
Endleleni yakhe,
Ngenxa yomuntu esenza
Amaceb' amabi.

**8** Yekel' ukuthukuthela,
Utshiye ulaka,
Ungazihluphi lakanye
Ngokwenza okubi.

**9** Ngoba abenzi bobubi
Bazaqunywa juqu,
Abalinda eNkosini
Bazakudla izwe.

**10** Sekuyisikhatshana nje
Omubi aphele,
Cingisis' indawo yakhe
Ungakuyibone.

**11** Kodwa abachumileyo
Bazakudla izwe,
Ngobunengi bokuthula
Bazithokozise.

**12** Okhohlakeley' uceba
Ngay' olungileyo,
Egedla phezulu kwakhe
Ngamazinyo akhe.

**13** INkosi izakumhleka,
Ngoba iyabona
Ukuthi usuku lwakhe
Luzakumfikela.

**14** Abakhohlakeleyo ba-
hotshile inkemba,
Bagobis' umtshoko wabo,
'Kubawisa phansi

Abampofu labasweli,
Ukubabulala
Bona abaqondileyo
Ekuziphatheni.

**15** Inkemba yab' izangena
Kwezab' inhliziyo,
Imitshoko yabo iza-
kuqanyulwa yonke.

**16** Okuncinyane alakho
Yen' olungileyo
Kudlul' inotho yababi
Bona abanengi.

**17** Ngoba ingalo zababi
Zizephulwa zonke,
Kodw' iNkosi iyamisa
Abalungileyo.

**18** Izinsuku zabaqotho
INkos' iyazazi,
Ilifa labo lohlala
Kube njalo njalo.

**19** Abayikuba lenhloni
Ngesikhath' esibi,
Langensuku ezendlala
Bazakusuthiswa.

**20** Kodw' ababi bazabhubha,
Lezitha zeNkosi
Njengamafutha ezimvu
Zotshiswa ziphele.

**21** Ababi bayaboleka
Bengabuyiseli,
Olungiley' ulomusa
Njalo uyaphana.

**22** Ababusisiwe nguye
Ilizwe ngelabo,
Kanti abathukiweyo
Bazaqunywa bonke.

**23** Uhambo lolungileyo
Luphethwe yiNkosi,
Njalo yona ijabula
Endleleni zakhe.

**24** Lanxa esiwa kayiku-
lahlwa phansi yena,
INkosi iyamsiza-ke
Ngesayo isandla.



## Isihlabelelo 116

**1** Ngiyayithanda iNkosi,
Ngokub' ilizwile
Lona elami ilizwi
Lezicelo zami.

**2** Ngokuba ingilalele
Ngizabiza kuyo
Ngazo zonke izikhathi
Khona ngisaphila.

**3** Izinsizi zakh' ukufa
Zingizungezile,
Laz' ihlungu zesihogo
Zingibambile m'na

Njalo ziphezu kwami bo,
Ngasengifumana
Izinhlupheko lazo-ke
Zona izinsizi.

**4** Ngabiz' ibizo leNkosi;
Nkosi ngikuncenga,
Wena khulula wona bo
Umphefum'lo wami.

**5** Ilomusa yon' iNkosi,
Njalo ilungile,
Yeb' uNkulunkulu wethu
Ungolesihawu.

**6** INkosi ilondoloza
'Bathobekileyo,
Ngangithotshiselwa phansi
Yase ingisiza.

**7** Mphefum'lo wami, buyela
'Kuphum'leni kwakho,
Ngob' iNkosi ikuphethe
Ngomusa omkhulu.

**8** Mphefum'lo wam' ekufeni
Uwusindisile,
Lamehl' ezinyembezini
Lenyaw' ekuweni.

**9** Ngizakuhamba ngiphambi
Kwayo yon' iNkosi,
Ngikulo ilizwe labo
Bon' abaphilayo.

**10** Mina ngakholwa, ngakho-ke
Ngasengikhuluma,
Mina ngangihluphekile
Kakhulu sibili.

**11** Ngatsho-ke kukho okwami
Khon' ukuphangisa:
Bona-ke bonke abantu
Baqamba amanga.

**12** Ngizabuyiselani na
Kuyo yon' iNkosi,
Ngayo yonke yon' inzuzo
Eyayo ngakimi?

**13** Ngizakuthatha inkezo
Yalo usindiso,
Ngibe sengibiz' ibizo
Elayo iNkosi.

**14** Ngizagcwalis' izifungo
Zami eNkosini
Phambi kwababantu bayo
Bonke khathesinje.

**4** Izithombe zabo ziyi-
sil'va legolide,
Zingumsebenzi wezandla
Zabo bon' abantu.

**5** Zilemilomo kodwa-ke
Zon' azikhulumi,
Zilamehlo kodwa zona
Kaziboni lutho.

**6** Zilezindlebe kodwa-ke
Kazizwa sibili,
Zilazo izimpumulo
Kodwa kazinuki.

**7** Zilezandla, kaziphathi,
Lenyawo kodwa-ke
Kazihambi, lemiphimbo
Kodw' azikhulumi.

**8** Abazibazayo bona
Bafanana lazo,
Unjalo-ke laye wonke
Othembela kuzo.

**9** Wena Israyeli, themba
Kuyona iNkosi,
Yona ingumsizi wabo
Lesihlangu sabo.

**10** Ndlu kaAroni, yethemba
Kuyona iNkosi,
Ingumsizi wabo njalo
Lesihlangu sabo.

**11** Lina eliyesabayo
Yona iNkosi le,
Yithembeni, ingumsizi
Lesihlangu sabo.

**12** INkos' isinanzelele,
Izasibusisa,
Lay' indlu kaIsrayeli,
Lay' ekaAroni.

**13** Izakubusisa bona
Abayesabayo
INkosi, bon' abakhulu
Lab' abancinyane.

**14** Izakulandis' iNkosi
Ngokuphindiweyo,
Wena labo bonke bona
Abantwana bakho.

**15** Ilibusisile lina
Yona-ke iNkosi,
Eyenze lona izulu
Lawo won' umhlaba.

**16** Izulu law' amazulu
Angaway' iNkosi,
Kodwa umhlaba iwuphe
Abantwan' babantu.

**17** Kabayibongi iNkosi
Bon' abafileyo,
Lalabo abatshonayo
Khon' ekuthuleni.

**18** Kodwa thina sizabonga
'Nkosi khona manje
Kuze kube nininini.
Dumisani Nkosi.



**25** Sake sakhon' isikhathi
Engangisemutsha,
Manje sengimdala mina,
Kang'zange ngimbone

Olungileyo elahlwa,
Njalo lenhlalweni
Yenzalo yakhe ihamba
Icela ukudla.

**26** Uhlezi elesihawu,
Osukwini lonke
Ubolekisa, lenzalo
Yakh' iyabusiswa.

**27** Suka ebubini bonke,
Wenze khona lokhu
Okulungileyo, njalo
Uhlale lanini.

**28** Ngoba iNkosi ithanda
Son' isahlulelo,
Njalo kayiy'kubadela
Abangcwele bayo.

Bona balondoloziwe
Ngokungapheliyo,
Kodwa inzalo yababi
Izaqunywa juqu.

**29** Olungileyo uzadla
Ilifa lelizwe,
Uzahlala-ke phakathi
Kwalo njalonjalo.

**30** Umlomo wolungileyo
Utsh' inhlakanipho,
Lolimi lwakhe luyatsho
Ngakh' ukwahlulela.

**31** Umthetho weNkosi yakhe
Usenhliziyweni,
Alikh' inyathelo lakhe
Elizatshelela.

**32** Okhohlakeley' ulinda
Yen' olungileyo,
Njalo adingisise bo
Ukuz' ambulale.

**33** 'Nkosi kayiyikumtshiya
Esandleni sakhe,
Kayisoze-ke imlahle
Nxa egwetshwayo-ke.

**34** Lindela yona iNkosi,
Njal' ugcin' indlela
Yayo, njalo izakuku-
phakamisa wena,

Uwudle umhlaba; lapho
'Bakhohlakeleyo
Bequnyiwe bathi juqu,
Wen' uzakubona.

**35** Ngimbonil' omubi lapho
Emandl' amakhulu
Enaba njengesihlahla
'Siluhlaza tshoko.

**36** Kanti wanyamalala bo,
Akaz' aba khona,
Yebo ngamdinga yena-ke,
Kodwa kazatholwa.

**37** Nanzelel' opheleleyo,
Nanzelel' oqotho,
Ngob' ukucina konjalo
Kuyikuthula nje.

**38** Ngoba abaphambukayo
Bazakubhujiswa,
Ukucina kwab' ababi
Kuzaqunywa juqu.

**39** Kodwa usindiso lwabo
'Balungileyo ngo-
lweNkos', ingamandla abo
Ngosuku lohlupho.

**40** INkosi izabasiza
Bona, njalo iza-
bakhulula bona; iba-
khulule kubona

Labo abayizo zona
Izikhohlakali,
Ibasindise, ngokuba
Bathembela kuyo.

## Isihlabelelo 38

*Isihlabelelo sikaDavida, ukukhumbuza.*

**1** Nkosi, ungangithethisi
Nxa uthukuthele,
Ungangijezisi mina
Nxa ungathokozi.

**2** Ngoba imitshoko yakho
Ungiciba ngayo,
Las' isandla sakho sifi-
thizel' ngobuhlungu

**3** Akukh' ukuphila kuyo
Yon' inyama yami
Ngesizatho sakho khona
Ukuzonda kwakho.

Mpela akukho sibili
Khon' ukuphumula
Lasemathanjeni ami
Ngenxa yesono sam'.

**4** Ububi bam' sebedlule
Phezu kwekhanda lam',
Njengomthwalo osindayo
Buyangisinda bo.

**5** Izilonda zami ziya-
nuka njalo zona
Zenyanyeka ngenxa yabo
Ubuthutha bami.

**6** Sengihluphekile mina,
Ngikhokhoba mpela,
Ngihamba ngilila mina
Ilanga lonke nje.

**7** Ngoba ekhalweni lwami
Kugcwele isifo,
Futhi kakulakuphila
Enyameni yami.

**8** Sengidinwe ngadabuka
Sibili, ngakhala
Ngokusol' okubuhlungu
Kwenhliziyo yami.

**9** Nkosi, zonk' izifiso zam'
Ziphambili kwakho,
Njalo ukububula kwam'
Kusobala kuwe.



**8** Ukuz' amhlalise yena
Law' amakhosana,
Ngitsho won' amakhosana
Awabo abantu.

**9** Uyenza inyumba ibe
Lendlu, engunina
Othokozay' wabantwana.
Dumisan' iNkosi.

## Isihlabelelo 114

**1** Nxa waphum' uIsrayeli
EGibithe, lendlu
KaJakobe ebantwini
Bolimi lwezizwe,

**2** UJuda waba yindawo
Yakhe eyingcwele,
LoIsrayeli-ke waba
Ngowakhe umbuso.

**3** Ulwandle lwaselubona
Khona, lwabaleka,
IJordani lafuqelwa
Khonale emuva.

**4** Izintaba zaqolotsha
Njengazo inqama,
Lamaqaqanyana eqa
Njengamazinyane.

**5** Ulani na, wena lwandle,
Ukuth' ubaleke?
Lawe Jordani ukuthi
Ufuqelw' emuva?

**6** Lani zintab' ezeqayo
Njengazo inqama?
Lan' intatshan' ezeqayo
Njengamazinyane?

**7** Thuthumela, wena mhlaba,
Kubuso beNkosi,
Ebusweni bukaMlimu,
Mlimu kaJakobe.

**8** Yena owenza idwala
Laphenduk' ichibi,
Itshe eliqinileyo
Umthombo wamanzi.

## Isihlabelelo 115

**1** Kakungabi kithi, Nkosi
Kakungabi kithi,
Kodwa kakube kwelakho
Lona ibizo bo

Phana-ke udumo, ngenxa
Yesihawu sakho
Njalo langenxa yalo bo
Iqiniso lakho.

**2** Ngani ukuthi izizwe
Zithi: Ungaphi na
Khona khathesi owabo
Yen' uNkulunkulu?

**3** Kodw' uNkulunkulu wethu
Ukhon' ezulwini,
Wenzile loba kuyini
Yen' akuthandayo.

**3** Yona imfuyo lenotho
Kusendlini yakhe,
Ukulunga kwakhe kumi
Ngokungapheliyo.

**4** Kuy' oqotho kuyaphuma
'Kukhany' emnyameni,
Ulomusa njal' ugcwele
'Sihaw' lokulunga.

**5** Olungileyo uphatha
Ngomus' aboleke,
Esekel' indaba zakhe
Kuhle ngokulunga.

**6** Qotho kayikunyikinywa
Yena njalonjalo,
'Lungileyo wokhunjulwa
Kube laphakade.

**7** Kayikwesab' imibiko
Emib', inhliziyo
Yakhe iqinisekile,
Ithemba iNkosi.

**8** Inhliziyo yakh' imiswe,
Kasoze esaba,
Abon' isifiso sakhe
Ezitheni zakhe.

**9** Unikile abayanga,
Ukulunga kwakhe
Kumi njal', uphondo lwakhe
Luzoba lodumo.

**10** Omub' uzabon' azonde,
Agedl' amazinyo,
Anyamalal', isifiso
Sababi sophela.

## Isihlabelelo 113

**1** Dumisani yon' iNkosi,
Liyidumise-ke
Zinceku zeNkosi, bonga
Ibizo leNkosi.

**2** Kalibusiswe ibizo
Elayo iNkosi
Kusukela khathesinje
Kube laphakade.

**3** Kusuk' ilanga liphuma
Lize liyetshona,
Kalidunyiswe ibizo
ElikaJehova.

**4** Yon' iNkosi iphakeme
Phezu kwezizwe zonk',
Udumo lwayo luphezu
Kwawo amazulu.

**5** Ngubani ofana layo
Yon' iNkosi yethu,
UNkulunkulu ohlezi
Khona ngaphezulu,

**6** Ozithobisayo yena
Ukuthi abone
Izint' ezisezulwini
Lakuwo umhlaba!

**7** Uphakamisa umyanga
Aphum' othulini,
Aphakamis' oswelayo
Kunqumbi yomquba



**10** Yaphefuzel' inhliziyo
Yam', iphel' amandla,
Ukukhanya kwamehl' ami
Sekungitshiyile.

**11** Abathandana lam' bema
Kude ngitshayiwe,
Lezihlobo zami zima
Zikhatshana lami.

**12** Lalabo abadingayo
Yon' impilo yami
Bengithiya, labadinga
Owami umona

Bakhulum' amazw' amabi,
Futhi banakana
Befunisela amanga
Usuku lonke nje.

**13** Mina-ke njengesacuthe
Angizange ngizwe,
Ngaba njengesimungulu
'Singavul' umlomo.

**14** Ngakho ngaba nguy' umuntu
Ongelakh' ukuzwa,
Njalo emlonyeni wakhe
Akukh' ukukhuza.

**15** Ngoba ngakuwe, o Nkosi,
Mpela ngiyathemba,
Wena uzakuzwa, Nkosi,
Nkulunkulu wami.

**16** Ngoba mina ngatsh' ukuthi:
Ake ungizwe-ke
Hlezi bona bathokoze
Khona phezu kwami,

Nxa lona unyawo lwami
Selutshelela bo,
Bazikhulise-ke bona
Bamelane lami.

**17** Ngilungele ukuqhula,
Njal' usizi lwami
Lukhona ngaphambi kwami,
Lumi njalo njalo.

**18** Ngoba sengizakwazisa
Bon' ububi bami,
Njalo ngizaba losizi
Ngas' isono sami.

**19** Izitha zam' ziphilile,
Futhi zilamandla,
Labangizondayo ngeze
Bona sebandile.

**20** Ababuyisel' ububi
Endawen' yobuhle
Bayizitha zami, ngoba
Ngilandel' okuhle.

**21** O, ungaze wangitshiya,
Wena Nkosi yami,
Nkulunkulu wam', ungabi
Khatshana lami bo.

**22** Ungabi khatshana lami,
Ukuz' ungisize,
Njalo phangisa, o Nkosi
Yosindiso lwami.

## Isihlabelelo 39

*Kumqondisi wokuhlabelela. KuJeduthuni. Isihlabelelo sikaDavida.*

**1** Ngathi: Ngizananzelela
Izindlela zami,
Ukuze ngingoni ngalo
Lon' ulimi lwami.

Ngizalond' umlomo wami
Ngesayeke kuwo,
Lapho ababi bekhona
Yebo phambi kwami.

**2** Ngathula-ke ngathi cwaka,
Ngazithulela nje
Lekulungeni, usizi
Lwami lwavuka bo.

**3** Inhliziyo yam' phakathi
Yatshisa, umlilo
Watshisa ngisanakana,
Ngatsho ngolimi lwam':

**4** Nkosi ngazis' isiphetho
Lezinsuku zami
Ukuze ngiqedisise
'Buthakathaka bam'.

**5** Khangel' wenzile insuku
Zami zalingana
Lobubanzi besandla bo,
Leminyaka yami

Kayis' into phambi kwakho.
Mpela wonk' umuntu
Kubungcono bakh' uyize
Ngokupheleleyo.

**6** Impela wonke umuntu
Uhambela ize,
Sibili kachelesanga
Kungelasizatho.

Uyabuthelel' imfuyo
Ize ib' enengi,
Kodwa engazi ukuthi
Yobuthwa ngubani.

**7** Manje-ke khathesi, Nkosi,
Ngisalindeleni?
Lona ithemba elami
Lingakuwe wedwa.

**8** Ngisindise kuzo zonke
'Ziphambeko zami,
Ungangenzi inhlekisa
Yeziphukuphuku.

**9** Ngaba yisimungulu nje,
Kangavul' umlomo,
Ngenxa yokuthi-ke wena
Ukwenzile lokhu.

**10** Susa ukutshaya kwakho
Khona phezu kwami,
Sengidliwe yikutshaywa
Kwesakho isandla.

**11** Nxa ulungisa umuntu
Ngokulaya kwakho,
Ngenxa yesiphambeko-ke
Ubuhle obakhe



Ngayo inhliziyo yami,
Khon' emhlanganweni
Owabo bon' abaqotho
Lakulo ibandla.

**2** Imisebenzi yeNkosi
'Mikhul', iyadingwa
Yibo bonke labo bona
'Bathokoza ngayo.

**3** Uyazisek' umsebenzi
Wayo olodumo,
Ukulunga khon' okwayo
Kuhlala phakade.

**4** Yayenz' im'sebenzi yayo
Emangalisayo
Ikhunjulw', iNkosi ilo-
musa lesihawu.

**5** Ibanikile ukudla
Abayesabayo,
Yokhumbul' uvumelwano
Lwayo njalonjalo.

**6** Yabonis' abantu bayo
'Mandla em'sebenzi
Yayo, ukuze ibaphe
Ilifa lezizwe.

**7** Zil'qiniso lesigwebo
'Zenzo zesandl' sayo,
Lemilayo yayo yonke
Iqinisekile.

**8** Kumisiwe kuze kube
Ngokulaphakade,
Kwenziwe ngal' iqiniso
Langakh' ukulunga.

**9** Yathumela lon' uhlengo
Kub' abantu bayo,
Yalaya uvumelwano
Olulaphakade.

Lingcwele lona elayo
Yebo ibizo bo,
Njalo liyesabeka-ke
Elayo ibizo.

**10** Khona-ke ukumesaba
Yen' uNkulunkulu
Kuyikhona ukuqala
Kokuhlakanipha.

Ukuqedisis' okuhle
Kukwabayenzayo
Imilayo, lodum' lwayo
Lumi laphakade.

## Isihlabelelo 112

**1** Dumisanini bo, lina
Yona iNkosi le,
Uyabusiswa umuntu
Owesab' iNkosi,

Lowo othokozayo bo
Ngokukhulukazi
Kuyo imithetho yayo
Engeyay' iNkosi.

**2** Izoba lamandl' inzalo
Yakhe emhlabeni,
Isizukulwana saba-
qotho sobusiswa.

**28** Kabathuke, kodwa wena
Busisa; bavuke
Bayangiswe, kodw' eyakho
Incek' ithokoze.

**29** 'Zitha zami kazigqoke
Zona izinhloni,
Kabazembathis' ihlazo
Njengayo ingubo.

**30** Ngizadumisa iNkosi
Mpela ngomlomo wam',
Yebo ngizayidumisa
Phakathi kwabantu.

**31** Izakuma kwesokudla
Somyanga, ukuze
Imsize kwabalahlayo
Umphefum'lo wakhe.

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*Isihlabelelo sikaDavida.*

**1** Yath' iNkosi kuNkosi yam':
Hlal' esandleni sokudla,
Ngize ngenz' izitha zakho
'Senabo senyawo zakho.

**2** UNkulunkul' uzathuma
Intonga yawakh' amandla
EZiyoni, busa wena
Phakathi kwezitha zakho.

**3** Abantu bakho bovuma
Bezinikela ngosuku
Lwawo awakho amandla,
Ngobuhle bab' ubungcwele,

Kuwo umdabuko wakho
Ukusa kuza kulowo
Amazolo ekuseni
Angawab' ubutsha bakho.

**4** 'Nkos' ifung', ayiphenduki,
Wena unguye umpristi
Ongapheliyo ngohlobo
Lwakhe uMelkizedeki.

**5** INkos' esandleni sakho
Sokunene yochoboza
Amakhosi ngal' usuku
Lwalo ulaka olwayo.

**6** Izakwahlula phakathi
Kwezizw' ezingayaziyo,
Igcwalise ngezidumbu
Ezabo abafileyo.

Izakulimaza wona
Amakhanda azo zona
Izinhloko ezamazwe
Amanengi emhlabeni.

**7** Izakunatha-ke kiso
Isifula endleleni,
Ngakho izaphakamisa
Lona elayo ikhanda.

## Isihlabelelo 111

**1** Idumiseni lina bo
INkosi le yona,
Ngizayidumisa mina
Yona-ke iNkosi



Ubutshabalalisa du
Njengal' ivevane;
Ngeqiniso wonk' umuntu
Ulize impela.

**12** Zwana umthandazo wami,
O Nkosi, lalela
Ukukhala, lem'nyembezi
Kawungathuli bo.

Ngoba ngingowasemzini
Kuwe lesihambi,
Njengabo bonke obaba
Bona babe njalo.

**13** Ngiyekele-ke ngizuze
Amandla phambili
Kokuthi ngisuke lapha,
Ngingasabi khona.

## Isihlabelelo 40

*Kumqondisi wokuhlabelela.*
*Isihlabelelo sikaDavida.*

**1** Ngalindela eNkosini
Ngokubekezela,
Yazithobela ngakimi,
Yezw' ukukhala kwam'.

**2** Yangikhupha emgodini
Owesabekayo,
Exhaphozini lodaka
Yona yangikhupha.

Edwaleni yazimisa
Izinyawo zami,
Yabuye yaziqinisa
Izinyathelo zam'.

**3** 'Ngoma entsha yayibeka
Emlonyeni wami,
Layo indumiso kuye
'Nkulunkulu wethu.

'Banengi bazakubona,
'Banengi besabe,
Njalo bathembele kuyo
Ke yona iNkosi.

**4** Lowomunt' ubusisiwe
Oyenzayo yona
INkosi ibe yilona
Elakhe ithemba.

Ongahloniphiyo bona
'Bazigwabisayo,
Labo abaphendukela
Kuwona amanga.

**5** Minengi, Nkosi Thixo wam',
Im'sebenzi yakho
Yona emangalisayo,
Uyenzile wena

Lay' imikhumbulo yakho,
Yon' eqonde thina,
Ayingebalwe-ke kuwe
Ngokulandelana.

Nxa ngingayitshumayela,
Ngikhulume ngayo,
Iyedlula ukuthi-ke
Ingabalwa yona.

**6** Umhlatshelo lomnikelo
Wena kawufisi,
Izindlebe zami zona
Wen' uzivulile.

Umnikelo otshiswayo
Wena kawufuni,
Lomnikelo owesono
Wena kawufuni.

**7** Ngakho ngathi: Akubone
Ngiyafika mina,
Kuwo umqulu wogwalo
Kulotshiwe ngami.

**8** Ngithokoza ngokuyenza
Intando yakho nje,
Nkosi yam', umthetho wakho
Usenhliz'ywen' yami.

**9** Ngitshumayel' ukulunga
'Mhlanganwen' omkhulu,
Angibambanga indebe,
Nkosi uyakwazi.

**10** Angifihlanga 'kulunga
Kwakho enhliz'yweni,
Ngakhuluma uthembeko
Losindiso lwakho.

Angifihlanga uthando,
Law' umusa wakho,
Njalo leqiniso lakho,
Kumhlangan' omkhulu.

**11** Ungavali ububele
Bakho, Nkosi, kimi,
Iqiniso lom'sa wakho
Kungilonde njalo.

**12** Ngob' ubub' obungebalwe
Sebungiphahlile,
Zangibamb' izono zami,
Angibhek' phezulu.

Zinengi kulezinwele
Zal' ikhanda lami,
Ngakho inhliziyo yami
Ingehlule mina.

**13** Ake uthande, o Nkosi,
Ukungikhulula,
Nkosi, ake uphangise
Ukusiza mina.

**14** Kababe lenhloni njalo
Badunyazwe kanye
Abafisel' umphefum'lo
Wam' ukuwuchitha.

Abaxotshelwe emuva
Babe lamahloni,
Bona abangifisela
Khona okubi bo.

**15** Kabachitheke bo ngenxa
Yezinhloni zabo,
Abatshoyo khona kimi
Bethi: Aha! Aha!

**16** Kakuthi bona bonke nje
Abadinga wena
Bathokoze, njalo-ke ba-
jabule kuwena.

Kuthi labo abathanda
Olwakh' usindiso
Baphikelele ukuthi:
Yinkulu iNkosi!



**15** Kakube phambi kweNkosi
Kokuphela kume,
Iqume ukukhunjulwa
Kwabo emhlabeni.

**16** Ngoba kakhumbulanga-ke
Ukuba les'hawu,
Kodwa wazingela bona
Abangabayanga

Lay' indodan' esweleyo.
Ukubabulala
Bon' abadabukileyo
Ezinhliziyweni.

**17** Yena othand' ukuthuka,
Kakuze kuyena,
Ongathab' kusibusiso,
Sibe kude laye.

**18** Njengoba wazigqokisa
Ngakho ukuthuka
Wakwenza kwaba yingubo
Yon' eyokwembatha,

Kakubuye ngakuyena
Ngaphakathi kwakhe
Samanzi, njengamafutha
'Mathanjeni akhe.

**19** Akube yingubo yakhe
Ayembathileyo,
Lozwezwe azibophile
Ngalo njalonjalo.

**20** Lokhu kakube ngumvuzo
WeNkos' kuzitha zam',
Abakhuluma okubi
Ngomphefum'lo wami.

**21** Nkulunkulu Nkos', ngenzela
Ngal' ibizo lakho,
Isihawu sakho sihle,
Ngikhulule mina.

**22** Ngoba ngingumyanga njalo
Min' angilalutho,
Phakathi kwam' inhliziyo
Ilimele futhi.

**23** Ngedlule njengesithunzi
Nxa sesifinyela,
Ngiyazulazula njalo
Njengayo intethe.

**24** Amadol' am' adiniwe
Ngenxa yokuzula,
Lenyama yam' idiniwe
Iswel' amafutha.

**25** Ngibe lihlazo ngakibo
Nxa bengikhangela,
Bangikhangela-ke baze
Banikin' ikhanda.

**26** Nginceda, Nkulunkul' Nkosi
Yam', ungisindise
Ngaso sona isihawu
Esingesakho bo.

**27** Ukuze babone bazi
Ukuthi isandla
Lesi ngesakho, o Nkosi
Ukwenzile lokhu.

## Isihlabelelo 109

*Kumqondisi wokuhlabelela.*
*Isihlabelelo sikaDavida.*

**1** Ungaze wagcina wena
Ukuthula kwakho,
Wena Nkulunkulu wakho
Ukubonga kwami.

**2** Ngoba umlomo wababi,
Futhi-ke umlomo
Wabo abakhohlisayo,
'Vulekile kimi.

Bona-ke bakhulumile
Bemelene lami
Ngalo ulimi olwabo
Lona olwamanga.

**3** Bangigombolozele bo
Ngamazwi enzondo,
Besilwa lami ngaphandle
Kwaso isizatho.

**4** Ngothando lwami bayizo
Zon' izitha zami,
Mina ngizinikele bo
Kuwo umthandazo.

**5** Njalo bangiphe umvuzo
Wobubi ngobuhle,
Bangipha layo inzondo
Ngal' uthando lwami.

**6** Ubeke indoda embi
Khona phezu kwakhe,
LoSathane amhlalele
Ngakwesokunene.

**7** Uzakuthi laph' egwetshwa,
Umyekel' alahlwe,
Ukuthi won' umthandazo
Wakh' ube yisono.

**8** Insuku zakhe kazibe
Mfitshane zinciphe,
Akuth' omunye athathe
Isikhundla sakhe.

**9** Akuth' abantwana bakhe
Baswele uyise,
Laye umkakhe kabe-ke
Nguy' umfelwakazi.

**10** Akuth' abantwana bakhe
Bazule lelizwe,
Bacel' ukudla bedinga
Khona enkangala.

**11** Akuthi umbolekisi
Amthathele konke,
Lezihambi zimemuke
Konk' akwenzileyo.

**12** Kakungabi lesihawu
Esisiwa kuye,
Kungabi khona uthando
Kubantwana bakhe.

**13** Kayiqunyw' inzalo yakhe
Kusizukulwana
Esizayo, kalicitshwe
Elabo ibizo.

**14** Kakukhunjulwe ububi
Boyise kw'iNkosi,
Njalo singasuswa sona
'Sono sikanina.



**17** Kodwa mina ngingumyanga
Ngingosweleyo nje,
Kodwa-ke uNkulunkulu
Uyangikhumbula.

Wena ungumsizi wami
Lomkhululi wami,
Ungaze walibala bo,
Nkulunkulu wami.

## Isihlabelelo 41

*Kumqondisi wokuhlabelela.*
*Isihlabelelo sikaDavida.*

**1** Ubusisiwe yenalo
Onanza umyanga;
INkosi izamkhulula
Kusuku lohlupho.

**2** INkos' izamlondoloza,
Imgcine ephila,
Njalo uzakubusiswa
Phezu kwaw' umhlaba.

Njalo wena kawusoze
Waze wamnikela
Kuyo intando yezitha,
Zona lez' ezakhe.

**3** Izamqinisa iNkosi
Kumbheda wenhlupho;
Uzalungis' icans' lakhe
Lonke lokugula.

**4** Ngathi: Nkos' ngihawukele,
Yelaph' umphefum'lo,
Ngoba sengonile mina
Khona phambi kwakho.

**5** Izitha zami ziyatsho
Konk' okubi ngami,
Bethi: Uzakufa nini,
Lelakhe ibizo?

**6** Lapha yena ezokungi-
bona mina, yena
Ukhuluma lona ize.
Inhliziyo yakhe

Ibuthelela ububi
Ngaphakathi kwayo,
Nxa ephuma ukhuluma
Ngakho khona lokho.

**7** Bonke abangizondayo
Bayanginyeya-ke,
Bayangenzel' amacebo
Okungilimaza.

**8** Bathi: Isifo esibi
Simnamathele mpa,
Njalo khathesi ulele,
Kasoze avuka.

**9** Yeb' umngane wami engi-
methembayo, udla
Isinkwa sam', eqapise
Isithende sakhe.

**10** Kodwa wena, Nkosi yami,
Ngihawukele m'na,
Ungiphakamise wena,
Ngibaphindisele.

**11** Ngalokho ngazi ukuthi
Wen' uyangithanda,
Ngob' isitha sami kasi-
nqobi phezu kwami.

**12** Kodwa min' uyangilonda
Kubuqotho bami,
Ungibeke ebusweni
Bakho njalo njalo.

**13** Kabusisw' uNkulunkulu
'Nkosi ka'Srayeli
Njalo ngokungapheliyo.
Amen' loAmeni.

## Isihlabelelo 42

*Kumqondisi wokuhlabelela. Masikhili, eyamadodana kaKora.*

**1** Njengendlunzele yomele
Umfula wamanzi,
Unjal' umphefum'lo wami
Womel' wena, Thixo.

**2** Umphefum'lo wam' womele
UThix' ophilayo,
Ngizakuza nini ngime
Phambi kukaThixo?

**3** Inyembezi ziyikudla
'Mini lebusuku,
Lapho babesithi kimi:
'Ngaph' iNkosi yakho?

**4** Nxa ngikhumbul' lezizinto,
Ngithulul' umoya
Wami, ngoba ngangihamba
Labo abanengi,

Ngaya labo kundlu yayo
INkosi, ngelizwi
Lokuthaba lendumiso
Labagcin' umkhosi.

**5** Udanelani kangaka,
Mphefumulo wami?
Yini na bo ungachumi
Ngaphakathi kwami?

Themba eNkosini, ngoba
Ngisezadumisa
Yona, ngenxa yal' usizo
Olobuso bayo.

**6** Nkosi yami, umphefum'lo
Wami udanile
Ngaphakathi kwami; ngakho
Ngizakukhumbula

Ngiselizweni lon' ele-
Jordane, khona le-
Hermoni, njalo ngikuyo
Intaba yeMizar'.

**7** Ziyabizana inziki
Ngamanz' ehlokoma,
Wonke won' amagagasi
Angigubuzele.

**8** Kube kant' iNkosi yona
Izawulawula
Umusa othandekayo
Way' okhon' emini,

Lasebusuku ihubo
Elayo likimi,
'Mkhuleko wam' eNkosini
Eyempilo yami



**43** Low' ohlakaniphileyo
Loqaphelis' lokhu,
Bazaqedisis' uthando
Lwayo yon' iNkosi.

## Isihlabelelo 108

*Ingoma, isihlabelelo sikaDavida.*

**1** Nkulunkulu, 'nhliziyo yam'
Imi iqinile,
Ngizahlabel' izibongo
Langodumo lwami.

**2** Vukanini, livuke bo,
Lin' hubo lechacho,
Mina ngokwami ngovuka
Ekusen' kakhulu.

**3** Ngizakubonga iNkosi
Phakathi kwabantu,
Ngizahlabelela kuwe
Phakathi kwezizwe.

**4** Ngoba isihawu sakho
Sikhulu siphezu
Kwezulu, leqinis' lakho
Lifik' emafini.

**5** Phakama, o wena Nkosi,
Phezu kwamazulu,
Lalo olwakho udumo
Phezu kwezwe lonke.

**6** Ukuze abathandwayo
Bakho bakhululwe,
Sindisa ngesandla sakho
Sokunene, ngizwa.

**7** Ikhulumile iNkosi
Isebungcweleni,
Ngokuthaba ngizalaba
Lona iShekemu.

**8** Ngolinganis' isigodi
EsaseSukothi,
IGiladi ingeyami,
Laye uManase.

UEfremu ungamandla
Awekhanda lami,
UJuda laye ngakimi
Ungumnikumthetho.

**9** IMowabi ingumganu
Wokugezela m'na,
Ngolahl' inyathela lami
Phezu kweEdoma.

**10** Ngizanqob' iFilistiya.
Nguban' ozangisa
Kumuzi oqinileyo?
Ngisiw' eEdoma?

**11** Kungebe nguwe Nkosi na
Obusilahlile?
Obengasahambi lawo
Amabutho ethu?

**12** Siphe-ke wena uncedo
Ekuhluphekeni,
Ngoba olomuntu lona
Uncedo luyize.

**13** NgoNkulunkulu sonqoba,
Ngoba kunguyena
Ozazigxobela phansi
Ezethu izitha.

**28** Basebekhal' eNkosini
Besenhluphekweni,
Yase ibakhupha yona
Ezinhluphekweni.

**29** Wenz' isiphepho sichume,
Ukuze kuthi-ke
Won' amagagasi aso
Aze aphele du.

**30** Ngakho-ke kabajabule,
Ngoba sebethule,
Wabaletha ethekwini
'Lesifiso sabo.

**31** Abantu kabadumise
INkos' ngokulunga
Kwayo lezimangaliso
'Bantwanen' babantu!

**32** Akuth' bayiphakamise
Kubandla labantu,
Bayidumis' kumhlangano
Wabo abadala.

**33** Iyayenza imifula
Ibe yinkangala,
Lemithombo ibe njenge-
lizw' elomileyo.

**34** Izwe elivundileyo
Libe ligwadule
Ngobubi babantu balo
Abahlala khona.

**35** Iyayenza yon' inhlane
Ibe yiziziba,
Lomhlaba owomileyo
Im'thombo yamanzi.

**36** Khonapho-ke ihlalisa
Abalambileyo,
Ukuze bawulungise
Um'zi wokuhlala.

**37** Bahlanyela amasimu
Njalo lezivini,
Okuthelay' izithelo
Zona ezinengi.

**38** Iyababusisa yona,
Ukuze bande-ke,
Kayivum' inkomo zabo
Ukuthi zinciphe.

**39** Babuye banciphe bona,
Njalo bathotshiswe
Ngokubandezelwa kwabo
Lohlupho losizi.

**40** Ithela ihlazo phezu
Kwaw' amakhosana,
Iwenz' azule enhlane
Okungelandlela.

**41** Iphakamis' osweleyo
Kulo lon' uhlupho,
Iyenza zona insapho
Zibe njengomhlambi.

**42** 'Balungileyo bobona
Njalo bathokoze,
Okubi konke kovala
Won' umlomo wakho.



**9** Ngizakuthi eNkosini:
Wena dwala lami!
Kubangelwa yini na bo
Ungikhohlwe mina?

Yini na mina ngihamba
Ngingolilayo nje
Ngenxa yembandezelo-ke
Eyesitha sami?

**10** Sankemba kumathamb' ami,
'Zitha zangihlaza,
Bathi kimi nsuku zonke:
'Ngaph' uMlimu wakho?

**11** Udanelani kangaka,
Mphefumulo wami?
Yini na bo ungachumi
Ngaphakathi kwami?

Themba eNkosini, ngoba
Ngisezadumisa
Yon', ukusila kobuso
Bam' leNkosi yami.

## Isihlabelelo 43

**1** Ngahlulele mina, Nkosi,
Uyimel' indaba
Yami, laso isizwe-ke
Esingalunganga.

Kawungikhulule mina
Kuy' eyenkohliso
Njalo lakuyo indoda
Yon' engalunganga.

**2** Ngoba uyiNkosi yawo
Awami amandla,
Kungani na ungilahla
Khonale kude na?

Kungani na mina mpela
Ngihamba ngikhala
Ngenxa yembandezelo ye-
sitha sami sona?

**3** Thumel' ukukhanya kwakho,
Leqiniso lakho,
Kungikhokhele, kungise
Entabeni yakho.

Entabeni yakh' engcwele
Lezindlini zakho.
Khona ngoya elathini
LikaNkulunkulu,

**4** KuNkulunkul' wenjabulo
Yami enkulu-ke.
Ngizakudumis' ngechacho,
Thixo, Nkosi yami.

**5** Udanelani kangaka,
Mphefumulo wami?
Yini na bo ungachumi
Ngaphakathi kwami?

Themba eNkosini, ngoba
Ngisezadumisa
Yon', ukusila kobuso
Bam', leNkosi yami.

## Isihlabelelo 44

*Kumqondisi wokuhlabelela, esamadodana kaKora, Masikhili.*

**1** Sizwile ngendlebe zethu,
O Nkosi, obaba
Basitshela umsebenzi
Wakho wasendulo.

**2** Waxotsha ngesandla sakho
Izizwe, kodwa-ke
Wabamisa, wazihlupha,
Wazilahla zona.

**3** Kabazuzanga ilizwe
Ngeyabo inkemba,
Njalo leyabo ingalo
Ayibasizanga.

Kwenziwa yingalo yakho,
Lesandla sok'nene,
Lok'khanya kobuso bakho,
Ngob' ubathandile.

**4** Uyinkosi yami wena,
O Nkosi, lawula
Zona izinkululeko
EzikaJakobe.

**5** Ngawe sawisa izitha,
Ngelakho ibizo
Sobanyathelela phansi
'Basivukelayo.

**6** Ngoba angiyikuthemba
Idandili lami,
Futhi leyami inkemba
Kayingisindisi.

**7** Kodwa usisindisile
Ezitheni zethu,
Ubayangisile bona
Abasizondayo.

**8** Sizazincoma ngeNkosi
Kulo lonk' usuku,
Silidumise ibizo
Lakho njalo njalo.

**9** Kodwa ususilahlile,
Saba lamahloni,
Njalo kawuphumanga-ke
Lamabutho ethu.

**10** Usenzile sahlehlela
Ezethu izitha,
Labo abasizondayo
Bayaziphangela.

**11** Ususinikele njenge-
zimvu zokudliwa,
Wasihlakaza phakathi
Kwabo abezizwe.

**12** Uthengisile abantu
Bakho ngalo ize,
Kayande inotho yakho
Ngentengiso yabo.

**13** Usenze saba lihlazo
Kub' abakhelwane,
Seyiswa siyinhlekisa
Kwesihlezi labo.

**14** Ususenze inhlekisa
Kubo abezizwe,
Ukunikin' kwamakhanda
Phakathi kwabantu.



**12** Wehlis' inhliziyo zabo
Ngabo ubunzima,
Baze bawa phansi bona,
Engekh' osizayo.

**13** Basebekhal' eNkosini
Besenhluphekweni,
Yase ibasindisa-ke
Kuzinhlupho zabo.

**14** Yabakhupha emnyameni
Lethunzin' lokufa,
Izibopho zabo bona
Yazephulaphula.

**15** Abantu kabadumise
INkos' ngokulunga
Kwayo lezimangaliso
'Bantwanen' babantu!

**16** Ngoba wephulile zona
'Zivalo zethusi,
Wayiquma imigoqo
Eyayo insimbi.

**17** Izithutha ngenxa yazo
Zon' iziphambeko,
Labo bon' ububi babo
Ziyahlupheka bo.

**18** Umphefumulo owabo
Uzonda ukudla,
Sebesondelele wona
'Masango okufa.

**19** Basebekhal' eNkosini
Besenhluphekweni,
Yase ibasindisa-ke
Kuzinhlupho zabo.

**20** Yathumela izwi layo,
Yasibasilisa,
Njalo yasibakhulula
Ekubhujisweni.

**21** Abantu kabadumise
INkos' ngokulunga
Kwayo lezimangaliso
'Bantwanen' babantu!

**22** Kabanikel' im'nikelo
Yon' eyokubonga,
Batshumayel' im'sebenzi
Yayo ngenjabulo.

**23** Bon' abehlela olwandle,
Bahamba ngem'khumbi,
Besenza imisebenzi
Kwamaneng' amanzi.

**24** Babona imisebenzi
EyeNkosi lazo
Izimangaliso zayo
Khona enzikini.

**25** Ngokuba utsho, kuvuke
Sona isiphepho,
Siwaqubule wona-ke
Amagagas' alo.

**26** Benyukela ezulwini,
Babuyele phansi,
'Mphefum'lo uncibilike
Ngenxa yenkathazo.

**27** Badengezela bezula
Njengas' isidakwa,
Ukuhlakanipha kwabo
Sekubaphelele.

**47** Sisindise, Nkosi, wena
Nkulunkulu wethu,
Njalo sibutha phakathi
Kwazo zon' izizwe,

Ukuze sibong' ibizo
Lakho elingcwele,
Njalo ukuze sinqobe
Ngendumiso yakho.

**48** Kayibusiswe iNkosi
UNkulunkulu ka-
Israyeli kusukela
Emaphakadeni

Kusiya kwelinye lona
Iphakade, kathi
Bonk' abantu bathi: Amen'.
Dumisan' iNkosi.

## Isihlabelelo 107

**1** Bonganini-ke iNkosi,
Ngoba ilungile,
Ngokuba umusa wayo
Uhlezi phakade.

**2** Kabatsho-ke abahlengwa
Bayo yon' iNkosi,
Labo bona abahlengwa
Kusandla sesitha.

**3** Wababutha emazweni
Kwelempumalanga,
'Ntshonalanga, lenyakatho,
Laseningizimu.

**4** Bazulazula enhlane,
Bebodw' endleleni,
Umuzi owokuhlala
Abawutholanga.

**5** Bona-ke babelambile
Njalo-ke bomile,
Imiphefumulo yabo
Yaphela amandla.

**6** Basebekhal' eNkosini
Besenhluphekweni,
Yase ibakhulula-ke
Kuzinhlupho zabo.

**7** Yabakhokhela ngendlela
Yon' elungileyo,
Ukuze bayefika-ke
Emzin' wokuhlala.

**8** Abantu kabadumise
INkos' ngokulunga
Kwayo lezimangaliso
'Bantwanen' babantu!

**9** Ngob' usuthis' ukufisa
Kwawo umphefum'lo,
Agcwalis' olambileyo
Ngokulungileyo.

**10** Abahlez' ebunyameni,
'Thunzini lokufa,
Babotshiwe zinhlupheko
Lazo izinsimbi.

**11** Ngoba bona bavukela
Amazwi kaThixo,
Badela icebo lakhe
Yen' oPhezukonke.



**15** Ukudideka kwami-ke
Kuphambi kwam', njalo
Lenhloni zobuso bami
Zingigubuzele.

**16** Ilizwi longigconayo
Lelongithukayo,
Kungenxa yaso isitha
Lay umphindiseli.

**17** Konke lokhu kusehlele,
Kant' asikukhohlwa,
Kasenzang' amanga kuso
Isivumelwano.

**18** Inhliziyo yethu kayi-
buyelanga em'va,
Lenyawo kazitshiyanga
Eyakho indlela.

**19** Lanxa usephule kabu-
hlungu endaweni
Yodrago, sagutshuzelwa
Ngethunzi lokufa.

**20** Uba sikhohliw' ibizo
LikaNkulunkulu
Wethu, selulel' izandla
Komunye umlimu,

**21** Kayikukudinga yini
UNkulunkulu na?
Ngoba wazi izimfihlo
Zayo inhliziyo.

**22** Ye ngenxa yakho sibulaw'
Lon' usuku lonke,
Siyabalwa njengezimvu
Zon' ezokuhlatshwa.

**23** Vuka ulalelani na,
Wena-ke o Nkosi?
Vuka, akungasilahli
Kuze kube nini.

**24** Ngani ufihla ubuso
Obakho, ukhohlwa
Zona inhlupheko zethu
Lay' imbandezelo?

**25** Ngoba umphefum'lo wethu
Usukhothamele
Othulin', isisu sethu
S'namathel' othulin'.

**26** Sukuma-ke usisize,
Njalo usihlenge
Thina, ngenxa yas' esakho
Sona isihawu.

## Isihlabelelo 45

*Kumqondisi wokuhlabelela, ngeShoshanimi, esamadodana kaKora, Masikili, ingoma yothando.*

**1** 'Nhliziyo yam' iphuphuma
Ngay' indaba enhle;
Ngiyakhuluma ngehubo
Engilenzileyo,

Elithinta yon' iNkosi;
Ulimi lwami lu-
lusiba lakhe umbhali
Ongophangisayo.

**2** Umuhle kulabantwana
Ababantu bona,
Umusa utheliwe nje
Emlonyeni wakho,

Ngakho-ke uNkulunkulu
Ukubusisile
Wena ngokungapheliyo
Kube njalo njalo.

**3** Bophela inkemba yakho
Emlenzeni wakho,
O Somandla, ngal' udumo
Lobukhosi bakho.

**4** Ebukhosini obakho
Hamb' uphumelele
Ngenxa yeqiniso loku-
chuma lokulunga.

Njalo isandla esakho
Sokunene mpela
Sizakufundis' izinto
Ezesabekayo.

**5** 'Mitshoko yakh' ibukhali
Kunhliziyo yazo
Izitha zayo iNkosi,
Laph' unqob' abantu.

**6** Isihlalo sakho, Nkosi,
Simi njalo njalo,
Intonga yombuso wakho
Ngeyakh' ukulunga.

**7** Uthandile ukulunga,
Wazonda ububi,
Ngakho-ke iNkosi, yona
INkosi eyakho,

Ikugcobe ngamafutha
Awokuthokoza
Ngokungaphezulu kwabo
Abangane bakho.

**8** Izembatho zakho zonke
Ziqholwe ngephunga
Lemure lenhlaba layo
Ikhasiya lelo.

Kuzigodlo ezempondo
Zezindlovu, lapho
Bakwenzile wathokoza
Okwempela lapho.

**9** Amakhosazana lawo
Ayekhona lapho
Kumakhosikazi phela
Awayo iNkosi.

Ngakwesokunene sakho
Kum' indlovukazi
Ilembathil' igolide
ElaseOfiri.

**10** Lalela njal' ukhumbule,
Ndodakazi, uzwe,
Ubakhohlwe labakwenu
Labendlu kayihlo.

**11** Khon' iNkosi yofisa bhe
Obakho ubuhle,
Ngoba iyiNkosi yakho,
Wena khonza yona.

**12** Intombi yeTire yoba
Lapho ilezipho,
Lezinothi ebantwini
Zafis' ukuthandwa.



**32** Baphinda ukumzondisa
Kumanz' eMeriba,
Kwaba kubi kuMozisi
Ngenxa yabo bona.

**33** Ngoba bacunula lowo
Umoya owakhe,
Wakhuluma ngamawala
Ngezakhe indebe.

**34** Kabaziqedanga zona
Zonke lezizizwe
Abalaya ngazo yena
UNkulunkulu bo.

**35** Kodwa bona bahlangana
Lab' abahedeni,
Eyabo imisebenzi
Baze bayifunda.

**36** Bazikhonza izithombe
Zona-ke ezabo,
Zona zaphenduka zaba
Ngumjibila kibo.

**37** Banikela umhlatshelo
Wamadodan' abo,
Lamadodakazi abo
Kubomoy' ababi.

**38** Igaz' elingelacala
'Lamadodan' abo
Lamadodakazi abo
Balichithachitha,

Abanikel' ngawo kuzo
Izithombe zona
EzeKhanani, lelizwe
Langcola ngegazi.

**39** Njalo bangcoliswa bona
Ngem'sebenzi yabo,
Bona-ke basebephinga
Ngezabo izenzo.

**40** Ngakho lwavutha ulaka
LweNkos' kubant' bayo,
Yaze yalizondela-ke
Elayo ilifa.

**41** Yabanikel' esandleni
Esabahedeni,
Labo ababazondayo
Bababusa bona.

**42** Zabahlupha zon' ezabo
Izitha zanqoba,
Baze bona babaphansi
Kwezabo izandla.

**43** Yabakhulula kanengi,
Kodwa bayiqala
Ngawo awab' amacebo,
Behliswa yibubi.

**44** Kodwa mhlana belusizi
Yabananzelela,
Lapho yona yasisizwa
Ukukhala kwabo.

**45** Yasikhumbula esayo
Isivumelwano,
Yazisola ngaw' umusa
Wayo won' omkhulu.

**46** Yakwenza ukuze bona
Babahawukele,
Bona ababathumbayo
Babe law' umusa.

**18** Kuxuku labo kwavutha
Umlil' otshisayo,
Ilangabi labatshisa
Abaxhwalileyo.

**19** Balenza lona ithole
Khona eHorebe,
Bakhulek' esithombeni
Esibunjiweyo.

**20** Ngokunjalo baphendula
'Dumo lwabo lwaba
Yisifaniso senkabi
Yon' edla utshani.

**21** Bakhohlwa uNkulunkulu,
Umsindisi wabo,
Owenz' izimangaliso
Khona eGibithe,

**22** Izimangalis' ezweni
Lon' elikaHamu,
Khona okwesabekayo
OLwandl' oluBomvu.

**23** Ngakho-ke wathi uzaba-
chithachitha bona,
Alub' uMozisi, yena
Umkhethwa-ke wakhe,

Engamanga phambi kwakhe
Khon' ekufohleni
Ukuthint' ulaka lwakhe,
Hlez' ababhubhise.

**24** Yebo badelel' ilizwe
Lona-ke elihle,
Abazange balikholwe
Elakhe ilizwi.

**25** Kodwa basebekhonona
Emadumben' abo,
Abalalelanga izwi
Layo iNkosi bo.

**26** Ngakho esakhe isandla
Wasiphakamisa
Ukuze yen' abawise
Phansi besenhlane.

**27** Ukuyichitha inzalo
Yabo ezizweni,
Njalo-ke ayihlakaze
Khona emazweni.

**28** Bazihlanganisa bona
LoBali-Peyori,
Badla okwahlatshelwayo
Bon' abafileyo.

**29** Basebemthukuthelisa
Ngezabo izenzo,
Lobhubhane wafohlela
Khona phezu kwabo.

**30** Wema-ke uFinehasi,
Wenza isigwebo,
Ngalokho-ke ubhubhane
Wasemiswa lapho.

**31** Lokho kwabalelwa yena
Ukulunga kuzo
Zonke izizukulwana
Kube nininini.



**13** Indodakazi yeNkosi
Iyakhazimula
Ngaphakathi, izingubo
Zingezegolide.

**14** Izalethwa eNkosini
Ifak' izembatho
Ezicecisiweyo-ke
Ngayo inalithi.

Intombi labosowabo
Abamlandelayo
Bona bazalethwa kuwe
Khona phambi kwakho.

**15** Ngenjabulo lentokozo
Bazalethwa bona,
Bazangen' esigodlweni
EseNkosi sona.

**16** Esikhundlen' saboyihlo
Kuzab' abantwana,
Ongabenz' amakhosana
Emhlabeni wonke.

**17** Ngizakwenza ukhunjulwe
Kuzizukulwana,
Ngakho abantu bazaku-
bonga njalo njalo.

## Isihlabelelo 46

*Kumqondisi wokuhlabelela, esamadodana kaKora, ingoma ngeAlamothi.*

**1** INkosi yinqaba yethu,
Lawethu amandla,
Ingumsizi ngesikhathi
Esezinhlupheko.

**2** Ngakho asiyikwesaba
'Ngaz' usuk' umhlaba,
Lob' intaba zithwalelwa
Phakathi kolwandle.

**3** Lob' amanzi ehlokoma
Ngokukhathazeka,
Lob' intaba zinyikinywa
Ngokukhukhumala.

**4** Kulomfula lezifula
Ezithabis' um'zi
WeNkos', idumb' elingcwele
Lakh' oPhezukonke.

**5** INkos' iphakathi kwawo,
Kawunyikinyeki,
Ngesikhath' es'faneleyo
Nkos' izawusiza.

**6** Izizwe zaxokozela,
Yadilik' im'buso,
Yaphumisa izwi layo,
Lancibilik' izwe.

**7** INkosi eyamabandla
Ilathi yona bo,
'Nkulunkulu kaJakobe
Uyinqaba yethu.

**8** Wozani libone imi-
sebenzi yeNkosi,
Incithakalo ezenze
Phakathi komhlaba.

**9** Wenza izimpi ziphele
Kuwo wonk' umhlaba,
Wephul' umtshoko lomkhonto,
Atshise inqola.

**10** Thulani lazi ukuthi
NginguNkulunkulu,
Ngiphakanyisw' ezizweni
Lakuwo umhlaba.

**11** INkosi eyamabandla
Ilathi yona bo,
'Nkulunkulu kaJakobe
Uyinqaba yethu.

## Isihlabelelo 47

*Kumqondisi wokuhlabelela.*
*Isihlabelelo samadodana kaKora.*

**1** Qakezani, lina bantu,
Limemezele-ke
KuNkulunkulu ngelizwi
Lakho ukunqoba.

**2** UJehov' uphezu konke,
Yen' uyesabeka,
UyiNkos' enkulu phezu
Kwaw' umhlaba wonke.

**3** Uzabanqoba abantu
Bonke phansi kwethu,
Lezizwe zibe ngaphansi
Kwezinyawo zethu.

**4** Uzasikhethela yena
Elethu ilifa,
Ubuhle bukaJakobe
Yena amthandayo.

**5** UNkulunkulu wenyuke
Ngokumemezela,
INkosi, ngakh' ukukhala
Okwalo uphondo.

**6** Hlabelela kuy' uThixo
Izibongo zakhe,
Lidumis' iNkosi yethu
Ngezibongo zayo.

**7** Ngob' uThixo uyiNkosi
Emhlabeni wonke,
Hlabelelan' izibongo
Ngokuqedisisa.

**8** UNkulunkulu ubusa
Phezulu kwezizwe,
Uhlezi esihlalweni
Sobungcwele bakhe.

**9** Amakhosana abantu
Wona ahlangene
Labantu bayo iNkosi
EkaAbrahama.

Ngoba amahaw' omhlaba
NgakaNkulunkulu,
Yena-ke uNkulunkulu
Uphakanyisiwe.



**4** Ngikhumbule lami, Nkosi,
Ngal' uthando lwakho
Olwabantu bakho, woza
Losindiso lwakho.

**5** Ukuze ngibon' ubuhle
Babakhethwa bakho,
Ukuze-ke ngithokoze
Ngingothabileyo

Phakathi kwesizwe sakho,
Khona ngidumisa
Ndawonye lalo elakho
Lona lelolifa.

**6** Thina sonile kakhulu
Labobaba bethu,
Sikwenzile khon' okubi,
Senze ngenkohliso.

**7** Bona-ke obaba bethu
Kabezwanga zona
Izimangaliso zakho
Khona eGibithe.

Abakhumbulang' imvamo
Yesihawu sakho,
Kodwa bamcunula khona
ELwandl' oluBomvu.

**8** Kodwa wasebasindisa
Ngenxa yebizo lakh',
Ukuze wona amandla
Akhe azwakale.

**9** Wakhuz' uLwandl' oluBomvu,
Kwatsh' amanzi wonke,
Wabahambis' enzikini
Njengasemangweni.

**10** Wabasindis' esandleni
Sabazondi babo,
Wabahlenga esandleni
Sezabo izitha.

**11** Amanzi agubuzela
Ezabo izitha,
Kakuzange kube khona
Loyedw' oseleyo.

**12** Ngakho-ke basebekholwa
Emazwini akhe,
Bahlabelela ingoma
Lezibongo zakhe.

**13** Masinyane bayikhohlwa
Im'sebenzi yakhe,
Kabazange balindele
'Sakh' iseluleko.

**14** Kodwa-ke babekhanuka
Kakhulu enhlane,
Bamlinga uNkulunkulu
Khona enkangala.

**15** Wabanika isicelo
Sabo, kodwa yena
Wayicakisa eyabo
Imiphefumulo.

**16** Bakhwelezel' uMozisi
Besemadumbeni,
Lay' uAroni ongcwele
Engoway' iNkosi.

**17** Waqhekezeka umhlaba,
Wamginy' uDathani,
Waligqibela ixuku
LikaAbiramu.

**34** Wakhuluma, ye kwavela
Zona izintethe,
Lamacimbi amanengi
Angeke abalwe.

**35** Kwadla yonke imibhida
Elizweni labo,
Kwadla zonke izithelo
Zehlabathi labo.

**36** Watshaya amazibulo
Wonke ezwe labo,
Ingqabutho yamandl' abo
Elizweni labo.

**37** Wabakhupha lesiliva
Legolide, njalo
Kwakungekho isicubu
Ezizweni zabo.

**38** IGibhithe yathokoza
Ngokuhamba kwabo,
Ngoba yatshaywa luvalo
Ngalabo abantu.

**39** Wendlala lona iyezi,
Labagubuzela,
Lomlilo ngasebusuku
Wabakhanyisela.

**40** Bacela, wabalethela
Zona izagwaca,
Wabasuthisa ngesinkwa
Esasezulwini.

**41** Waqhekeza lon' idwala,
Kwampompoz' amanzi,
Ageleza ekomeni,
Kwaba njengomfula.

**42** Wakhumbul' isithembiso
Sakhe esingcwele,
Laye yen' uAbrahama
Eyakhe inceku.

**43** Wabaphumisa abantu
Bakhe ngenjabulo,
Abakhethiweyo bakhe
Ngakh' ukuthokoza.

**44** Wabapha amazwe lawo
Angawabezizwe,
Badla ilifa labantu
Lomsebenzi wabo.

**45** Ukuze balondoloze
Izahlulo zakhe,
Balond' imithetho yakhe.
Dumisan' iNkosi.

## Isihlabelelo 106

**1** Dumisan' iNkosi, liphe
Izibongo kuyo
INkosi, ngob' ilungile,
'Sihaw' simi njalo.

**2** Ngubani ongakhuluma
Izenzo zeNkosi?
Nguban' ongatshumayela
Izibongo zayo?

**3** Babusisiw' abagcina
Ukwahlulela bo,
Lowenz' okulungileyo
Ngezikhathi zonke.



## Isihlabelelo 48

*Ingoma, isihlabelelo samadodana kaKora.*

**1** Mkhul' uJehova, kabongwe
Kakhulu emzini
WeNkosi yethu, intaba
Yobungcwele bayo.

**2** Imi kuhl' intab' iZiyon',
Yintokoz' yomhlaba,
Um' enyakatho umuzi
WeNkosi enkulu.

**3** UNkulunkulu ukhona,
Uyaziwa ngakho,
Ezigodlweni ezawo,
Uyinqaba yazo.

**4** Ngoba khangel' amakhosi
Ayebuthene nje,
Adlule khon' eceleni
Ehamba ndawonye.

**5** Bakubona, bamangala,
Babehluphekile,
Baphangisa, babaleka,
Baya khatshana le.

**6** Bafikelwa yikwesaba
Lapho, lobuhlungu
Njengabo bon' ubuhlungu
Bomfaz' ehelelwa.

**7** Imikolo yeThashishi
Uyayiphahlaza
Langawo wona umoya
Wasempumalanga.

**8** Njengalokhu sesizwile
Njalo sibonile
Emzini wayo iNkosi
Yawo amabandla.

Emzini kaNkulunkulu,
Yena ongowethu,
UThixo uzawumisa
Wona kokuphela.

**9** Siwukhumbule umusa
Wona ongowakho,
O Nkosi, phakathi kwalo
Ithempeli lakho.

**10** Njengalo ibizo lakho,
Wena Nkulunkulu,
Ngokunjalo ukubongwa
Okwakho, impela,

Kuze kub' sekucineni
Okwawo umhlaba;
'Sandla sakho sokunene
Sigcwel' ukulunga.

**11** Kayithabe iZiyoni,
Lamantombazana
AkwaJuda kawathabe
Ngezigwebo zakho.

**12** Hambahamba eZiyoni,
Njalo hamb' ubhode,
Ubale imiphotshongo
Yawo ekhonapho.

**13** Cingisisan' im'thangala,
Libon' izigodlo,
Lize litshel' ezizayo
Izizukulwana.

**14** Ngob' uThixo lo nguThixo
Wethu laphakade,
Uzasikhokhela yena
Kube sekufeni.

## Isihlabelelo 49

*Kumqondisi wokuhlabelelela.*
*Isihlabelelo samadodana kaKora.*

**1** Yizwanini lokhu, lonke
Bantu, lalelani
Lonke lin' abakhileyo
Emhlabeni wonke.

**2** Lani-ke bantukazana,
Lani-ke zikhulu,
Lezinothi labayanga,
Lonke kanye kanye.

**3** Ngomlomo ngizakhuluma
Ukuhlakanipha,
Uzindlo lwenhliziyo yam'
Ngolok'qedisisa.

**4** Ngizabek' indlebe yami
Kumizekeliso,
Ngizavula amalibho
Ami echachweni.

**5** Ngakho ngizakwesabani
Ngensuku zobubi,
Laph' izono zezitha zam'
Sezingihanqile?

**6** Bon' abathemba inotho
Lay' imfuyo yabo,
Bezibula ngobunengi
Bay' inotho yabo,

**7** Akukho loyedwa wabo
Ongenza ukuthi
Ahlenge yen' umfowabo,
Kumbe anikele

KuNkulunkulu wona-ke
Umnikelo waso
Isikhulululo esakhe
Yena umfowabo.

**8** Ngob' uhlengo lomphefum'lo
Wabo luligugu,
Futhi lungeme phakade
Ngokungapheliyo.

**9** Ngoba kufanel' aphile
Njal' ephakadeni,
Ukuze angakuboni
Yena ukubola.

**10** Ngoba uyabon' abantu
'Bahlakaniphile
Besifa, ngokunjalo-ke
Lazo izithutha,

Njalo-ke laye umuntu
Osiphukuphuku;
Batshiya kubo abanye
Eyabo inotho.

**11** Umkhumbulo wabo bona
Owangaphakathi
Uth': Izindlu zabo ziza-
hlala kokuphela,



**19** Kwaze kwafik' isikhathi
Sokuza kwelizwi
Layo, ilizwi leNkosi
Lamlinga yena bo.

**20** Inkosi yathumel' izwi
Ukub' akhululwe,
Yena umbusi wabantu
Wahle wamkhulula.

**21** Yamenza waba yinduna
Yendlu engeyayo,
Abuse imfuyo yayo
Yonke okwempela.

**22** Ukuboph' amakhosana
Ngokuthanda kwakhe,
Afundise izikhulu
Zay' inhlakanipho.

**23** UIsrayel' eGibithe
Laye wayafika,
LoJakobe wayahlala
Ezweni leHamu.

**24** Wandisa abantu bakhe,
Wabenzel' amandla
Amakhulu kulalawo
Awezitha zabo.

**25** Waziphendul' inhliziyo
Ukuze zizonde
Abantu bakhe, ziqile
Izinceku zakhe.

**26** Wathuma yen' uMozisi
Oyinceku yakhe,
Lay' uAroni onguye
Amukhethileyo.

**27** Bababonis' izimanga
Lemibono yakhe
Ebantwini lezimanga
Ezweni leHamu.

**28** Wabuthuma ubunyama,
Wenza kwaba mnyama,
Njalo kabavukelanga
Elakhe ilizwi.

**29** Wawaphendula amanzi
Aba yil' igazi,
Waze wabulala zonke
Izinhlanzi zabo.

**30** Ilizwe labo lagcwala
Ngawo amaxoxo,
Agcwala lasezindlini
Zaw' amakhos' abo.

**31** Wakhuluma-ke, kwavela
'Mtshitshi wempukane
Lezintwala kulo lonke
Kwelabo ilizwe.

**32** Wabanisel' isiqhotho
Saba lizulu-ke,
Lawo umlil' ovuthayo
Kwelabo ilizwe.

**33** Watshay' amasimu abo
Lemikhiwa yabo,
Waze wephul' izihlahla
Zelabo ilizwe.

**3** Lizikhulise ngebizo
Layo elingcwele,
Lijabulis' inhliziyo
Yabading' iNkosi.

**4** Dingani uNkulunkulu
Law' amandla akhe,
Lidinge ubuso bakhe
Kube njalo njalo.

**5** Khumbulan' imisebenzi
Yakh' eyisimanga,
Izimanga lezahlulo
Ezomlomo wakhe.

**6** Lina nzalo kaAbraham',
Isisebenz' sakhe,
Bantwana bakaJakobe
Abakhethwa bakhe.

**7** Yena uyiNkosi yethu,
'Nkulunkulu wethu,
Izahlulelo zakhe zi-
semhlabeni wonke.

**8** Wokhumbul' uvumelwano
Lwakhe kokuphela
Alulay' kunkulungwane
Zezizukulwana.

**9** 'Sivumelwano asenza
Laye uAbraham',
Lesifungo asifunga
Kuye uIsaka.

**10** Saqiniswa kuJakobe,
Sangumlayo kuye
Ku'Srayel', esaphakade
Isivumelwano.

**11** Esithi: Ngizakunika
Izwe leKhanani
Libe ngelakho ilifa
Lesabelo sakho.

**12** Lapho babe balutshwana
Abantu bakhona,
Yebo babe balutshwana
Abahamba kilo.

**13** Basuk' isizwe lesinye
Imhlotshana yonke,
Lemibuso ngemibuso
Lakwabany' abantu.

**14** Kavumanga ukoniwa
Kwenziwe ngumuntu
Kibo, yebo wawasola
Amakhosi ngabo.

**15** Wathi: Lingabobathinta
Engibagcobile
Abami, lingoni labo
'Baprofethi bami.

**16** Wehlisela yon' indlala
Elizweni lonke,
Wephula yona insika
Yempil' eyisinkwa.

**17** Wathumela phambi kwabo
Umunt', uJosefa
Owathengiswayo khona
Abe yisigqili.

**18** Bamlimaza izinyawo
Zakhe ngezibopho,
Bambopha ngamaketane
Wona awensimbi.



Lemizi yabo yohlala
Kub' ephakadeni;
Babiza amazwe abo
Ngamabizo abo.

**12** Loba umunt' edumile,
Kalakh' ukuhlala
Yena, njalo uyabhubha
Njengenyamazana.

**13** Yona le indlela yabo
'Yibuthutha babo,
'Nzalo yabo isekela
Khon' ukutsho kwabo.

**14** Njengezimvu belaliswe
Engcwabeni, njalo
Ukufa kuzakubadla.
Kanti abaqotho

Ekuseni bobabusa;
Ubuhle babo bo
Buphelela engcwabeni
Endaweni yabo.

**15** INkosi izakuhlenga
Umphefum'lo wami
Emandlen' alo ingcwaba;
Uzangemukela.

**16** Ungesabi wena uba
Omunye enotha,
Laph' udumo lwendlu yakhe
Lusengezelelwa.

**17** Ngoba lapho yen' esifa
Kakuthwala lutho,
Olwakhe udumo kalu-
soze lwehla laye.

**18** Lanxa lapho esaphila
Wathi yena wawu-
busisa umphefumulo
Lowo-ke owakhe.

Bona bazakudumisa
Nxa wena usenza
Khona okulungileyo
Ukwenza kuwe bo.

**19** Woy' esizukulwaneni
Esabo oyise,
Abasoze bakubone
Khona ukukhanya.

**20** Umuntu odumileyo
Engaqedisisi
Unjengezinyamazana
Zon' ezibhubhayo.

## Isihlabelelo 50

*Isihlabelelo sikaAsafi.*

**1** UNkulunkul' olamandla,
Yena-ke iNkosi,
Yena usekhulumile;
Ubizil' umhlaba

Kusukel' ekuphumeni
Kwalo lon' ilanga
Kusiya kukh' ukutshona,
Ukutshona kwalo.

**2** Kuphuma khon' eZiyoni,
Okupheleleyo,
Ebuhlen' uNkulunkulu
Usekhanyile nje.

**3** UThixo weth' uzakuza,
Akayikuthula,
Koba lomlilo odlayo
Khona phambi kwakho.

Zona iziphepho lezo
Ezinkulukazi
Zizakuba khona kuye
Emacelen' wonke.

**4** Uzabiza amazulu
Ephezulu kwawo,
Lezwen', ukuze agwebe
Abantu bakhe bo.

**5** Abacolekileyo bam'
Babuthele kimi,
Labo abavumelene
Lami ngomhlatshelo.

**6** Amazul' otshumayela
Ukulunga kwakhe,
Ngokuba uNkulunkulu
Unguye umgwebi.

**7** Zwanini bo, bantu bami,
Ngizakukhuluma,
Ngofakaza ngo'Srayeli:
NgiyiNkosi yakho.

**8** Angiyikusola wena
Ngem'hlatshelo yakho,
Letshiswayo ebilokhu
Ikho phambi kwami.

**9** Angiyikuthath' inkabi
Esemzini wakho,
Lempongo esibayeni
Esingesakho nje.

**10** Ngob' inyamazana zonke
Zomango ngezami,
Lenkomo ezintabeni
'Ziyinkulungwane.

**11** Ngiyazazi zonk' inyoni
Zasezintabeni,
Lezilo zona zomango
Zona zingezami.

**12** Angiyikukutshela bo
Loba ngilambile,
Ngoba umhlaba ngowami,
Lokugcwala kwawo.

**13** Inyama yazo inkunzi
Ngizakuyidla na?
Lalo igazi lembuzi
Ngizalinatha na?

**14** Nikela izibongo-ke
ENkosini yakho,
Lazo izifungo zakho
Kuy' oPhezukonke.

**15** Ungibize ngal' usuku
Olwenhlupheko nje,
Ngizakukhulula mina,
Uzakungibonga.

**16** Kodwa kwabakhohlakele
INkosi ithi nje:
Kuyini ongakwenzayo
'Kufakaz' umlayo,

Kumbe ngabe uyathatha
Isivumelwano
Sami khona-ke kuwona
Umlomo wakho bo?



**23** Umuntu-ke uyaphuma,
Azihambele nje,
Ay' emsebenzini kuze
Kube kusihlwa nje.

**24** O! Nkosi 'misebenzi yakh'
'Yandile kangaka.
Ingeyokuhlakanipha,
Ligcwel' inoth' izwe.

**25** Njalo lolwandle lukhulu,
Lapho kulezilo
Ezingebalw' ezinkulu,
Lazo ezincane.

**26** Zihamba kul' izikepe
Loleviyathani,
Owamenzela ukuthi
Adlale phakathi.

**27** Kuwe zonke zikhangele
Ukuze uziphe
Ngesikhath' esifanele
Okwazo ukudla.

**28** Uyazipha, ziyabutha;
Uvula esakho
Isandla, zigcwaliseke
Ngokulungileyo.

**29** Usitha ubuso bakho,
Ziyakhathazeka,
Usus' umoya, ziyafa,
Zibuyel' othulin'.

**30** Uthuma umoya wakho,
Zibe sezidalwa,
Ubenza butsha ubuso
Bawo won' umhlaba.

**31** Udumo lweNkosi luza-
kuma njalo njalo,
Izathokoza iNkosi
Kwim'sebenzi yayo.

**32** Ikhangela kuw' umhlaba,
Uhl' uthuthumele,
Ithinta won' amaqaqa,
Abese ethunqa.

**33** Ngizahlabel' eNkosini
Ngisengophilayo,
Ngidumis' uThixo wami
Lapho ngisekhona.

**34** Kuzaba mnandi okwami
Khon' ukumkhumbula,
Ngizakujabula kuyo
Eyami iNkosi.

**35** Kaziqedwe emhlabeni
Izoni lababi.
Bong' iNkosi, mphefum'lo wam',
Dumisan' iNkosi.

## Isihlabelelo 105

**1** O! yibongeni iNkosi,
Bizani ibizo
Layo, lazise izenzo
Zayo ebantwini.

**2** Liy'hlabelel' amahubo,
Khuluman' izenzo
Lemisebenzi eyayo
Emangalisayo.

**9** Umisile umkhawulo
'Kuze ungadlulwa,
Angabuy' agubuzele
Futhi-ke umhlaba.

**10** Uyaveza imithombo
Khon' ezihotsheni
Egelezayo phakathi
Kwawo amaqaqa.

**11** Inathis' inyamazana
Zonke ezomango,
Obabhemi bayaqeda
Ukoma okwabo.

**12** Phansi kwayo izinyoni
Ezalo izulu
Zilezindlu zazo, ziya-
hlabel' engatsheni.

**13** Uthelela amaqaqa
Esendlini yakhe,
Umhlab' usuth' ngesithelo
Sem'sebenzi yakho.

**14** Ukhulisela inkomo
Bona utshani bo,
Njalo layo imibhida
Esenzel' abantu,

Ukuze yena alethe
Khona-ke ukudla
Ukuze kuzekuphuma
Khona emhlabeni.

**15** Lalo iwayini lelo
'Lithokozisayo
Inhliziyo eyomuntu,
Njalo lamafutha

Wona awenza ubuso
Bukhanye obala,
Lesinkwa esiqinisa
'Nhliziyo yomuntu.

**16** Izihlahla zay' iNkosi
Zigcwele ukudla,
Ihlanyel' amasedari
Khon' eLebanoni.

**17** Lapho inyoni zakhela
Khona izidleke,
Indlu yengabuzane yi-
sihlahla sefiri.

**18** Won' amaqaqa amade
Zinqaba zembuzi
Zasendle, law' amadwala
Azo izimbila.

**19** Inyanga yayimisela
Zona izikhathi,
Ilanga lalo liyazi
Ukutshona kwalo.

**20** Iyenza bon' ubunyama
Bube yibusuku,
Kuphuma ngabo izilo
Zawo won' umhlaba.

**21** Zon' izilwane ezintsha
Zibonel' okwazo
Ukudla, zifun' inyama
Yaz' kuNkulunkulu.

**22** Ilanga-ke liyaphuma,
Lazo zibuyele
Emuva, ziyekulala
'Zikhundleni zazo.



**17** Ngoba uzond' imfundiso,
Ulahl' amazw' ami,
Uwalahlela ngasem'va,
Uwafulathela.

**18** Lapho ubona isela
Usulivumela,
Uhlanganyela lazo-ke
Zona izifebe.

**19** Uyanikela umlomo
Wakho ebubini,
Lolimi lwakho luyenza
Yon' inkohlakalo.

**20** Uhlezi ehleba yena
Umfowenu mpela,
Ugcona yon' indodana
Yakhe unyoko bo.

**21** Lezizinto uzenzile,
Ngaba ngothulayo,
Wakhumbul' ukuthi mina
Nginjengawe kanye.

Kodwa ngizakukukhuza,
Ngithatha konke bo,
Ngikubeke phambi kwawo
Won' amehlo akho.

**22** Nakanani lokhu lina
Elikhohlw' uMlimu,
Hlezi ngilichithe, kunga-
bikho umkhululi.

**23** Onikela izibongo
Uyangidumisa,
Njalo kuyena-ke lowo
Oqondisa yona

Ingxoxo eqondileyo,
Sengizakuthi-ke
Ngibonise usindiso
LukaNkulunkulu.

## Isihlabelelo 51

*Kumqondisi wokuhlabelela. Isihlabelelo sikaDavida. Lapho uNathani umprofethi wafika kuye esengene kuBathisheba.*

**1** Yiba lesihawu kimi,
O Nkosi, ngenxa yo-
musa wakho olothando
Olukhulukazi.

Ngokwanda okwesihawu
Sakho esesisa
Uzesule zonke zona
'Ziphambeko zami.

**2** Ngigezisise-ke mina
Eziphambekweni
Zami, ungihlanze mina
Ezonweni zami.

**3** Ngoba ngiyazivuma bo
Iziphambeko zam',
Lesono sami sikhona
Njalo phambi kwami.

**4** Kuwe wedwa, kuwe wedwa
Ngonile kakhulu,
Phambi kwaw' amehlo akho
Ngenze lob' ububi.

Ukuze uqonde wena
Lapho ukhuluma,
Uhlanzeke lapho wena
Ususahlulela.

**5** Bheka mina ngabunjelwa
Esiphambekweni,
Umama wangimithela
Kusona isono.

**6** Bheka, ufun' iqiniso
Ngaphakathi, uza-
Ngazisa inhlakanipho
Ekusithekeni.

**7** Ngigezise ngehisophe
Ngohlambululeka,
Ngigeze ngibe mhlophe nke
Ngaphezu kweliqwa.

**8** Ngizwis' injabulo layo
Intokoz', ukuze
Amathamb' owephulile
Wona-ke athabe.

**9** Fihla ubuso obakho
Ezonweni zami,
Uzesule zonke zona
Iziphambeko zam'.

**10** Dala kimi inhliziyo,
Ehlanziwe, Nkosi,
Uvuselele umoya
Oqinisileyo.

**11** Kawungangilahli kubo
Ubukhona bakho,
Njalo ungasus' uMoya
Wakh' oNgcwele kimi.

**12** Ngibuyisel' intokozo
Zosindiso lwakho,
Ungibambe ngomoya o-
khululekileyo.

**13** Ngizafundisa izoni
Izindlela zakho,
Njalo izoni zobuya
Seziphendukile.

**14** Ngihlenge kulo icala
Legazi, o Nkosi,
Nkosi yalo usindiso
Lona-ke olwami.

Ngakho olwami ulimi
Luzahlabelela
Kakhulukazi okwakho
Khona ukulunga.

**15** O Nkosi, vula indebe
Ezomlomo wami,
Ukuze ngikudumise
Ngezibongo zakho.

**16** Kawuthandi umnikelo,
Ngabe ngiyakupha,
Kaw'thokozi ngem'nikelo
Yona etshiswayo.

**17** Iminikelo yeNkosi
Ngumoy' ophukile,
Inhliziy' edabukile
Aw'yikuyidela.

**18** Yenz' okuhle ngom'sa wakho
Khona eZiyoni,
Uyakhe bo imiduli
YeJerusalema.



**19** INkosi ilungisile
Isihlalo sayo
Ezulwin', umbuso wayo
Uyabusa konke.

**20** Bongani iNkosi, lina
Zingilosi zayo,
Lina eledlulayo bo
Ngawo won' amandla,

Lina elenza eyayo
Yona imilayo,
Lilalela lon' ilizwi
Lelayo ilizwi.

**21** Yibongenini iNkosi,
Lina mabandl' ayo,
Lina ezayo inceku,
Lenz' intando yayo.

**22** Bonganini yon' iNkosi,
Lina lonke phela
Misebenzi yayo yonke,
Endaweni zonke

Kulo lonke jikelele
Elombuso wayo.
Kawuyibonge iNkosi,
Wena mphefum'lo wam'.

## Isihlabelelo 104

**1** Bong' iNkosi, mphefum'lo wam',
Nkosi Nkulunkulu
Wam', umkhulu, uhlonitshwa,
Wembath' ubukhosi.

**2** Ozigubuzele ngoku-
khanya njengengubo,
Uyelula amazulu
Njengalo ilembu.

**3** Omisa intungo zazo
Ezakho izindlu
Phakathi kwawo amanzi.
Wena owenzayo

Wona amayezi abe
Ngezakhe inqola,
Nguwe ohamba phezulu
Kwamaphik' omoya.

**4** Owenza izingilosi
Zakhe imimoya,
Lezinceku zakhe ama-
langabi omlilo.

**5** Owabek' izisekelo
Zomhlaba ukuze
Ungasuswa kuze kube
Lanini lanini.

**6** Wawugubuzela wona
Ngenziki sangubo,
Amanzi ema phezulu
Kwazo izintaba.

**7** Ngakho ukukhuza kwakho
Wona abaleka,
Ngalo izwi lokuduma
Kwakho aphangisa.

**8** Enyuka ngazo intaba,
Ehla ngezihotsha,
Ezawo ezindaweni
Omisele wona.

**5** Osuthis' umlomo wakho
Ngokulungileyo,
Buvuswe ubutsha bakho
Bufuz' obokhozi.

**6** INkosi isebenzisa
Khona ukulunga
Lesigwebo kubo bonke
Abahlutshwayo bo.

**7** Yazazisa izindlela
Zayo kuMozisi,
Lazo ezayo izenzo
Kwabako'Srayeli.

**8** INkosi ilesihawu,
Njalo ilomusa,
Iphuz' ukuthukuthela,
Yand' esihawini.

**9** Kayiyikuphikisana
Ngezikhathi zonke,
Kayigcin' intukuthelo
Kube laphakade.

**10** Kayisiphathang' njengazo
Izono ezethu,
Kayisiphindiselanga
Ngokobubi bethu.

**11** Njengokuphakam' kwezulu
Phezulu komhlaba
Sinjal' isihawu sayo
Kwabayesabayo.

**12** Njengempumalang' ihluke
Kuy' intshonalanga
Izidedisile kithi
Zonk' izono zethu.

**13** Njengoyis' ehawukela
Abantwana bakhe,
Injalo iNkosi kubo
Abayesabayo.

**14** Ngokuba iyazazela
Elethu ibumba,
Iyakhumbula ukuthi
Thina siluthuli.

**15** Umuntu, insuku zakhe
Zifana lotshani,
Zinjengeluba leganga,
Yen' uyakhahlela.

**16** Ngoba umoya udlula
Khona phezu kwalo
Ukuthi indawo yalo
Ingab' isalazi.

**17** Kodw' isihawu seNkosi
Sisuka phakade
Siye kweliny' iphakade
Phezulu kwalabo

Abayesabayo yona,
Lakho okwayo-ke
Ukulunga kubantwana
Babantwana babo.

**18** Kubo abagcin' esayo
Isivumelwano
Labakhumbula ukwenza
Eyay' imithetho.



**19** Khona-ke uzathokoza
Ngayo im'nikelo
Yokulunga, etshisiwe
Im'nikelo yonke,

Ngem'nikelo yokutshiswa.
Bazazinikela
Izinkabi kumalathi
Akho phezu kwawo.

## Isihlabelelo 52

*Kumqondisi wokuhlabelela. Masikili. EsikaDavida. Lapho uDowegi umEdoma esiza etshela uSawuli wathi kuye: UDavida ufikile endlini kaAhimeleki.*

**1** Ngani uzikhukhumeza
Ngobubi, siqhwaga?
Ukulunga kway' iNkosi
Kumi njalo njalo.

**2** Ulimi lwakho luceba
Ububi, lusenza
Inkohliso, okwensingo
Yona ebukhali.

**3** Wena uthanda ububi
Kulakho okuhle,
Lokuqamba amanga ku-
lokulungileyo.

**4** Uthanda wonke amazwi
Wona achithayo,
O, wena-ke limindini,
Ogcwel' inkohliso.

**5** 'Nkulunkul' uzakuchitha
Ngokungapheliyo,
Uzakukususa wena,
Njalo akukhuphe

Ngaphandle kwayo indawo
Yon' eyokuhlala,
Akuquphune ezweni
Labaphilileyo.

**6** Abalungileyo labo
Bazakukubona,
Njalo bazakukwesaba,
Bazakumhleka bo.

**7** Khangela lo nguy' umuntu
Ongazanga enze
UNkulunkulu-ke abe
Ngamandla awakhe.

Kodwa uthembele kubo
'Bunengi benotho,
Eziqinisa-ke kubo
Ububi obakhe.

**8** Endlin' yeNkosi ngifana
Lomhlwath' oluhlaza,
Ngithemb' is'hawu seNkosi
Kub' ephakadeni.

**9** Ngokubonga njalo njalo,
Ngoba ukwenzile,
Ngizalindel' 'bizo lakho;
Lihle kwabangcwele.

## Isihlabelelo 53

*Kumqondisi wokuhlabelela. NgeMahalathi. Masikili. EsikaDavida.*

**1** Isithutha sesitshilo
Enhliz'yweni yaso
Ukuthi akakho yena
UNkulunkulu bo.

Bonakele bona bonke,
Benze okubi nje,
Njalo akakho loyedwa
Owenz' ukulunga.

**2** INkosi isezulwini
Yakhangela phansi
Ebantwaneni babantu
Ukubon' ukuthi

Ngabe bakhona yini na
Labo bona aba-
qedisisayo njalo-ke
Bedinga iNkosi.

**3** Bonke bahlehlel' emuva,
Bangcolile bonke,
Owenz' okulungileyo
Akakho loyedwa.

**4** Kanti abenza okubi
Abalalwazi na?
Badl' abantu bami njenge-
sinkw', abathandazi.

**5** Lapho besaba kakhulu
Kungekh' ukwesaba,
'Nkosi 'hlakaz' amathambo
Abamhanqayo nje.

Wabathela izinhloni
Wena, ngokubana
UNkulunkulu usehle
Wabadelela nje.

**6** Angathi ukusindiswa
KukaIsrayeli
Bekungavelela khona
Kuyo iZiyoni!

Lapho iNkosi iletha
Abathunjwa bayo,
Uzathaba uJakobe,
Ajabul' 'Srayeli.

## Isihlabelelo 54

*Kumqondisi wokuhlabelela. NgeNeginothi. Masikili. EsikaDavida. Lapho amaZifi eza athi kuSawuli: UDavida kacatshanga yini kithi?*

**1** Ngisindise, wena Nkosi,
Ngal' ibizo lakho,
Ungahlulele-ke mina
Ngaw' amandla akho.

**2** Zwana umthandazo wami,
O Nkosi, ubeke
Indlebe yakho kuwona
'Mazw' omlomo wami.



**20** Ukuzwa ukububula
Okwas' isibotshwa,
Akhulule labo aba-
gwetshelwe ukufa.

**21** Ukubika eZiyoni
Ibizo leNkosi
Lazo izibongo zayo
EJerusalema.

**22** Nxa abantu bebuthene
Layo imibuso
Ndawonye ukuyikhonza
Yonale iNkosi.

**23** Endleleni waxegisa
Awami amandla,
Layo eyami imihla
Waseyifinyeza.

**24** Ngath': Nkosi yam'
ungangisus'
Phakath' kwensuku zam'.
Im'nyaka yakho ihlala
Kusizukulwana.

**25** Kade wasimisa isi-
sekelo somhlaba,
Lamazulu ngumsebenzi
Owezandla zakho.

**26** Kuzabhubha kodwa wena
Uzakuma njalo,
Yebo konke kuzaguga
Kuphele kuthi nya.

Kuzaguga njengengubo,
Wena wokugoqa
Kuguqule njengengubo,
Kuzaguquleka.

**27** Kodwa-ke wena uhlala
Njalo kokuphela,
Iminyaka yakho yonke
Kayisoz' iphele.

**28** Abantwana bezinceku
Zakh' bazaqhubeka,
Lenzalo yakho yomiswa
Khona phambi kwakho.

## Isihlabelelo 103

*EsikaDavida.*

**1** Bong' iNkosi, mpefum'lo
wam',
Lokukimi konke
Kakubusise ibizo
Layo elingcwele.

**2** Kawuyibonge iNkosi,
Wena mphefum'lo wam',
Ungaze wakhohlwa zonke
Izinzuzo zayo.

**3** Yena okuxolelayo
Bonk' obakh' ububi,
Yena uyelapha zonke
Ezakho izifo.

**4** Ohlenga eyakh' impilo
Encithakalweni,
Okwethes' umqhele owo-
musa lesihawu.

**4** Ngitshayelwe inhliziyo
Yabun' okotshani,
Ngaze ngakhohlwa ukudla
Esami isinkwa.

**5** Ngenxa yokulila kwami
Sekunamathele
Amathambo ami kuso
Isikhumba sami.

**6** Ngifana lewunkw' yenhlane,
Njalo ngiyafana
Lesikhova senkangala
Esami isimo.

**7** Ngayalinda mina mpela
Njengayo intaka
Ihlezi yodwa phezulu
Kwesicholo sendlu.

**8** Ngiyangiswa yizitha zam'
Izinsuku zonke,
Labahlanyayo-ke ngami
Bayangifungela.

**9** Ngoba sengidle umlotha
Njengaso isinkwa,
Ngivubile isinatho
Sami ngem'nyembezi,

**10** Ngenxa yocunuko lwakho
Lokuthukuthela;
Ungiqongise wabuya
Wangilahla phansi.

**11** Insuku zami zifana
Laso isithunzi
Esiya sinyamalala,
Ngibun' okotshani.

**12** Kanti wena, Nkulunkulu,
Wohlala phakade,
Wokhunjulwa yizo zonke
Izizukulwana.

**13** Wovuka uhawukele
Yona iZiyoni,
Ngoba kufike ithuba
Elokuyithanda.

**14** Ngoba izinceku zakho
Zithand' amatsh' ayo,
Lalo uthuli lwakhona
Lwayo iZiyoni.

**15** Ngakho amaqaba kanye
Lamakhosi ezwe,
Woyesab' inkazimulo
Yelakho ibizo.

**16** Laph' iNkosi izakwakha
Yona iZiyoni,
Yobonakala ikulo
Olwayo udumo.

**17** Wonanzelel' umthandazo
Wakhe oswelayo,
Angadelel' isicelo
Somthandazo wabo.

**18** Lokhu kuzakulotshelwa
Usend' oluzayo,
Labantu abazadalwa
Bazabong' iNkosi.

**19** Ngoba ekuyo ingqonga
Yendaw' engcwel' yakhe
Ezulwin' uNkulunkulu
Waqaza umhlaba.



**3** Bangivukel' abemzini
Lababandezeli,
Bading' umphefum'lo wami,
Bengesab' iNkosi.

**4** Khangela uNkulunkulu
Ungumsizi wami,
'Nkos' ilabo abalonda
Umphefum'lo wami.

**5** Uzabuyisel' ububi
Ezitheni zami,
Baqume baphele kulo
Iqiniso lakho.

**6** Ngizanikela ngesihle
Umhlatshelo kuwe,
Ngodumis' ibizo lakho,
Nkosi, ngoba lihle.

**7** Ungikhulule kuhlupho
Lonke, lal' ilihlo
Lami libon' isifiso
Sam' ezitheni zam'.

## Isihlabelelo 55

*Kumqondisi wokuhlabelela.*
*NgeNeginothi. Masikili.*
*EsikaDavida.*

**1** Mlimu, akubek' indlebe
Kumthandazo wami,
Ungacatshi, Mlimu wami,
Ekuceleni kwam'.

**2** Lalela ungizwe mina,
Ngiyakhala mina,
Ngisebuhlungwini futhi
Ngingobubulayo.

**3** Ngenxa yelizwi lesitha
Lohlupho lwababi,
Baletha ububi kimi,
Ngolaka beng'zonda.

**4** Inhliziyo yam' 'buhlungu
Ngaphakathi kwami,
Izesabiso zokufa
Ziwele phez' kwami.

**5** Ukwesaba lokuqhuqha
Sekwehlele kimi,
Njalo lokuthuthumela
Kungigubuzele.

**6** Ngath': Aluba ngilempiko
Njengalo ijuba
Ngabe ngiyaphapha ngiye
Ekuphumuleni.

**7** Khangela ngizakuzula,
Ngibe khatshana le,
Ngihlale khonale mina,
Khonale enhlane.

**8** Ngizaphangisisa khona
Ukuphunyuka kwam'
Ngicatshele isiphepho,
Isivunguzane.

**9** Chitha, Nkosi, phambanisa
Izindimi zabo,
Ngoba ngibon' ingxabano
Phakathi komuzi.

**10** Emini lasebusuku
Bawuzungezile,
Lokuganga lal' usizi
Luphakathi kwawo.

**11** Lenkohlakalo ikhona,
Layo inkohliso
Lobuqili kabasuki
Emigwaqwen' yawo.

**12** Ngoba ayisis' isitha
Esing'thel' ihlazo,
Ngabe yis' isitha sami
Bengizakuthwala.

Kungesuy' umzondi wami
Oz'phakamisayo
Phezu kwami, ngabe ngazi-
fihla mina kuye.

**13** Kodwa bekunguw', umuntu
Olingana lami,
Ongowami umqondisi,
Lengimjwayeleyo.

**14** Sacebisana kwamnandi,
Sihlezi ndawonye,
Saya endlini yeNkosi
Ndawonye lebandla.

**15** Kakubambe phezu kwabo
Ukufa sibili,
Kabaphoselwe-ke phansi
Baphang' isihogo.

Ngokuba ububi babo
Bukuzo indawo
Abahlala kuzo bona
Lakho kibo bonke.

**16** Mina-ke ngizakumbiza
Yen' uNkulunkulu,
Njalo-ke iNkosi yona
Izangisindisa.

**17** Ntambama lasekuseni
Lakuyo imini
Ngizakhala ngikhuleke,
Wozwa izwi lami.

**18** Ukhulul' umphefum'lo wam'
Ngokuthula kiyo
Impi elwa lami, ngoba
Babebanengi bo.

**19** UNkulunkul' uzakuzwa
Abahluphe bona,
Ngitsho labo abahlala
Khona ngasendulo.

Ngokuba abaphenduki
Kukho okwabo nje,
Ngakho-ke bona bonke bo
Abesab' iNkosi.

**20** Ngezandla zakhe uyalwa
Labazwana laye,
Njalo wephula esakhe
Isivumelwano.

**21** Amazwi omlomo wakhe
Ayebutshelezi
Okwedlula amagcobo
Won' abutshelezi.

Kodwa imfazo yayise-
nhliziyweni yakhe,
Amazwi akh' ayemnandi,
Kanti ayinkemba.



Ngizakuhamba phakathi
Kwayo indlu yami
Ngayo inhliziyo yami
Yon' epheleleyo.

**3** Kangisoze ngilubeke
Khona phambi kwawo
Awami wona amehlo
Ulutho olubi.

Ngiyawuzond' umsebenzi
Waz' iziphambuki,
Kawusoz' unamathele
Kimi lakanye nje.

**4** Inhliziy' ephambukayo
Izasuka kimi,
Angisoze-ke ngimazi
Okhohlakeleyo.

**5** Lowo onyeya owakhe
Yen' umakhelwane
Khona ngasensitha, mina
Ngizamquma yena.

Lowo ophakamileyo
Oziqakisayo
Ngenhliziyo kangisoze
Ngimyekele mina.

**6** Amehlo ami azoba
Phezu kwabomhlaba,
Bon' abathembekileyo
Abasemhlabeni,

Ukuze bahlale lami.
Lowo ohambayo
Ngendlela eqotho yena
Uzakungikhonza.

**7** Umkhohlisi kakuhlala
Khon' endlini yami,
Usomangase kasoze
Eme phambi kwami.

**8** Ngobhubhisa ngokutshetsha
Abakhohlakali,
Ngizisuse izigangi
Emzini weNkosi.

## Isihlabelelo 102

*Umkhuleko wohluphekayo nxa esehluleka ethulula isikhalazo sakhe phambi kobuso beNkosi.*

**1** Nkosi, yizwa umthandazo
Wami, uvumele,
Ukuze size ngakuwe
Isililo sami.

**2** Kawungabufihli kimi
Ubuso bakho bo
Ngosuku lapho uhlupho
Selungehlele m'na.

Ngizwa ngendlebe yakho bo
Ngalolo usuku,
Lapho ngikumemezayo
Tshetsha ngiphendule.

**3** Ngoba izinsuku zami
Ziloba santuthu,
Lamathambo ami atsha
Njengalo iziko.

Ababiz' ibizo lakhe.
Babiza iNkosi,
Yena bo uNkulunkulu
Wasebaphendula.

**7** Ensikeni eyeyezi
Wakhuluma labo,
Bagcin' izimiso zakhe
Lomlay' abapha won'.

**8** Wena wabaphendula, o
Nkulunkulu wethu,
Jehova. Wena-ke waba
NguNkulunkulu-ke

Yen' obathethelelayo,
Lanxa wena Nkosi,
Waphindisela izenzo
Ezabo ezimbi.

**9** Lina phakamisani-ke
'Nkulunkulu wethu,
UJehova, khonzanini
Entabeni yakhe,

Entabeni eyingcwele,
Ngoba uJehova
UNkulunkulu owethu
Yena ungongcwele.

## L.M. Isihlabelelo 100

*Isihlabelelo sokudumisa.*

**1** Hubelani ngokuthaba
Ngakuye uNkulunkulu,
Lina lonke mhlaba wonke,
Lidumis' uNkulunkulu.

**2** Limkhonze lilokuthaba,
Wozanini phambi kwakhe,
Lijabula lihlabele
Khon' ebukhoneni bakhe.

**3** Yazini ukubana-ke
INkosi inguye mpela
UNkulunkul', osenzile
Thina, asizenzanga nje.

Thina siyibo abantu
Esenziwayo nguyena,
Njalo siyizimvu zakhe
Ezedlelo lakhe yena.

**4** Ngenani emasangweni,
Libongeke lidumisa
Lasemagumeni akhe,
Libonga ibizo lakhe.

**5** Ngob' iNkosi ilungile,
'Musa way' uhlezi kuze
Kube phakad', leqiniso
Lay' esizukulwaneni.

## Isihlabelelo 101

*Isihlabelelo sikaDavida.*

**1** Ngohlabelel' ngesihawu
Lakh' ukwahlulela,
Kuwe, o Jehova, mina
Ngizakuhlabela.

**2** Ngizakuziphatha kuhle
Ngendlel' elungile,
O! Uzakubuya nini
Khona ngakimi na?



**22** Phos' umthwal' wakh' eNkosini,
Izakukugcina,
Ayiyikumuvumela
'Lungiley' asuswe.

**23** Kodwa wena, Nkulunkulu,
Wobaletha phansi
Kumgodi wencithakalo.
Abantu begazi,

Abantu bay' inkohliso,
Abayikuphila
Ingxenye yensuku zabo;
Kant' ngothemba kuwe.

## Isihlabelelo 56

*Kumqondisi wokuhlabelela. NgeJonathi-elemi-rekokimi. IMikitami kaDavida. AmaFilisti esembambile eGathi.*

**1** Ngihawukele Jehova,
Bengiginy' abantu,
Bangilwisa nsuku zonke,
Bengibandezela.

**2** Izitha zami zifuna
'Kungiginya, ngoba
Banengi abalwa lami,
Wen' oPhezukonke.

**3** Esikhathini leso nga-
ngisesaba ngaso
Mina ngizakuthembela
Khona ngakuwena.

**4** ENkosini ngodumisa
Ilizwi lakho bo,
KuNkulunkulu ngibeke
Ithemba elami.

Mina angisoze ngibe
Ngisesaba lokho
Inyama engakwenza bo
Khona phezu kwami.

**5** Nsuku zonke bayatshila
Won' amazwi ami,
Im'khumbulo yabo yonke
Ilwa lam' ngobubi.

**6** Bahlangana-ke ndawonye,
Njalo bazifihla,
Baqaphel' inyawo zami,
Belind' umphefum'lo.

**7** Bangaphunyuka ngobubi?
Kuy' inzondo yakho
Lahlela phansi abantu,
Wena Nkulunkulu.

**8** Ubale ukuzula kwam',
Thela inyembezi
Zami kumbodlela yakho;
Azikh' encwadini?

**9** Uba ngikhala kuwena
Zohlehla izitha;
Lokhu ngiyakwazi ngoba
INkosi ilami.

**10** KuThixo ngizadumisa
Ilizwi lakhe nje,
Ngizadumisa ilizwi
Kuye uJehova.

**11** KuNkulunkulu ngibeke
Ithemba elami,
Angiyikwesaba anga-
kwenz' umuntu kimi.

**12** Izifungo zakho zimi
Phezu kwami, Nkosi,
Ngizanikela ngakuwe
Izibongo zakho.

**13** Uwukhulul' umphefum'lo
Wami ekufeni,
Ubungekhulul' inyawo
Zami ekuweni?

Ukuze mina ngihambe
Phambili kweNkosi,
Phakathi kwakh' ukukhanya
Kwab' abaphilayo.

## Isihlabelelo 57

*Kumqondisi wokuhlabelela. Alithashethi. IMikitami kaDavida. Ekubalekeleni kwakhe ubuso bukaSawuli ebhalwini.*

**1** Ngihawukele, Nkosi bo,
Ye, ngihawukele,
Ngoba umphefum'lo wami
Uthembela kuwe.

Yebo ethunzini lawo
Amaphiko akho
Ngocatsha kuze kwedlule
Lezizinhlupheko.

**2** Ngizakukhala kuThixo
Yen' oPhezukonke,
KuThix' ongiphelelisel'
Icebo lakhe bo.

**3** Esezulwin' uzathuma,
Asindise mina,
Ayangise bona labo
Abazangiginya.

UNkulunkulu athume
Uthando olwakhe,
Lon' olungaqamukiyo,
Lobuqotho bakhe.

**4** Uphakathi kwezilwane
Umphefum'lo wami,
Ngihlezi khona lapho ngi-
phakathi komlilo.

Won' amadodan' abantu,
Amazinyo awo
Yimikhonto lemitshoko,
Ulimi yinkemba.

**5** Phakama, Nkosi, ngaphezu
Kwawo amazulu;
Ubukhosi bakho bube
Phezu kwaw' umhlaba.

**6** Bathiye izinyathelo
Zami, umphefum'lo
Usukhothamele phansi;
Bang'gebhel' umgodi,

Kodwa bona sebewele
Phakathi komgodi
Abawugebhileyo-ke,
Batshona kuwona.



Lina yenzani umsindo
Omkhulukazi-ke,
Lithokoze lihlabele
Izibongo zayo.

**5** Hlabelani eNkosini
Ngomhubhe, ngomhubhe
Langalo lona ilizwi
Lesihlabelelo.

**6** Ngempondo lalo ilizwi
Lomhlanga yenzani
'Msindo wenjabulo phambi
Kwenkos' uJehova.

**7** Kalubhonge lon' ulwandle
Lokugcwala kwalo,
Won' umhlaba kanye labo
Abahlezi kiwo.

**8** 'Mifula kayiqakeze
Ezayo izandla,
Lezintaba zithokoze
Zonke zindawonye

**9** Phambili kwayo iNkosi,
Ngokuba iyeza
Ukuzakuwahlulela
Umhlaba wonke-ke.

Ngalokhukulunga yona
Izakuwugweba
Wonke umhlaba, labantu
Ngakho ukuqonda.

## Isihlabelelo 99

**1** UJehova uyabusa,
Kabaqhuqh' abantu,
Uphakath' kwamakherubi,
Lizamazam' izwe.

**2** UJehova eZiyoni
Umkhulu kakhulu,
Uphakeme phezu kwabo
Bonke bon' abantu.

**3** Kabadumise ibizo
Lakho elikhulu
Elesabekayo lona,
Ngokuba lingcwele.

**4** Amandla awayw' inkosi
Lawo ayathanda
Isigwebo, uyamisa
Khona ukulunga.

Uyasebenzisa wena
Sona isigwebo,
Njalo lakho ukulunga
Kuye uJakobe.

**5** Phakamis' iNkos' uThixo
Owethu, likhonze
Kusenabelo senyawo
Zakhe, ngob' ungcwele.

**6** UMozisi loAroni
Kubapristi bakhe,
LoSamuweli phakathi
Kwabo bonke phela

**6** Amazulu ayabika
Ukulunga kwayo,
Bonke abantu babona
Inkazim'lo yayo.

**7** Kabathuthazwe bonke nje
'Bakhonz' izithombe
Bezigqaja ngezithixo;
Mkhonzen' lonk' zithixo.

**8** Yezwa yathab' iZiyoni,
'Ntombi zakoJuda
Zathokoza ngezigwebo
Zakho, Nkulunkulu.

**9** Wena Nkosi, uphakeme
Kulomhlaba wonke,
Uphakanyiswe kulazo
Zonke izithixo.

**10** Lina elithand' iNkosi,
Zondani ububi,
Iyalond' im'phefumulo
Yabangcwele bayo.

Yona iyabakhulula
Bona esandleni
Esingesabo bona-ke
'Bakhohlakeleyo.

**11** 'Kukhanya kuhlanyelelwe
Abalungileyo,
Lenjabulo abaqotho
Kuyo inhliziyo.

**12** Thokozani eNkosini,
O balungileyo,
Libonge ngokukhumbula
Ubungcwele bayo.

## Isihlabelelo 98

*Isihlabelelo.*

**1** O hlabela ingom' entsha
ENkosini wena,
Ngoba yenzil' izimanga
Ezinkulukazi.

'Sandla sayo sokunene
Lengalo engcwele
Yayo kuzuzela yona
Khona ukunqoba.

**2** INkosi yona impela
Isifakazile,
Isazisa ngosindiso
Olwayo sibili.

Ukulunga kwayo lakho
Ikwambulile nje
Yakwazis' abahedeni
Phambi kwamehl' abo.

**3** Yasikhumbul' isihawu
Leqiniso layo
Eliqonde kuyo indlu
Yakh' uIsrayeli.

Yonke imikhawulo nje
Eyomhlaba wonke
Ilubonil' usindiso
OlweNkosi yethu.

**4** Kalenze umsindo, lina,
Owokuthokoza
Kuyo iNkosi sibili,
Wena mhlaba wonke.



**7** Nkosi inhliziyo yami
Iqinisiwe nko,
Ngizakuhlabelela bo,
Njalo ngikubonge.

**8** Vuka wena, dumo lwami
Vuka, wena hubo,
Lawe chacho, ngizavuka
Ekusen' kakhulu.

**9** Ngizakubonga, o Nkosi,
Phakathi kwabantu,
Ngizahlabelela kuwe
Phakathi kwezizwe.

**10** Ngoba isihawu sakho
Sikhulu, sifika
Ezulwin', leqinis' lakho
Lifik' emafini.

**11** Phakama, o wena Nkosi,
Phezu kwamazulu,
Lona olwakho udumo
Phezu kwezwe lonke.

## Isihlabelelo 58

*Kumqondisi wokuhlabelela. Alithashethi. IMikitami kaDavida.*

**1** Likhuluma ukulunga,
Kambe yini bandla?
Ligweba ngokuqonda na,
Madodan' abantu?

**2** Ye lina enhliziyweni
Lenz' inkohlakalo,
Laba umsindo wezandla
Zenu emhlabeni.

**3** Ababi balahlekile
Kwasesizalweni,
Balahleka besazalwa,
Bekhulum' amanga.

**4** Ubuhlungu babo bunje-
ngobayo inyoka,
Abezwa njengebululu
Elival' indlebe.

**5** Ukuze bangaze bezwa
'Lizwi labalumbi,
Bavumisa ngay' indlela
Ehlakaniphile.

**6** Nkosi, yephul' amazinyo
Abo emlonyeni,
Nkosi, yephul' amazinyo
Ezilwan' ezintsha.

**7** Kabathi bancibilike
Njengawo amanzi
Ageleza kokuphela.
Nxa egobisayo

Wona owakhe umtshoko
Ukuz' adubule,
Kababe ngabaqunyiwe
Iziq' ezinengi.

**8** Njengomnenk' uncibilika,
Bonke kabedlule,
Bangaliboni ilanga
Samphunzo womfazi.

**9** Phambi kokuthi imbiza
Zenu zizw' ameva,
Wobasusa sasiphepho
Ngolaka, bephila.

**10** Oqotho uzathokoza,
'Bon' impindiselo,
Wogeza inyawo zakhe
Kugazi lababi.

**11** Indoda yothi: Impela
Ukhona umvuzo
Wezilungi; uyiNkosi
Egweba umhlaba.

## Isihlabelelo 59

*Kumqondisi wokuhlabelela. Alitashethi. IMikitami kaDavida. USawuli esethume, njalo balinda indlu ukumbulala.*

**1** Ngihleng' ezitheni zami,
Hawu Nkosi yami,
Ngivikele kulabo-ke
'Bangivukelayo.

**2** Ngikhulule kubo aba-
sebenzi bobubi,
Njalo ngisindise mina
Kubantu begazi.

**3** Khangela, bemi balinde
Umphefum'lo wami,
Iziqhwaga zibuthene
Zimelene lami.

Akungenxa yazo zona
Iziphambeko zam',
Kumbe ngenxa yezami-ke
Izono, o Nkosi.

**4** Bayagijima bahlome
Ngingelacala bo;
Akuvuke ungisize
Njalo ukhangele.

**5** Ngakho Nkulunkulu, Nkosi
Wawo amabandla,
INkosi kaIsrayeli,
Vuka uhambele

Bonke abezizwe bona,
Ungahawukeli
Laziph' izikhohlakali
Eziphambekayo.

**6** Babuya kusihlwa benze
Won' umkhulungwane,
Njengenja-ke bawubhode
Wona umuzi bo.

**7** Bheka babhodla ngomlomo,
Inkemb' endebeni
Zabo, ngoba ngubani na,
Bathi, ozwayo na?

**8** Ngoba wena Nkosi uza-
kubahleka bona,
Uzakuzidelela nje
Zona zonk' izizwe.

**9** Ngenxa yaw' amandla akhe
Ngizalinda kuwe,
Ngokuba uNkulunkulu
Uyinqaba yami.



**6** Inhlonipho lobukhosi
Kukho phambi kwayo,
Amandla labo ubuhle
Busendlini yayo.

**7** Phanini yona iNkosi,
Lina zizwe lonke,
Liyiphe yona iNkosi
Udumo lamandla.

**8** Nikan' iNkosi udumo
Lwelayo ibizo,
Lethan' umnikelo, liye
Emagumen' ayo.

**9** Khonzanin' iNkosi kubo
Ubuhle obabo
Ubungcwele, yesabani
Phambi kwayo lonke.

**10** Tshelanini zonk' izizwe:
INkos' iyabusa.
Lalo lona lonke izwe
Uzakulimisa

Lingaze lanyikinyeka.
Yena uzagweba
Ngokulungileyo bona
Bonke abantu bo.

**11** Kawathabe amazulu,
Lijabule izwe,
Kaludume lon' ulwandle
Lokugcwala kwalo.

**12** Kayithabe imimango
Lakho okukuyo:
Khona zonke izihlahla
Zegusu zithabe

**13** Phambi kwayo yon' iNkosi,
Ngokuba iyeza,
Iza ukuzakugweba
Lona ilizwe bo.

Izakwahlulela izwe
Ngakho ukulunga,
Labo bonke bon' abantu
Ngeqiniso layo.

## Isihlabelelo 97

**1** UJehova uyabusa,
Izwe kalithabe,
Lezihlenge ezinengi
Lazo kazithabe.

**2** Uphahliwe ngamayezi
Labo ubunyama,
Ukulunga lesigwebo
Yibukhosi bakho.

**3** Umlilo uhamba phambi
Kwakhe, uyatshisa
Uqothul' izitha zakhe
Ezimhanqileyo.

**4** Yona imibane yakhe
Yakhanyisa izwe,
Umhlaba wabona lokhu,
Wasuthuthumela.

**5** Kwancibilika intaba
Njengengcino kuye,
Ebusweni bay' iNkosi
Eyomhlaba wonke.

**4** Izindawo ezinzulu
Zezwe zikuntende
Yesandla sayo; amandla
'Zintaba ngawayo.

**5** Lungolwayo lon' ulwandle
Lwenziwa yiyo bo,
Izandla ezayo zenza
'Mhlab' owomileyo.

**6** Wozanini siyikhonze
Sikhothame kuyo,
Kasiguqe phambi kwayo,
'Nkosi, 'Menzi wethu.

**7** Ngoba unguThixo wethu,
Thina singabantu
Bedlelo lona elakhe,
Njalo siyizo bo

Izimvu ezingezakhe
Lezo izandla bo.
Uba lamuhla lisizwa
Elakhe ilizwi,

**8** Izinhliziyo ezenu
Lingaziqinisi
Njengasekucaphukeni
Ngomhla wokulinga

**9** Enkangala, lapho bona
Oyihlo bang'linga,
Bangihlola-ke, babona
Umsebenzi wami.

**10** Iminyaka ematshumi
Amane ubude
Ngacunulwa yilesi bo
Isizukulwana.

Ngathi: Bayona abantu
Kweyab' inhliziyo,
Njalo abazazi zona
Izindlela zami.

**11** Ngikweyam' intukuthelo
Ngafunga-ke ngathi:
Kabayikungena kukho
Ukuphum'la kwami.

## Isihlabelelo 96

**1** Hlabelelan' eNkosini
Yon' ingoma entsha,
Hlabelani eNkosini,
Lina lonke mhlaba.

**2** Hlabelani eNkosini,
Lidumis' ibizo,
Bikan' usindiso lwayo
Insuku ngensuku.

**3** Litshumayele udumo
Olwayo phakathi
Kwezizwe, lem'mangaliso
Kubo bonk' abantu.

**4** Ngoba iNkosi inkulu,
Kufanel' ibongwe
Kakhulu, iyesabeka
Phez' kwez'thixo zonke.

**5** Ngob' othixo abezizwe
Bonk' bayizithombe,
Kodwa yon' iNkosi yenze
Wona amazulu.



**10** UThixo womusa wami
Uzangandulela,
Wongibonis' isifiso
Sami kuzitha zam'.

**11** Sukubabulala, hlezi
Bakhohlw' abantu bam',
Chitha, bawise ngamandla,
Nkos', ihawu lethu.

**12** Ngesono somlomo wabo
Lamazwi endebe
Babotshwe yikuzigqaja
Lenhlamba yamanga.

**13** Baqede-ke olakeni,
Ubaqede mpela,
Ukuze bona baphele
Bangabi khona nje.

Ubenze bazi ukuthi
INkosi ibusa
KuJakobe lakuzo nje
'Ziphelo zomhlaba.

**14** Kababuyele kusihlwa,
Bayekele benze
Umsindo njengayo inja,
Babhode umuzi.

**15** Bayekele-ke bazule
Baqondele lale,
Beding' ukudla, bazonde
Nxa bengasuthanga.

**16** Kodwa ngohlabel' amandla
Akho, ye, ngizaku-
hlabela kakhul' ngomusa
Wakho ekuseni.

Ngokuba wena unguye
Owam' umvikeli,
Lendawo yam' yokucatsha,
Ngosuku lohlupho.

**17** Kuwe-ke, mandla awami,
Ngizahlabelela,
Ngoba iNkos' ilihawu
Lesihawu sami.

## Isihlabelelo 60

*Kumqondisi wokuhlabelela. NgeShushani Eduthi. IMikitami kaDavida. Ukufundisa. Esilwa lamaAramu-Naharayimi lamaAramu-Zoba, lapho uJowabi wabuyela watshaya amaEdoma esihotsheni setswayi, inkulungwane ezilitshumi lambili.*

**1** Nkosi, ususilahlile,
Wasichithachitha,
Kade usucunuliwe,
Buya kithi futhi.

**2** Uqhaqhazelis' umhlaba,
Wawephula wona,
Siza ubhidliko lwawo,
Ngoba uyaqhuqha.

**3** Utshengisile abantu
Bakho okunzima,
Iwayin' elesimanga
Usinathisile.

**4** Ubanik' isiboniso
Abakwesabayo,
Ukuze siphakanyiswe
Ngenxa yeqiniso.

**5** Ukuze abathandwayo
Bakho bakhululwe,
Sindisa ngesandla sakho
Sokunene, ngizwa.

**6** Ikhulumile iNkosi
Isebungcweleni,
Ngokuthaba ngizalaba
Lona iShekemu.

**7** Ngolinganis' isigodi
EsaseSukothi,
IGiladi ingeyami,
Laye uManase.

UEfremu ungamandla
Awekhanda lami,
UJuda laye ngakimi
Ungumnikumthetho.

**8** IMowabi ingumganu
Wokugezela m'na,
Ngolahl' inyathela lami
Phezu kweEdoma;

**9** Nginqoba-ke Filistiya.
Nguban' ozangisa
Kumuzi oqinileyo?
Ngisiw' eEdoma?

**10** Kungebe nguwe Nkosi na
Obusilahlile?
Obengasahambi lawo
Amabutho ethu?

**11** Siphe-ke wena uncedo
Ekuhluphekeni,
Ngoba olomuntu lona
Uncedo luyize.

**12** NgoNkulunkulu sonqoba,
Ngoba kunguyena
Ozazigxobela phansi
Ezethu izitha.

## Isihlabelelo 61

*Kumqondisi wokuhlabelela.*
*NgeNeginothi. EsikaDavida.*

**1** Zwana isililo, Nkosi,
Lomthandazo wami.
Ekucineni komhlaba
Ngokhalela kuwe

**2** Lapho inhliziyo yami
Isiphel' amandla,
Ngiholele edwaleni
Elide kulami.

**3** Ngoba kade uyinqaba
Yami, futhi wena
Ungumthangala wamandla
Ngakuso isitha.

**4** Ngizahlal' endlini yakho
Ngokungapheliyo,
Ngizathemba ingubudo
Yamaphiko akho.

**5** Ngoba Nkosi, wen' uzwile
Izifungo zami,
Unginik' ifa labesab'
Ibizo elakho.



**12** O Nkosi, ubusisiwe
Um'ntu omlayayo,
Omfundisa okuvela
Emthethweni wakho.

**13** Ukuz' umnik' ukuphum'la
Kunsuku zohlupho,
Baze bona bagejelwe
Umgodi ababi.

**14** Ngob' iNkosi kayisoze
'Lahl' abantu bayo,
Njalo kayiyikutshiya
Elayo ilifa.

**15** Kodwa isigwebo siza-
buy' ekulungeni,
Abanhliziyw' eqondile
Bazasilandela.

**16** Nguban' ozakungimela
Kubo bon' ababi?
Ozakungimela mina
Kwabenza okubi?

**17** Uba bengingasizwanga
Nguye uJehova,
'Mphefum'lo wami waphosa
Wathula wathi zwi.

**18** Nxa ngathi: Unyawo lwami
Luyatshelela bo,
Isihawu sakho, Nkosi,
Sangisekela m'na.

**19** Kubo ubunengi bayo
Im'khumbulo yami,
Umphefum'lo uthokoza
Ngezakh' induduzo.

**20** Isihlalo esobubi
Sihlangene lawe,
Son' esimisa okubi
Ngawo umthetho na?

**21** Baqoqanel' umphefum'lo
Wakh' olungileyo,
Bona balahla igazi
Elingelacala.

**22** Kodw' iNkosi, umvikel' wam',
UNkulunkulu wam',
Nguye olidwala lami,
Layo inqaba yam'.

**23** Ehlisela phezu kwabo
Obabo ububi,
Baqunyw' ebubini babo,
NguThix' iNkos' yethu.

## Isihlabelelo 95

**1** Wozani sihlabelele
Kuyo yon' iNkosi,
Senz' umsindo wentokozo
'Litshen' losindiso.

**2** Kasizeni phambi kwayo
Ngokubonga, njalo
Senz' umsindo wenjabulo
Ngezihlabelelo.

**3** Ngoba iNkosi inguye
UThixo omkhulu,
Yinkosi enkulu phezu
Kwazo izithixo.

**2** Esakho son' isihlalo
Esab' ubukhosi
Samiswa khona kudala.
Wena uphakade.

**3** O Nkosi, izikhukhula
Seziphakamile,
Liphakem' izwi, amanzi
'Phakam' amavinqo.

**4** INkosi ephakemeyo
Ilamandla kulo-
dumo lwamanz' amanengi,
Amavinq' olwandle.

**5** Nkosi, imfundiso zakho
Liqiniso mpela,
Ubungcwele bufanele
Indlu yakho njalo.

## Isihlabelelo 94

**1** Nkosi wena Nkulunkulu
Wokuphindisela,
Nkosi yokuphindisela,
Bonakal' ukhanye.

**2** Ziphakamise, mahluli
Walo lon' ilizwe,
Unike abazindlayo
'Kubafaneleyo.

**3** Nkosi, kuzakuba nini
Abakhohlakali
Bon' abakhohlakeleyo
Bengabanqobayo?

**4** Koba nini bekhuluma
Izint' ezinzima,
Bonke abenzi bobubi
Bezigqaja bona?

**5** Nkosi, bayabachoboza
Abakho abantu,
Bona bayalihlupha bo
Elakho ilifa.

**6** Babulal' umfelwakazi
Laye owemzini,
Njalo babulala lazo
Zon' izintandane.

**7** Kube kanti bath': INkosi
Ayisoz' ibone,
'Nkulunkulu kaJakobe
Kasoze ananze.

**8** Qondanini, lina bantu
Bobunyamazana,
Lizahlakanipha nini,
Lani-ke zithutha?

**9** Owenza indlebe yena
Akayikuzwa na?
Lowenza lona ilihlo
Kayikubona na?

**10** Yena olaya izizwe
Kaqondisi yini?
Yen' ofundisa ulwazi
Kayikukwazi na?

**11** INkosi iyayazi bo
Yon' imicabango
Yomuntu ukuthi yona
Iyilo lon' ize.



**6** Uzakwandisa impilo
Eyayo inkosi
Ibe m'nengi, leminyaka
Okwezizukulwan'.

**7** Yohlala phakade phambi
KweNkosi. Lungisa
Umusa lal' iqiniso
Okungayilonda.

**8** Ngakho ngizahlabelela
Kul' ibizo lakho,
Ngenze izifungo zami
Ngezinsuku zonke.

## Isihlabelelo 62

*Kumqondisi wokuhlabelela.*
*NgeJeduthuni. Isihlabelelo*
*sikaDavida.*

**1** Mpela ulindel' iNkosi
Umphefum'lo wami,
Luvela kuyo olwami
Lona usindiso.

**2** Yona yodwa ilidwala
Losindiso lwami,
Angiyikunyikinyeka,
Iyinqaba yami.

**3** Koba nini linakana
Okubi ngomuntu?
Lofohlozwa njengomduli
Lothang' oluwayo.

**4** Baceba ukumethula
Engqongeni yakhe,
Bajabula emangeni
Emangeni wona.

Bayabusisa ngomlomo
Wabo okwempela,
Kodwa ngaphakathi kwabo
Bethuka kakhulu.

**5** Mphefum'lo wami, lindela
'Nkosini kuphela,
Ngokuba ithemba lami
Livela ngakuyo.

**6** Yona yodwa ilidwala
Losindiso lwami.
Angiyikunyikinyeka,
Iyinqaba yami.

**7** KuNkosi kulosindiso
Lodumo olwami,
'Dwala lenqaba yamandla
Ami akuThixo.

**8** Themban' kuye kokuphela
Bantu, lizithele
Inhliziyo kuy' iNkosi,
Eyinqaba yethu.

**9** Mpela abantukazana
Bona bayilize,
Labo abayizikhulu
Bangamangana nje.

Uba befakwa phezulu
Khon' esikalini,
Balula okwedlulayo
Ize lalo ize.

**10** Ungathemb' imbandezelo
Ungabi lisela,
Nxa inotho isisanda
Ungananzi ngayo.

**11** Ukhulume kany' uThixo,
Ngikuzwe kabili
Lokhu, ukuthi amandla
NgakaNkulunkulu.

**12** Njalo ngakuwe bo, Nkosi,
Kukhon' isihawu,
Ngoba uyamnik' umuntu
Ngomsebenzi wakhe.

## Isihlabelelo 63

*Isihlabelelo sikaDavida,*
*esenkangala yakoJuda.*

**1** Nkosi, wen' uyiNkosi yam',
Ngizakukudinga
Masiny', umphefum'lo wami
Uwomele wena.

Inyama yam' ikhanuka
Wena enkangala
Elizwen' elomileyo,
Kungekho lamanzi.

**2** Ukubon' amandla akho,
Lodumo olwakho,
Njengoba ngikubonile
Endawen' engcwele.

**3** Ngoba uthando olwakho
Lungcono kulayo
Impilo, indebe zami
Zizakudumisa.

**4** Ngakho ngizakubusisa
Wena ngisaphila,
Ngizaphakamis' isandla
Kul' ibizo lakho.

**5** 'Mphefum'lo wam' uzasutha
'Mkantsho lamanono,
Umlomo wam' udumise
Ngendeb' zenjabulo.

**6** Nxa ngikukhumbula wena
Embhedeni wami,
Ngemilindo yobusuku
Nginakana ngawe.

**7** Ngoba ungumncedi wami,
Ngakho emthunzini
Wawo amaphiko akho
Ngizathokoza bo.

**8** Owami umphefumulo
Ukuxhume wena,
'Sandla sakho sokunene
Sesingibambile.

**9** Abading' umphefum'lo wam'
Ukuwudiliza
Bazatshona phansi bona
Khon' emhlabathini.

**10** Bazakuwa ngayo yona
Inkemba eyakho,
Bazakuba yisabelo
Sawo amakhanka.

**11** Kodwa inkosi iyaku-
thokoza ngoMlimu,
Bonke abafunga yena
Bazakujabula.



**4** Ngokuba wena, Jehova,
Ungenz' ngathokoza,
Ngizanqoba ngem'sebenzi
Yezakho izandla.

**5** Nkosi, mikhulu kangaka
Im'sebenzi yakho,
Leyakho imikhumbulo
Itshone kakhulu.

**6** Um'nt' onjengenyamazana
Akakwazi lokhu,
Asiqedisisi lokhu
Isithutha futhi.

**7** Nxa abakhohlakeleyo
Behlum' okotshani,
Nxa bonke abenz' okubi
Bephumelela nje,

**8** Kungenxa yokuthi baza-
bhujiswa phakade.
Kodwa wena Nkos', uphezu
Konk' ephakadeni.

**9** Ngoba bona, Nkos', izitha
Zakho zizabhubha,
Bonk' abasebenz' bobubi
Bazahlakazeka.

**10** Waphakamisa uphondo
Lwami njengenyathi,
Mina ngizagcotshwa ngawo
Amafuth' amatsha.

**11** Lelihlo lami lizabon'
Isifiso sami
Ezitheni zami, njalo
Laz' indlebe zami

Zizakuzwa isifiso
Sami ngab' ababi,
Bona abavukelayo,
Bephikisana lam'.

**12** Olungileyo wohluma
Njengalo ilala,
Akhule njengesedari
Khon' eLebanoni.

**13** Labo abahlanyelwayo
Endlini yeNkosi
Bazakhul' emagumeni
KaNkulunkul' wethu.

**14** Bazabe belokhu bona
Bethel' izithelo,
Ebudaleni bakhule,
Njalo bazimuke.

**15** Ukubonisa ukuthi
INkos' iqondile,
Ulidwala lami, njalo
Kakulabub' kuyo.

## Isihlabelelo 93

**1** Yon' iNkosi iyabusa,
Yembeth' ubukhosi,
INkosi izembesile
Ngawo won' amandla,

Lapha yena esembese.
Lalo lon' ilizwe
Limisiwe, alingeze
Lizanyazanyiswe.

**5** Kawusoze-ke wesabe
Zona izethuso
Ebusuku lemitshoko
Etshoka emini.

**6** Lenkathazo zobunyama
Lay' incithakalo
Eyemini libalele
Idlavuz' ichitha.

**7** Izinkulungwane zowa
Eceleni kwakho,
Zona ezingamatshumi,
Zingafiki kuwe.

**8** Ngamehlo akho kuphela
Uzakukhangela,
Uzakubona umvuzo
Owabo ababi.

**9** Ngoba uyenzil' iNkosi,
Eyinqaba yami,
Yen' oPhezukonke, indlu
Yakho yokuhlala.

**10** Ububi-ke abusoze
Bukwehlele wena,
Lohluph' aluy'kusondela
Endlini eyakho.

**11** Ngoba uzalaya ngawe
Ingilosi zakhe
Ukukulonda kuzo zonk'
Izindlela zakho.

**12** Zizakuphatha ngezandla
Zazo, hlezi wena
Ukhubeke elitsheni
Ngonyawo olwakho.

**13** Uzagxoba isilwane,
'Nyoka, 'silwanyana,
Lodrago uzamugxoba
Phansi kwezinyawo.

**14** Ngoba yen' ungithandile,
Ngakho ngizamhlenga,
Ngimbeke phezulu, ngoba
Waz' ibizo lami.

**15** Uzakungibiza mina,
Ngizakumphendula,
Ngibe laye enhlutsheni,
Ngimhleng' ngimhloniphe.

**16** Ngobude obezinsuku
Ngizakumsuthisa,
Ngimubonise olwami
Usindiso lonke.

## Isihlabelelo 92

*Isihlabelelo, ingoma, okwelanga lesabatha.*

**1** Kuyint' enhle ukubonga
Yona-ke iNkosi,
Lokudumisa ibizo
Lakh', oPhezukonke.

**2** Utshengis' umusa wakho
Khona ekuseni,
Lokwakho ukuthembeka
Kubusuku bonke.

**3** Ngechacho elilentambo
Ezilitshumi bo
Logubhu law' umqangala
Otsho ngokuzotha.



Kodwa yona imilomo
Eyabo bona-ke
Abakhuluma amanga
Yon' izakuvinjwa.

## Isihlabelelo 64

*Kumqondisi wokuhlabelela. Isihlabelelo sikaDavida.*

**1** Izwa izwi lami Nkosi,
Lomkhuleko wami,
Gcin' impilo yami kukho
'Kwesaba izitha.

**2** Ngicatshis' ekucebeni
Kwensitha kwababi,
Ekuvukeleni kwabo
Abenza ububi.

**3** Abalolimi olwabo
Njengayo inkemba,
Bagobis' im'tshoko yabo,
'Mazw' ab' ayababa.

**4** Ukudubula ngasese
Yen' opheleleyo,
Bazamdubula masinya,
Ungaze wesaba.

**5** Bazikhuthaz' ebubini,
Bakhulum' ngokwenza
Imijibila ngasese,
Bath': Ibonwa nguban'?

**6** Badinga bona ububi,
Babuhlolisise,
Inhliziyo lokuzindla
Kwabo kutshonile.

**7** Kodwa-ke uNkulunkulu
Uzakubatshoka,
Uzakubalimaza bo
Masinyasinyane.

**8** Bazakwenz' ulimi lwabo
Luwe phezu kwabo,
Bonke ababebonayo
Bazakubaleka

**9** Bonke bazakwesaba-ke,
Batsho umsebenzi
WeNkosi, beqedisisa
Izenzo ezayo.

**10** ENkosini bazathaba
Abalungileyo,
Bathembe; abaqondile
Bazakudumisa.

## Isihlabelelo 65

*Kumqondisi wokuhlabelela. Isihlabelelo sikaDavida, ingoma.*

**1** EZiyoni ulindelwe
Yikubongwa, Thixo,
Njalo kuwe isifungo
Sizakwenziwa-ke.

**2** Wena okuzwayo khona
Lokh' ukukhuleka,
Ngakho kuwe izabuya
Yona yonk' inyama.

**3** Ububi bami-ke bona
Bungehlule mina,
Ezethu iziphambeko
Uzakuzisusa.

**4** Uyabusisw' omkhethayo
Wena, omsondeza
Ukuze yena ahlale
Emagumen' akho.

Sizakusutha ngokuhle,
Ngokulunga kwayo
Indlu yakho, ithempeli
Lakho elingcwele.

**5** Ngezint' ezesabekayo
Ngakho ukulunga
Uzasiphendula, Nkosi
Yosindiso lwethu.

Wena ulithemba layo
Yonk' imikhawulo
Yomhlaba labakhatshana
Khonale olwandle.

**6** Okuthi ngamandla ayo
Ezimise ngawo
Izintaba, ivunule
Wona amandla nje.

**7** Othulis' uxokozelo
Lwezinlwandle layo
Eyawo amavinq' azo
Lomsindo wabantu.

**8** Labo abahlezi khona
Emikhawulweni
Yomhlaba bayesaba nje
'Ziboniso zakho.

Uyakwenza kuthokoze
Ukuphuma kwakho
Ukusa lakho ukuhlwa
Khona kuthokoze.

**9** Uyethekela umhlaba,
Njal' uwunethise,
Uwuvundise kakhulu
Ngomfula weNkosi

Wona ogcwele amanzi.
Ubalungisele
Amabele nxa wena-ke
Uwalungisela.

**10** Uyanethisa kakhulu
Imisele yawo
Ulungise khona lapho
Imigelo yawo.

Wena uyawuthambisa
Ngayo imikhizo
Ubusisa ukumila
Lokho okulapho.

**11** Wethes' umnyaka ngomqhele
Ngokulunga kwakho,
Njalo izindlela zakho
Zithont' amagcobo.

**12** Athontel' emadlelweni
Ayo inkangala,
Athokoze amaqaqa
Kumacele wonke.



Zona zibe ngamatshumi
'Sificaminw'mbili,
Kube kant' amandla ayo
Ngumzamo losizi.

Ngoba wona aqunyiwe
Ngokuphangisisa,
Njalo thina sesiphapha
Sisuke-ke lapha.

**11** Ngubani owaz' amandla
Olaka lwakho na?
Njengokwesabeka kwakho
Lunj' ulaka lwakho.

**12** Sifundise ukubala
Izinsuku zethu
Size sizuz' inhliziyo
Yokuhlakanipha.

**13** Kawubuye, wena Nkosi,
Koze kube nini?
Akuhawukele zona
Izinceku zakho.

**14** Sisuthise-ke masinya
Ngesihawu sakho,
Sijabule sithokoze
Zonk' insuku zethu.

**15** S'thokozise njengensuku
Osihluphe ngazo,
Njengeminyak' esabona
Ngayo khon' okubi.

**16** 'Zenzo zakho kazibonwe
Yizinceku zakho,
Lokukhazimula kwakho
Ngabantwana bazo.

**17** Kakuthi ubuhle bayo,
'Nkosi 'Nkulunkulu
Wethu, kabube phezulu,
Yebo phezu kwethu.

Umis' umsebenz' wezandla
Zethu phezu kwethu,
Yebo, umsebenz' wezandla
Zethu uwumise.

## Isihlabelelo 91

**1** Ohlezi ekusitheni
Kwakh' oPhezukonke
Uzahlal' esithunzini
Sakhe uSomandla.

**2** Ngizathi ngeNkosi yami:
Uyinqaba yami
Lesiphephel'; uJehova
Wami, ngizamthemba.

**3** Mpela uzakukhulula
Kuwo umjibila
Womthiyi lasesifweni
Esibhubhisayo.

**4** Uzakwembesa ngensiba
Zakhe, uthembele
Ngaphansi kwempiko zakhe
Ngezikhathi zonke.

Lona iqiniso lakhe
Loba yisihlangu
Kanye lehawu kuwena
Uze uvikelwe.

**48** Nguwuphi yen' ophilayo
Ongayikufa na?
Uzakhupha umphefum'lo
Wakh' engcwabeni na?

**49** Nkosi buphi ububele
Bakho bamandulo,
Owafungel' uDavida
Ngeqiniso lakho?

**50** Khumbula, Nkosi, ihlazo
Lezinceku zakho,
Ngithwele njani ihlazo
Lezikhulu zonke,

**51** Ngal' izitha zakho, Nkosi,
Zigconile ngalo,
Izinyathelo zowakho
Ogcotshiweyo bo.

**52** Kayibusiswe iNkosi
Ngokungapheliyo,
Ibusisiwe phakade.
Amen' loAmeni.

## Isihlabelelo 90

*Umkhuleko kaMozisi, umuntu kaNkulunkulu.*

**1** Nkosi, uyindawo yethu
Yon' eyokuhlala
Phakathi kwazo zonke bo
Izizukulwana.

**2** Zingakabikho intaba,
Ungakenzi izwe,
Khona emaphakadeni
UnguNkulunkulu.

**3** Uyambuyisel' umuntu
Encithakalweni,
Uthi: Buyelani lina,
Bantwana babantu.

**4** Ngoba izinkulungwane
Zem'nyak' phambi kwakho
Zinjengezol' lidlulile
Lomlind' ebusuku.

**5** Wena uyabakhukhula,
Banjengobuthongo,
Ekusen' banjengotshani
Bon' obukhulayo.

**6** Bukhahlela ekuseni
Njalo buyakhula,
Sekuhlwile buyaqunywa
Bube sebubuna.

**7** Ngokuba thina siqedwa
Ngolwakho ulaka,
Njalo sihlutshwa ngeyakho
Yon' intukuthelo.

**8** Ubekile amacala
Ethu phambi kwakho,
Izono zethu zensitha
Zikho phambi kwakho.

**9** Insuku zethu zedlule
Kolwakho ulaka,
Sichith' iminyaka yethu
Njengenganekwane.

**10** Izinsuku zeminyaka
Yethu ngamatshumi
Ayisikhombisa, kuthi
Loba siqinile



**13** Isemadlelwen' im'hlambi
Zigcwel' izihotsha
Amabele, zithokoza
Njalo zihlabele.

## Isihlabelelo 66

*Kumqondisi wokuhlabelela.
Ihubo, isihlabelelo.*

**1** Yenzanini umsindo bo
Ojabulisayo,
Liwenze kuNkulunkulu,
Lina mazwe lonke.

**2** Hlabelani inhlonipho
Yelakhe ibizo,
Lenze izibongo zakhe
Zibe lal' udumo.

**3** Tshonini kw'iNkosi lithi:
Im'sebenzi yakho
Iyesabeka kangaka!
Ngabo ubukhulu

Bamandla wona awakho
'Zitha zakho zonke
Zizazehlisela zona
Ngaphambili kwakho.

**4** Wokukhonza wonk' umhlaba,
Uhlabele kuwe,
Bonke bazakuhlabela
Elakho ibizo.

**5** Wozanini lizebona
Izenzo zeNkosi,
Iyesabek' ekwenzeni
Kubantwan' babantu.

**6** Yaluphendula ulwandle
Lwaba ngumhlabathi,
Bachaph' umfula ngenyawo,
Laph' sathokoz' kuyo.

**7** Uyabusa ngamandl' akhe
Kub' ephakadeni,
Kabawe abavukeli.
Ubona izizwe.

**8** Bongani iNkosi yethu,
Lina-ke abantu,
Zwakalisani ilizwi
Lolwayo udumo.

**9** Igcina umphefumulo
Wethu empilweni,
Ingavumeli inyawo
Zethu zitshelele.

**10** Ngoba wena, Nkulunkulu,
Ususihlolile,
Wasilinga njengesil'va,
Yon' elingiweyo.

**11** Usilethile thina-ke
Kulo imbule nje,
Wabeka zon' inhlupheko
Kuzinkalo zethu.

**12** Uwenzile amadoda
Agad' emakhanda,
Sadabula emlilweni
Lakuwo amanzi.

Kodwa wen' usikhuphile,
Wasiletha khona
Endaweni yona leyo
Engevundileyo.

**13** Ngizakuy' endlini yakho
Lawo umnikelo
Wokutshiswa, ngibhadale
'Zifungo zam' kuwe.

**14** Ezikhulunywe zindebe
Zona-ke ezami,
Okukhulunywe ngumlomo
'Kuhluphekeni kwam'.

**15** Ngokunikel' im'hlatshelo
Yezinonileyo
Lamafutha ezinqama
Lenkomo lembuzi.

**16** Yizanini, lizwe lonke,
'Besab' uNkulunkul',
Ngizalanda akwenzele
Umphefum'lo wami.

**17** Ngakhala kuye mina-ke
Ngomlomo owami,
Njalo wakhuliswa ngalo
Ulimi olwami.

**18** Aluba nginanzelela
Khon' ukonakala
Enhliz'ywen' yami, iNkosi
Ngab' ingangizwanga.

**19** Qoth', iNkosi ingizwile,
Ilalele kimi
Kulo ilizwi eloku-
khuleka okwami.

**20** Ibusisiwe iNkosi
Engaphuthisanga
Ukukhuleka okwami,
Lom'sa wayo kimi.

## S.M. Isihlabelelo 67

*Kumqondisi wokuhlabelela. NgeNeginothi. Isihlabelelo, ingoma.*

**1** 'Thixo kabe lom'sa,
Makasibusise,
Makakhanyise ubuso
Bakhe kithi sonke.

**2** 'Kuz' indlela yakho
Yaziw' emhlabeni,
Khon' ukusindisa kwakho
Ezizweni zonke.

**3** Abakubonge-ke
Abantu, Nkosi bo,
Akuthi bonke abantu
Bakubonge wena.

**4** Kazithab' izizwe
Zonke, zihlabele
Ngenjabulo, zidumise
Kuwe njalo njalo.

Ngoba uzagweba
Abantu ngendlela
Elungileyo, wobusa
Izizwe zomhlaba.

**5** Abakubonge-ke
Abantu, Nkosi bo,
Akuthi bonke abantu
Bakubonge wena.



**33** Kodw' angiy'kususa kuye
Uthando lwami nya,
Lekuthembekeni kwami
Angiy'kukhohlisa.

**34** Isivumelwano sami
Kangikusephula,
Loba ngiguqule into
Yon' engiyitshilo.

**35** Ngafung' kanye
ngobungcwele
Obami ukuthi
Mina kangiyikuqamba
Manga kuDavida.

**36** Yohlala inzalo yakhe
Phakad', lesihlalo
Sakhe sobukhosi njenge-
langa phambi kwami.

**37** Sizakuma njengenyanga
Kokuphela, njalo
Njengomfakaz' ezulwini,
Oqinisileyo.

**38** Kodwa usumenyanyile
Owawumgcobile,
Usumlahlele khatshana,
Futhi umzondele.

**39** Udel' isivumelwano
Seyakho inceku,
Ungcolisile umqhele
Wakhe othulini.

**40** Uzifohlozile zonke
Izintango zakhe,
Wadiliza im'thangala
Yakhe yab' lunxiwa.

**41** Uyimpango kwabadlula
Bonke ngalindlela,
Kwabakhe omakhelwane
Usebe lihlazo.

**42** Ususiphakamisile
'Sandla sokunene
Sezitha zakho, wazenza
Zonke zajabula.

**43** Njalo ubuphendulile
'Bukhali benkemba
Yakhe, akasoze eme
Khona-ke empini.

**44** Ulufiphazile lona
Olwakhe udumo,
Wabhidlizela phansi-ke
Ubukhosi bakhe.

**45** 'Zinsuku zobutsha bakhe
Uzifinyezile,
Wena usumembesile
Ngazo izinhloni.

**46** Koze kube nini Nkosi?
Uzifihla njalo?
Ulaka lwakho luvutha
Njengomlilo yini?

**47** Khumbul' isikhathi sami
Sifitshane mpela,
Ngani udalele bonke
Abantu ize nje?

**19** Wasukhuluma ngombono
Kongcwele owakho,
Wathi: Ngibekil' uncedo
Kuye oliqhawe.

Ngiphakamise omunye
Ongokhethiweyo
Phakathi kwabo bona-ke,
Phakathi kwabantu.

**20** Ngimtholile uDavida
Oyinceku yami,
Ngimgcobile ngamafutha
Ami ayingcwele.

**21** Okuzakuthi isandla
Sami sime laye,
Ingalo eyami layo
Izakumqinisa.

**22** Isith' asiyikufuna
Umthelo kuyena,
Lendodana eyobubi
Kayiy'kumtshutshisa.

**23** Ngizazitshaya izitha
Zakhe phambi kwakhe,
Ngizakubahlupha bona
Abamuzondayo.

**24** Uthembeko lom'sa wami
Kuzakuba laye,
Uphondo lwakhe loqonga
Ebizweni lami.

**25** Mina ngizakusimisa
Esakho isandla
Olwandle, lesokunene
Sakhe emfuleni.

**26** Uzakhala kimi athi:
Wena unguBaba,
INkosi yami, ledwala
Losindiso lwami.

**27** Lami futhi ngizamenza
Izibulo lami,
Ngimqongise ngaphezulu
Kwamakhosi ezwe.

**28** Ngomgcinela isihawu
Sihlale njalo nje,
Lesivumelwano sami
Sizaqina laye.

**29** Ngizalond' inzalo yakhe,
Ihlale njalo nje,
Njengezinsuku zezulu
Isihlalo sakhe.

**30** Uba abantwana bakhe
Bedela umlayo
Wami, bengahambi kuzo
Izahlulo zami,

**31** Nxa besephul' izimiso
Zami bezidela,
Bangayilond' imithetho
Yonale eyami,

**32** Ngothi ngehlele isono
Esabo ngentonga,
Leziphambeko ezabo
Ngoswaz' olunzima.



**6** Kuzakuth' umhlaba
Uleth' izithelo;
UThixo uThixo wethu
Uzasibusisa.

**7** Izasibusisa
INkosi, kuzathi
Yonke imikhawulo bo
Yomhlab' iyesabe.

## Isihlabelelo 68

*Kumqondisi wokuhlabelela.*
*Isihlabelelo, ingoma kaDavida.*

**1** Kavuke uNkulunkulu,
Kuchithwe izitha,
Lalabo abamzondayo
Abambalekele.

**2** Njengentuthu iphetshethwa
Bamukise wena,
Njengengcin' incibilika
Phambili komlilo.

**3** Ababi kababhubhe bo
Phambi kway' iNkosi.
Kodwa abalungileyo
Babe lentokozo.

Kabajabule-ke phambi
KukaNkulunkulu
Yebo, kabathokoze-ke,
Ye kakhulukazi.

**4** Hlabelela kuJehova
Izibongo zakhe,
Lidumis' ibizo lakhe
Lidumise yena.

Yen' okhwel' emazulwini
Ngebizo lakh' uJah,
Njalo lithabe impela
Khona phambi kwakhe.

**5** Uyise wezintandane
Ngumahluleli bo
Wabafelwakaz', iNkosi
Kundlu yay' engcwele.

**6** UNkulunkul' uhlalisa
Ababodwa ngazo
Izindlu ngezindlu. Njalo
Abakhuphe labo

Ababotshwe ngawo wona
Amaketane bo,
Kodwa abavukelayo
Bahlal' enkangala.

**7** Nkulunkul' usukhokhela
Abakho abantu,
Ubahola udabula
Lezozinkangala.

**8** Umhlaba wanyikinyeka,
Lawo amazulu
Athontisa phambi kwakhe
Yen' uNkulunkulu.

Ngitsho layo iSinayi
Yanyikinyeka bo
Phambi kukaNkulunkulu,
'Thixo ka'Srayeli.

**9** Nkosi, wanisa kakhulu
Ngalo, wal'qinisa
Ilifa elakho, lapho
Selidiniwe-ke.

**10** Ibandla lakho lihlezi
Khonapho, o Nkosi,
Ulungisel' abayanga
Ngobakho ubuhle.

**11** INkosi yanika izwi:
Ixuku lona-ke
Elakubikayo khona
Lalil'khulukazi.

**12** Amakhosi empi yona
Abaleka wonke,
Lomfaz' owasal' ekhaya
Wabelwa impango

**13** Lanxa lilel' embizeni,
Lofana lempiko
Zamajuba esiliva,
'Nsiba zegolide.

**14** Laph' uSomandla echitha
Amakhosi kukho,
Kwanjengeliqhwa eSalmon'
Elikhithikayo.

**15** Intaba kaNkulunkulu
Ifana lentaba
YaseBashane ngobude,
Intab' iBashane.

**16** Leqelani-ke zintaba?
UThix' uthand' uku-
hlala khona; 'Nkos' yohlala
Khona laphakade.

**17** 'Nqola zikaNkulunkulu
Zizinkulungwane
Ezimatshum' amabili,
Izinkulungwane
Ezazo izingilosi.
INkos' iphakathi
Kwazo njengaseSinayi
Endawen' engcwele.

**18** Wenyukela phezulu-ke,
Udons' izigqili
Khona ebugqilini bo,
Wemukel' izipho
Zona ezabo abantu
Lab' avukelayo,
Ukuze uMlim' iNkosi
Azehlala kibo.

**19** Ibusisiwe iNkosi
Esipha izipho
Insuku zonke, uMlimu
Wosindiso lwethu.

**20** Yen' uNkulunkulu wethu
Ungowosindiso,
KuThix' iNkosi kuloku-
phuma ekufeni.

**21** 'Nkulunkul' uzalimaza
Ikhanda lezitha,
Aziqothul' izinwele
Ezaso isoni.

**22** Ngabantu bayo iNkosi
Yathi: Ngobasusa
EBashane, laselwandle
Ngibabuyise bo.



**5** Amazulu azabonga
Izimanga zakho,
Nkosi, uthembeko lwakho
'Bandlen' labangcwele.

**6** Ngoba ngubani kulabo
Abasezulwini
Ongalinganiswa laye
Yena uJehova?

Kambe ngubani phakathi
Kwalamadodana
Eziqhwag' ongafaniswa
Laye uJehova?

**7** Makesatshwe uJehova
'Bandlen' labangcwele,
Ahlonitshwe yibo bonke
Abamhanqileyo.

**8** Nkosi, Thixo wemikhosi,
Nguban' onjengawe
Ngamandl'? Uthembeko lwakho
Olukuhanqile?

**9** Iziphepho zaselwandle
Ziyabuswa nguwe,
Nxa amavinqo evuka
Uyawachumisa.

**10** Ufohloze iRahabi
Njengobuleweyo,
Uchithe izitha zakho
Ngengal' yamandl' akho.

**11** Amazulu angawakho,
Kanye lomhlaba lo,
Umhlaba lemvamo yawo
Wasekelwa nguwe.

**12** Wadala iningizimu
Layo inyakatho,
IHermoni leTabori
Kothokoza ngawe.

**13** Ulengalo elamandla,
'Sandla siqinile,
Siphakeme son' isandla
Sakho sokunene.

**14** Ukuqonda lesigwebo
Kukumbuso wakho,
Isihawu leqiniso
Kuhamba phamb' kwakho.

**15** Bayabusiswa sibili
Labo abantu-ke
Abawaziyo umsindo
Othokozisayo.

Bazakuhamba, o Nkosi,
Bephakathi kwakho
Ukukhanya okobuso
Bakho, wena Nkosi.

**16** Bazatshona bejabula
Ebizweni lakho,
Ekulungeni okwakho
Bazaphakanyiswa.

**17** Ngoba uludumo lwawo,
Amandla awabo,
Uphondo lwethu loqonga
Ngesihawu sakho.

**18** Ngokuba yona iNkosi
Yimvikelo yethu,
LoNgcwele wako'Srayeli
Uyinkosi yethu.

**9** Mina elami ilihlo
Liyalila lona
Ngenxa yesizatho sona
Esalo uhlupho.

Nkosi ngakubiza mina
Izinsuku zonke,
Ngizelulile izandla
Zami ngakuwena.

**10** Uzabonis' izimanga
Kubabafileyo?
Bazavuk' abafileyo
Bakudumise na?

**11** Kuzatshunyayelw' uthando
Lwakho engcwabeni?
Kumbe uthembeko lwakho
Encithakalweni?

**12** Izimanga zakho zokwa-
ziwa emnyameni?
Lokulunga elizweni
Lokukhohlwa yini?

**13** Kodwa ngakuwe ngakhala,
Wena, o Jehova,
Ekuseni umthandazo
Wam' uphambi kwakho.

**14** Nkosi, kungani ulahla
Umphefum'lo wami?
Kungani ungifihlela
Obakho ubuso?

**15** Ngihlutshiwe ngilungele
Ukuf' ebutsheni,
Ngisizwa ukwesabeka
Kwakho ngidangele.

**16** 'Laka lwakh' olutshisayo
Ludlula phez' kwami,
Ukwesabeka okwakho
Sekungiqumile.

**17** Kuyangihanqa-ke mina
Izinsuku zonke
Njengamanzi, kungihanqa
Konk' indawo zonke.

**18** 'Sithandwa lomngan' ubase
Khatshana le lami,
Ujwayelo lwami lona
Khona emnyameni.

## Isihlabelelo 89

*IMasikili kaEthani umEzira.*

**1** Ngizahlabela ngomusa
WeNkosi phakade,
Ngitshel' izizukulwana
Ngothembeko lwakho.

**2** Ngoba ngithe: Kokwakhiwa
Umusa phakade,
Uzamisa uthembeko
Lwakho ezulwini.

**3** Ngenze isivumelwano
Lay' umkhethwa wami,
Ngifungile kuDavida
Oyinceku yami.

**4** Ngizaqinisa phakade
Eyakho inzalo,
Ngizakwakhel' ubukhosi
Emideni yonke.



**23** Ukuz' ucwilis' unyawo
Lwakho egazini
Lezitha zakho, lolimi
Lwezinja zakh' kulo.

**24** Sebebone izinhambo
Ezakho, Jehova,
Nkulunkulu, Nkosi yami,
Kundawo engcwele.

**25** Abaculi bakhokhela,
'Batshayi bogubhu
Lezintombi zazilapho,
Zibetha ichacho.

**26** Bongan' uThix' ebandleni,
Ngitsho yon' iNkosi,
Elivele emthonjeni
WakwaIsrayeli.

**27** Ukhona uBenjamini
Engomuncinyane,
Balaye umbusi wabo
Yena okaJuda,

Amakhosi ayelawo
Amacebo awo,
Amakhosana awakwa-
Zeb'loni, Naftali.

**28** 'Nkosi yakho imisele
Awakho amandla,
Qinisa Nkosi khonokho
Osenzele khona.

**29** Ngenxa yelakh' ithempeli
LaseJerusalem'
Amakhosi azaletha
Zon' izipho kuwe.

**30** Khuza bona abemkhonto,
Umhlambi wenkunzi,
Lamankonyana abantu,
Baze bona bonke

Bazinikela bephethe
Inhlamvu zesil'va,
Abantu abathokoza
Empini bachithe.

**31** Amakhosan' azaphuma
'Gibithe; masinya
'Eth'yopiya yokwelula
'Sandla say' kw'iNkosi.

**32** Hlabelan' kuNkulunkulu,
Mibuso yomhlaba,
Lihlabelel' indumiso
Kuyona iNkosi.

**33** Kuye okhwela phezulu
Kwawo amazulu,
Endul', athume elakhe
Ilizw' elikhulu.

**34** Nikan' iNkosi amandla,
Ubukhosi bayo
Buphezu kuka'Srayeli,
Lamandl' emafini.

**35** Uyesabeka, o Nkosi,
Kwezakho indawo
Ezingcwel', uNkulunkulu
Wakh' uIsrayeli

Nguye ophayo amandla
Njalo lokuqina
Ebantwini bakhe. Kayi-
busiswe iNkosi.

## Isihlabelelo 69

*Kumqondisi wokuhlabelela. NgeShoshanimi. EsikaDavida.*

**1** Ngisindise, Nkulunkulu,
Ngokuba amanzi
Asefinyelele kuwo
Umphefum'lo wami.

**2** Ngiyatshona edakeni,
Kangilakh' ukuma,
Sengingene emanzini,
Zang'minz' impophoma.

**3** Ngidinwe yisililo sam',
Womil' umphimbo wam',
Amehlo ayafiphala,
Ngilind' iNkosi yam'.

**4** Abangizondela ize
Banengi kulazo
Inwele zekhanda lami.
Balamandla futhi

Abangangibhubhisa m'na
Izitha zam' ngeze,
Ngakho sengibuyisele
Engingakwebanga.

**5** Nkulunkulu uyabazi
Ubuthutha bami,
Azifihlekile kuwe
Ezami izono.

**6** Abalinda kuwe bona
Kabangayangeki
Ngenxa yami, Nkulunkulu
Nkosi yamabandla.

Abakudingayo bona
Kabangadideki
Ngenxa yami, Nkulunkulu,
Nkosi ka'Srayeli.

**7** Ngoba ngenxa yakho sengi-
thwele lon' ihlazo,
Zona izinhloni sezi-
mboz' ubuso bami.

**8** Sengingowemzini kubo
Bon' abafowethu
Lowezizwe kubo aba-
ntwana bakamama.

**9** Ngoba inkuthalo ngayo
Indlu engeyakho
Isithe yangidla yona
Yaze yangiqeda.

Njalo inhlamba zalabo
Abakuthukayo
Sezithe zawela khona
Phezulu kwami bo.

**10** Lapho ngabe ngilila m'na,
'Mphefum'lo useku-
zileni, ukudla kwami
Ngadunyazwa ngakho.

**11** Ngenza amasaka aba
Yisigqoko sami,
Ngaba yinhlekisa mina
Kibo labo bonke.



Khangela iFilistiya
Lakuyo iTire,
L'Etiyopiya, lumuntu
Wazalelwa khona.

**5** NgeZiyoni kuzathiwa:
Lo lay' wazalelwa
Khona, yen' oPhezukonke
Uzakulimisa.

**6** Ekubhaleni abantu
INkosi yobala
Ukuthi yena lumuntu
Wazalelwa khona.

**7** Koba laph' abahlabeli
Lentshayi zechacho,
Imithombo yonke yami
Yona ikuwena.

## Isihlabelelo 88

*Ihubo, isihlabelelo. Kubantwana bakaKora. Kumqondisi wokuhlabelela. NgeMahalathi-Leyanothi. IMasikili kaHemani umEzira.*

**1** Nkosi, Thixo wosindiso
Lwami, ngikhalile
Emini lasebusuku
Khona phambi kwakho.

**2** Vumel' umthandazo wami
Uze ngakuwena,
Lulamis' indlebe yakho
Ekukhaleni kwam'.

**3** Ngoba umphefum'lo wami
Ugcwele inhlupho,
Impilo yam' isondela
Khona engcwabeni.

**4** Ngibalwa labo abaya
Khona emgodini,
Senginjengayo indoda
Eswele amandla.

**5** Ngikhutshwe labafileyo
Njengababulewe,
Bona-ke abaleleyo
Kulona ingcwaba,

Ongasabakhumbuliyo,
Ngitsho lakanye nje,
Sebequnyiwe-ke bona
Kus' isandla sakho.

**6** Ungilalisile mina
Kumgodi ophansi
Kulayo yonk' emnyameni
Khon' ekujuleni.

**7** Ulaka lwakho-ke lona
Selungisindile,
Wasungihlupha ngawakho
Wonk' amagagasi.

**8** Usubahlukanisile
Abangane bami
Baba khatshana lami-ke.
Futhi ungenzile

Mina ngenyanyeka kibo,
Futhi ngivalelwe,
Njalo ngingeke ngiphume,
Impela ngingeke.

Hlanganisa inhliziyo
Eyami, ukuze
Ibe lokwesaba lona
Elakho ibizo.

**12** Nkulunkul', ngizakubonga
Ngenhliziyo yami
Yonke, ngizakudumisa
Kokuphela, Nkosi.

**13** Ngoba isihawu sakho
Sikhulu ngakimi,
Ukhulul' umphefum'lo wam'
Phans' esihogweni.

**14** Nkosi, abaziqhenyayo
Bayangivukela,
Lemibuthano yabantu
Abavukelayo

Labantu abazingela
Umphefum'lo wami,
Njalo kababakubekanga
Wena phambi kwabo.

**15** Kodwa wena, hawu Nkosi,
UnguNkulunkulu,
UnguMlimu ogcweleyo
Ugcwele uzwelo,

Lawo umusa ngowakho,
Lal' ubekezelo,
Lesihawu singesakho,
Lalo iqiniso.

**16** O phendukela ngakimi,
Ube lesihawu,
Uyiphe amandla akho
Eyakho inceku.

Njalo-ke uyisindise
Yona indodana
Eyayo incekukazi,
Yona-ke eyakho.

**17** Ngitshengise lon' uphawu
Olwakho okuhle,
Kuze kuthi abazondi
Bami balubone

Njalo kababe lenhloni.
Ngoba wena, Nkosi,
Usungisizile mina
Ungiduduzile.

## Isihlabelelo 87

*Kubantwana bakaKora.*
*Isihlabelelo, ihubo.*

**1** Isisekelo-ke sona
Sayo sikuzona
Izintaba, zona lezo
Ezingcwele zayo.

**2** 'Nkosi ithand' amasango
AwaseZiyoni
Okwedlul' indawo zonke
EzikaJakobe.

**3** Izinto ezilodumo
Zikhulunywa ngawe,
O wena, muzi omkhulu
OkaNkulunkulu.

**4** Ngizakuyiqamba yona
IRahabi layo
IBhabhiloni kubona
Abangaziyo m'na.



**12** Abahlezi esangweni
Bakhuluma ngami,
Ngaba yiyo yon' ingoma
Yazo izidakwa.

**13** Kodwa umthandazo wami
Ungakuwe, Nkosi,
Ngaso sona isikhathi
Esomusa wakho.

Nkulunkulu ngobunengi
Besakh' isihawu,
Ngizwe, kulo iqiniso
Losindiso lwakho

**14** Ngikhuphe edakeni bo,
Ngingaze ngatshona,
Ngikhutshwe kubazondi bam'
Lakwanzul' amanzi.

**15** Ngingaminzwa zimpophoma,
Ngingaginywa 'nziki,
Ngivalelwe emlonyeni
Owawo umgodi.

**16** Kawungizwe, Nkosi, ngoba
Uthando lwakh' luhle,
Ngobunengi besihawu
Phendukela kimi.

**17** Ungaze wafulathela
Eyakho inceku,
Phangisa ungizwe mina
Ngisenhluphekweni.

**18** Sondela emphefum'lweni
Wami, uwuhlenge,
Kawungikhulule ngenxa
Yezami izitha.

**19** Uyalaz' ihlazo lami
Lezinhloni zami
Lodelelo, izitha zam'
Zonk' ziphambi kwakho.

**20** Ihlazo seliyephule
Inhliziyo yami,
Ngigcwele bon' ubunzima,
Ngaswela umsizi

Ngitsho-ke umhawukeli
Akaze abakho,
Ngifuna abaduduzi,
Ngaswela loyedwa.

**21** Endaweni yakh' ukudla
Bangipha inyongo,
Sengiphakathi kokoma
Ngaphiw' iviniga.

**22** 'Tafula labo kalibe
Yiwo umjibila,
Okuqonde ukulunga
Akube ngumgibe.

**23** Kawabe mnyam' amehl' abo
'Kuze bangaboni,
Zihlale zithuthumela
Izinkalo zabo.

**24** Thela olwakho ulaka
Khona phezu kwabo,
Babanjwe lulaka lwakho
Lay' intukuthelo.

**25** Kuchithwe indawo zabo
Abahlala kuzo,
Kakungabikho ohlala
Emadumben' abo.

**26** Ngokuba bayakumhlupha
Low' otshaywe nguwe,
Bakhuluma besengeza
Kwab'linyazwe nguwe.

**27** Yandisa ububi babo
Phezulu kobunye,
Bangaze bangena kukho
Ukulunga kwakho

**28** Kabesulwe encwadini
Eyabaphilayo,
Bangaze balotshwa kanye
Labalungileyo.

**29** Kodwa mina ngingumyanga
Njalo ngilusizi,
Nkosi usindiso lwakho
Kalung'phakamise.

**30** Ngizalibonga ibizo
LikaNkulunkulu
Ngengoma, ngiphakamise
Ngazo izibongo.

**31** Lalokho koyithabisa
INkos' okwedlula
Inkabi kumb' ijongosi
Lempond' lamangqina.

**32** Othobekileyo uza-
bona lokh' athabe,
Yophil' inhliziyo yakhe
Odinga iNkosi.

**33** Ngoba iNkosi iyezwa
Bona abayanga,
Njalo kayizideleli
Izibotshwa zayo.

**34** Kayibongwe ngamazulu
Lomhlaba lolwandle,
Lakho konke okuhamba
Khona phakathi nje.

**35** 'Nkulunkul' uzakhulula
Yona iZiyoni,
Njalo ayakhe imizi
Yona eyeJuda,

Ukuze bona bahlale
Khona lapho, njalo
Bayizuze ukuze-ke
Kube yifa labo.

**36** Inzalo yenceku zakhe
Izakuyifuya,
Labathand' ibizo lakhe
Bazahlala kuyo.

## S.M. Isihlabelelo 70

*Kumqondisi wokuhlabelela.*
*EsikaDavida. Ukukhumbuza.*

**1** Woza uphangise,
Ungephule, Thixo,
Tshetsha uzengisiza bo,
Wena oyiNkosi.

**2** Kababe lenhloni
Njalo badideke
Abadinga won' owami
Umuphefumulo.



**10** Isihawu leqiniso
Kuhlangene, njalo
Ukulunga lokuthula
Lakho sekwangene.

**11** Iqiniso lizaphuma
Khon' emhlabathini,
'Kulunga kuzakhangela
Phans' kusezulwini.

**12** Yebo iNkos' izanika
Okulungileyo,
'Lizwe lethu lizathela
'Zithel' ezinengi.

**13** Ukulunga kuzahamba
Phambi kwayo, njalo
Izasimis' endleleni
Yez'nyathelo zayo.

## Isihlabelelo 86

*Umkhuleko kaDavida.*

**1** Bek' indlebe yakho, Nkosi,
Ukuthi ungizwe,
Ngoba mina ngingumyanga,
Njalo ngiyaswela.

**2** Londa umphefum'lo wami,
Ngoba ngingoqotho,
Nkosi nced' inceku yakho
Ethembela kuwe.

**3** Yiba lesihawu kimi,
Wena Nkulunkulu,
Ngoba ngikhalela kuwe
Izinsuku zonke.

**4** Thokozisa umphefum'lo
Wenceku yakh', ngoba
Kuwe, Nkos', ngiphakamisa
Umphefum'lo wami.

**5** Nkosi, wena ulomusa,
Ungoxolelayo,
Ugcwele son' isihawu
Kwababiza wena.

**6** Nik' indlebe, Nkosi, kiwo
Umthandazo wami,
Ulalele izwi lami
Lokuncenga kwami.

**7** Kusuku lohlupho lwami
Ngizakukubiza,
Ngakho-ke ngenxa yalokhu
Uzangiphendula.

**8** Phakathi kwabo omlimu
Kakh' ofana lawe,
Nkos', izenzo ezifana
Lezakho azikho.

**9** Zonk' izizwe ozenzile
Zoza zikukhonze,
O Nkosi, zizadumisa
Ibizo elakho.

**10** Ngokuba wena umkhulu
Njalo wena wenza
Izimangaliso; nguwe,
Nkulunkulu wedwa.

**11** Akungifundis' indlela
Yakho, o Jehova,
Ngizakuhamba ngelakho
Iqiniso, Nkosi.

Ngikheth' ukulind' umnyango
Wendlu yeNkosi yam'
Kulokuhlal' ethenteni
Elenkohlakalo.

**11** Ngob' iNkos' uNkulunkulu
Ulilanga lesi-
hlangu; iNkosi yonika
Umusa lodumo.

Kakukho uluth' oluhle
Azakubancitsha
Lona abahamba ngakho
Khona ukuqonda.

**12** Nkulunkulu wamabandla,
Yena umuntu lo
Ubusisiwe sibili
Othembela kuwe.

## Isihlabelelo 85

*Kumqondisi wokuhlabelela.*
*Kubantwana bakaKora.*
*Isihlabelelo.*

**1** Nkosi wawulal' uthando
Kulo izwe lakho,
'Kuthunjwa kukaJakobe
Ukubuyisile.

**2** Ububi babantu bakho
Ubuxolelile,
Zonke izono ezabo
Usuzigqibele.

**3** Wena usulususile
Lonk' ulaka lwakho,
Uphenduk' ekuvutheni
Kolwakho ulaka.

**4** Siphendule, Nkulunkulu
Wosindiso lwethu,
Wenz' ulaka lwakho lume,
Lungabuyi kithi.

**5** Kambe uzasizondela
Kokuphela yini?
Welule ulaka lwakho
Kuzizukulwana?

**6** Kawuyikubuya yini
Usivuselele,
Ukuze abantu bakho
Bathokoze kuwe?

**7** Sitshengise isihawu
Sakho, wena Nkosi,
Ubususinika wena
Olwakh' usindiso.

**8** Ngizakuzwa lokh' uThixo
INkos' ezakutsho,
Ngokuba uzakhuluma
Khona ukuthula

Kubo abantu abakhe
Lakubangcwel' bakhe,
Kodwa kabangabuyeli
Khon' ebuthutheni.

**9** Qhoth' 'sindiso lwakh' luduze
Labamesabayo,
Ukuz' udumo luhlale
Elizweni lethu.



Kabaphendulelwe,
Babuyel' emuva,
Badideke abafuna
Ukulimala kwam'.

**3** Kababuyiselwe
'Muva, kube 'mvuzo
Wenhloni zabo abathi:
Aha! Aha! kimi.

**4** Kakuthi bathabe
Njalo bajabule
Kuwe bonke labo bona
Abakufunayo.

Kabathi-ke njalo
Abaluthandayo
Lona usindiso lwakho:
Kay'phakam' iNkosi.

**5** Kodwa ngingumyanga,
Mina ngiyaswela,
Phangisa ukuza kimi,
Wena Nkulunkulu.

Ungumsizi wami,
Lomkhululi wami,
Wena Nkosi, ungaphuzi,
Phangisa masinya.

## Isihlabelelo 71

**1** Kuwe Nkosi, ngiyabeka
Lon' ithemba lami,
Ungaze wangiyekela
Ngibe lamahloni.

**2** Ngikhulule ngokulunga
Kwakh', ubusungenza
Ngiphunyuke, bek' indlebe
Kim' ungisindise.

**3** Yiba yindaw' eqinile
Yami yokuhlala,
Lapho engingaya khona
Kube njalonjalo.

Usulayile ukuthi
Ngisindiswe mina,
Ngoba ulidwala lami
Lay' inqaba yami.

**4** Ngikhulule, Nkosi yami,
Esandleni sakhe
Omubi longalunganga
Ongolesihluku.

**5** Ngoba ulithemba lami,
Nkosi Nkulunkulu,
Wena uyinqaba yami
Kwasebutsheni bam'.

**6** Kusizalo wangigodla,
Wena wangikhupha
Esiswini sikamama,
Ngokubonga njalo.

**7** Nginjengesimanga kuye
Uzulu, kodwa-ke
Wena uyiyo inqaba
Yam' eqinileyo.

**8** Umlomo wam' awugcwale
Ukubongwa kwakho,
Lalo udumo olwakho
Kulo lonk' usuku.

**9** Ungabongilahla mina
Lapho sengimdala,
Ungangitshiyi mina nxa
Amandl' am' ephela.

**10** Ngoba izitha ezami
Zitsh' okubi ngami,
Labahlomel' umphefum'lo
Wami betshelana,

**11** Beth': INkos' isimtshiyile,
Mzingelen' limbambe,
Ngoba kakho yen' olakho
Ukumkhulula bo.

**12** Ungaze waba khatshana
Lami, Nkulunkulu,
Phangisa, Nkulunkulu wam',
Ukusiza mina.

**13** Kabajabhiswe njalo-ke
Balotshiswe labo
Abayizitha zawo nje
Umphefum'lo wami.

Abembathiswe bona-ke
Ngesigcono njalo
Lehlazo bon' abadinga
Ukungilimaza.

**14** Kodwa ngizathemba mina
Kokuphela njalo,
Ngoba lokhu ngikubonga
Wena futhi futhi.

**15** Umlomo wam' wolandisa
Ukulunga kwakho
Losindiso nsuku zonke
Engingekubale.

**16** Ngizahamba emandleni
ENkos' uJehova,
Ngizaqamba ukulunga,
Okwakho kuphela.

**17** Nkosi ungifundisile
Kwasebutsheni bam',
Ngilokhu ngitshumayela
Izimanga zakho.

**18** Khathesi nxa sengimdala
Njalo ngiyingwevu,
O Nkosi, wena ungaze
Wangitshiya mina,

Ngize ngiwatshumayele
Awakho amandla
Kulesisizukulwana,
Bonk' abazakuza.

**19** Ukulunga kwakho lakho,
O Nkosi, kukhulu,
Wena owenzileyo bo
Izint' ezinkulu.

**20** O Nkosi, ngubani na nje
Ofanana lawe!
Wena ongibonisile
Insizi zohlupho;

Uzangiphilisa njalo
Ungiphakamise
Njalo khona enzikini
Eyawo umhlaba.

**21** Uzakuthi ubandise
Ubukhulu bami,
Futhi uzangiduduza
Kunhlangothi zonke.



**17** Kabajabhiswe phakade
Njalo bahlupheke,
Yebo-ke benziwe babe
Lenhloni, babhubhe.

**18** Ukuze abantu bazi
Wen', obizo lakho
Lodwa nguJehova, 'Phezu-
konke emhlabeni.

## Isihlabelelo 84

*Kumqondisi wokuhlabelela. NgeGiththi. Kubantwana bakaKora. Isihlabelelo.*

**1** Yek' ukuthandeka kwawo,
Hawu Nkosi kimi,
Amathente akho, Nkosi,
Wena wamabandla.

**2** Owami umphefumulo
Uyawalangatha,
Yebo, unxwanela ama-
guma kaJehova.

Inhliziyo yami layo
Yon' inyama yami
Iyakhala ikhalela
INkos' ephilayo.

**3** Yebo inyoni zithole
Indlu, lenkonjane
Isidleke sayo, lapho
Engabeka khona

Abantwana bayo lawo
Awakh' amalathi,
O Jehova wamabandla,
Nkosi Mlimu wami.

**4** Babusisiw' abahlala
Kuyo indlu yakho,
Bazakuhlala nje bona
Bekubonga wena.

**5** Ubusisiwe umuntu
Omandl' akh' akuwe,
Enhliziyweni eyakhe
Kulendlela zakho.

**6** Abadlul' esigodini
SeBaka basenza
Umthombo; liwagcwalise
Izul' amachibi.

**7** Basuka kuwo amandla
Besiy' emandleni,
Bonk' babonakale phambi
KweNkos' eZiyoni.

**8** Nkosi, Mlimu wamabandla,
Zwan' ukukhuleka
Kwami, ubeke indlebe,
Nkosi kaJakobe.

**9** Nkulunkulu, hawu lethu,
Khangela ubone
Ubuso bakhe yena lo
'Gcotshiweyo wakho.

**10** Ngoba usuk' olulodwa
Ngisendlini yakho
Lungcono lona kakhulu
Kulenkulungwane.

**2** Ngoba khangela, izitha
Zakho zenz' umsindo,
Labazonda wena sebe-
phakamis' ikhanda.

**3** Sebecebe ngobuqili
Ngabakho abantu,
Beceba ngabo abakho
Abafihliweyo.

**4** Bathe: Wozan' sibaqume
Bangabi yisizwe,
Ibizo lako'Srayeli
Lingasakhunjulwa.

**5** Ngoba sebecebisene
Nganhliziyonye nje,
Benza isivumelwano
Bemelana lawe.

**6** Amadumba eEdoma
LakwaIshmayeli,
Lawo awaseMowabi
LamaHagari bo.

**7** IGebali leAmoni
Lay' iAmaleki,
IFilisti labahlezi
Em'zini yeTire.

**8** Lihlangene labo futhi
Lona iAshuri,
Bona bayincedisile
Inzalo kaLoti.

**9** Benze lokhu owakwenza
KumaMidiyani,
LoSisera loJabini
Kumful' iKishoni,

**10** Ababhubha eEndori;
Baphenduka baba
Njengabo bon' ubulongwe
Basemhlabathini.

**11** Zenze zona izikhulu
Zabo zifanane
LoOrebi, njalo laye
Yenza njengoZebi.

Yebo wonke won' awabo
Amakhosana-ke
Abe njengoZeba njalo
NjengoZalimuna.

**12** Bona abasebesithi:
Asizithathele
'Zindlu zikaNkulunkulu,
Sizenze ezethu.

**13** Nkosi yami benze babe
Njenges'vunguzane,
Lanjengawo amakhoba
Amuka lomoya.

**14** Njengawo wona umlilo
Otshisa ihlathi,
Lanjengalo ilangabi
Elitshis' intaba

**15** Ngokunjalo ubaxotshe
Ngesiphepho sakho,
Njalo ubenze besabe
Ngesiqhotho sakho.

**16** Gcwalisa ubuso babo
Ngawo amanhloni,
Ukuze bading' ibizo
Lakho, wena Nkosi.



**22** Futhi ngizakukubonga
Ngalo nje ichacho,
Ngizalibonga elakho
Lona iqiniso.

Mlimu wami, kuwe ngiza-
hlabela ngogubhu,
Nguwe, o wena oNgcwele
WakoIsrayeli.

**23** Indebe zam' zothokoza
Kakhul' ngihlabela
Kuwe, lomphefum'lo wami
Owuhlengileyo.

**24** Lolwami ulimi lona
Luzakukhuluma
Ngokwakho khon' ukulunga
Ilanga lonke nje.

Ngokuba balazo zona
Izinhloni, njalo
Bahlabeke abathanda
Ukungilimaza.

## Isihlabelelo 72

*KuSolomoni.*

**1** Nkulunkulu, nik' inkosi
Izahlulo zakho,
Lay' indodana yenkosi
Ukulunga kwakho.

**2** Izabahlulel' abantu
Bakho ngokulunga,
Ibagwebe abayanga
Bakho ngemfanelo.

**3** Intaba zizalethela
'Bantu ukuthula,
Lawo amaqaqanyana
Ngakho ukulunga.

**4** Yohlulela abayanga,
Isiz' abantwana
Babasweli, ibephule
Iziq' abahluphi.

**5** Bokwesaba ingq' ilanga
Lenyanga kuhlezi
Kokuphela, kuzo zonke
Izizukulwana.

**6** Uyakwehla njengezulu
Phezu kwamahlungu,
Njengazo inhlambo zona
'Zimanzis' umhlaba.

**7** Ngensuku zayo bokwanda
Abalungileyo,
Kwand' ukuthula nxa lokhe
Inyang' isekhona.

**8** Uzabusa kusukela
Kulwandle kusiya
Kulwandl', lemfulen' kusiya
Kuz'phetho zomhlaba.

**9** Abahlala enkangala
Bazaguqa khona
Phambi kwakhe, njal' izitha
Zokhotha uthuli.

**10** Amakhosi eTarshishi
Lawo awakuzo
Izihlenge azaletha
Zona izipho bo.

Amakhosi awakhona
EShebha leSebha
Azakunika zona nje
Ezawo izipho.

**11** Yebo amakhosi wonke
Azakuwa wona
Phambi kwakhe, zonk' izizwe
Zizakumkhonza bo.

**12** Ngokuba uzamkhulula
Osweley' ekhala,
Lomyanga laye lowo nje
Yen' ongelamsizi.

**13** Wohawukela umyanga
Loswelayo, njalo
Isindise im'phefum'lo
Eyabaswelayo.

**14** Wohleng' umphefum'lo wabo
Kungoz' lodlakela,
Legazi labo lil'gugu
Emehlweni akhe.

**15** Njalo uzaphila yena,
Kuye kuzanikwa
Okwalo lon' igolide
Lon' elaseShebha.

Uzakwenzel' im'thandazo
Yena njalo njalo,
Uzakudunyiswa yena
Izinsuku zonke.

**16** Koba khon' ihetshezana
Lawo amabele
Elizweni khona phezu
Kwengqonga zentaba.

Zohatshazel' izithelo
NjengeLebanoni,
Bokhaphazel' abomuzi
Satshani bomhlaba.

**17** Ibizo layo lokuma
Kube nininini,
Ibizo lizakuhlala
Lisekhon' ilanga.

Bazakubusiswa kuye,
Lazo zonk' izizwe
Zizakutsho khon' ukuthi
Yen' ubusisiwe.

**18** Ibusisiwe iNkosi,
'Nkosi ka'Srayeli,
'Mlimu yedwa owenzayo
Imimangaliso.

**19** Kalibusiswe ibizo
Lakh' elilodumo,
Ugcwal' umhlaba ngodumo.
Ameni, Ameni.

*Imikhuleko kaDavida indodana kaJese isiphelile.*

## Isihlabelelo 73

*Isihlabelelo sikaAsafi.*

**1** Impel' iNkos' ilungile
Kuy' uIsrayeli
Lakulab' abanhliziyo
Ehlanzekileyo.



**12** Ngabanikel' kuzifiso
Zenhliziyo zabo,
Basebehamba-ke ngawo
Amacebo abo.

**13** Kungathi abantu bami
Bangangilalela,
LoIsrayeli ahambe
Endleleni zami!

**14** Masinya izitha zabo
Bengingazinqoba,
Ngiselul' isandla sami
Kwababalwisayo.

**15** Abazondi bay' iNkosi
Ngab' baz'thoba kuyo,
Ngabe sema nininini
Isikhathi sabo.

**16** Yayizakubondla ngawo
Amabel' amahle,
Ngibasuthise ngenyosi
'Zivel' edwaleni.

## Isihlabelelo 82

*Isihlabelelo sikaAsafi.*

**1** UNkulunkulu uyema
Kub' abalamandla,
Uyehlulela phakathi
Kwabonkulunkulu.

**2** Kuzaze kube nini na
Lina lahlulela
Ngokungalungi, likhetha
Abantu ababi?

**3** Vikel' abayanga lazo
Intandane, yenza
'Kulunga kwezihlupheki
Lokwabasweleyo.

**4** Ubophule abayanga
Lab' abasweleyo,
Bakhuph' esandleni sabo
'Bakhohlakeleyo.

**5** Kabaz', abaqedisisi,
Bahamb' emnyameni,
Wonk' amaseko omhlaba
Asezamazama.

**6** Mina ngitshilo ukuthi
Lingonkulunkulu,
Lina lonk' lingabantwana
Bakh' oPhezukonke.

**7** Kodwa lina lizakufa
Njengabo abantu,
Njalo liwe njengomunye
Wamakhosana nje.

**8** Vuka Nkosi, wahlulele
Wona-ke umhlaba,
Ngoba uzakudla ifa
Lezizwe zonke bo.

## Isihlabelelo 83

*Ingoma, isihlabelelo sikaAsafi.*

**1** Ungathuli, Nkulunkulu,
Ungagcini khona
Ukuthula kwakho, njalo
Ungachumi Nkosi.

## Isihlabelelo 81

*Kumqondisi wokuhlabelela. NgeGiththi. EsikaAsafi.*

**1** Hlabelan' kuNkulunkulu
Ongamandla ethu,
Yenzan' umsindo omnandi
Kw'iNkos' kaJakobe.

**2** Thathan' isihlabelelo,
'Leth' isigujana,
Umhubhe wona omnandi,
Kanye lal' ichacho.

**3** Vuthelanini uphondo
Ngokuthwas' kwenyanga,
Ngesikhath' es'faneleyo,
Ngowethu umkhosi.

**4** Ngoba yisimiso kuye
Yen' uIsrayeli,
Njalo ngumthetho weNkosi
Yakhe uJakobe.

**5** Lokhu wakumisa kube
Yibufakazi ku-
Josefa ekuphumeni
Kwakhe elizweni

Lona elaseGibithe,
Lapho ngezwa khona
Ulimi engingazange
Ngal' uqedisisa.

**6** Ngasusa ihlombe lakhe
Khona emthwalweni,
Zasuswa izandla zakhe
Khon' ezimbizeni.

**7** Wangibiza uphakathi
Kwalo lon' uhlupho,
Njalo ngakhulula wena,
Ngakuphendula-ke

Ngisendaweni yensitha
Kuyo imidumo,
Ngakuhlola emanzini
AwaseMeriba.

**8** Zwana wena sizwe sami,
Ngizakufakaza
Kuwe Israyeli, uba
Uzangilalela.

**9** Kakungabi khona kuwe
Uthixo wezizwe,
Njalo ungakhonz' uthixo
Yena owemzini.

**10** Mina ngiyiNkosi yakho,
NginguNkulunkulu,
Yena owakukhiphayo
Elizweni lelo

Ilizwe eleGibithe.
Khamisa umlomo
Wakho ube banzi, mina
Ngizawugcwalisa.

**11** Kodwa bon' abantu bami
Kabalilalelі
Elami ilizwi, njalo
Kangaz' u'Srayeli.



**2** Kodwa mina, inyawo zam'
Zaphose zasuka,
Izinyathelo ezami
Zazizatshelela.

**3** Ngoba ngangihawukela
Iziwula lapho
Ngibona impumelelo
Yabakhohlakali.

**4** Ngoba kakukh' izibopho
Ekufeni kwabo,
Kodwa won' amandla abo
Aqinile mpela.

**5** Kabahlupheki njengabo
Abanye abantu,
Njalo kabakhathazeki
Njengabo abanye.

**6** Ngakho ukuziqhenya bo
Kubazungezile
Njengeketane, ukulwa
Kubambokothile.

**7** Sebequnjelwe ngamehlo
Ngenxa yokunona,
Balenzuzo engaphezu
Kwabakufisayo.

**8** Babolile, bonakele,
Bakhuluma kubi,
Bepopot' imbandezelo,
Bayaziqhenya bo.

**9** Bahlambaza amazulu
Ngemilomo yabo,
Ulimi lwabo luhamba
Izwe jikelele.

**10** Ngakho-ke abantu bakhe
Babuyiswa lapha,
Bayanathiswa amanzi
Agcwele inkezo.

**11** Njalo bathi: Wazi njani
Yen' uNkulunkulu?
Kukhona yini ukwazi
Kuy' oPhezukonke?

**12** Khangela abangelaye
UNkulunkulu-ke
Baphumelel' emhlabeni,
Bande enothweni.

**13** Impela ngihlambulule
Inhliziyo ngeze,
Izandla ngizigezile
Ngaphandle kwecala.

**14** Ngokuba usuku lonke
Bengihluphekile,
Bengitshaywa ekuseni
Kwezinsuku zonke.

**15** Uba ngisithi: Ngizothi:
Bona ngocunula
Sona isizukulwana
Sabantwana bakho.

**16** Lapha ngacabanga lokhu
Ngifis' ukukwazi;
Kwakubuhlungu kakhulu
Kimi khona lokho.

**17** Ngaze ngayangena khona
Endlini engcwele
KaNkulunkulu, ngaqonda
Isiphetho sabo.

**18** Impela ubabekile
Kwezibutshelezi,
Wabaphosela kundawo
Zokuchithakala.

**19** Hay' ukuchitheka kwabo,
Behliselwe phansi
Ngomzuzwana! Baminziwe
Ngokwesabisayo.

**20** Njengephupho kovukayo,
O Nkulunkulu, nxa
Uvuka, uzadelela
Owabo umumo.

**21** Ngakho inhliziyo yami
Yayicunukile,
Futhi mina ngahlabeka
Ezinsweni zami.

**22** Ngangiyisiphukuphuku
Umgumbathakazi,
Ngaba njengenyamazana
Khona phambi kwakho.

**23** Loba kunjalo ngikuwe
Kokuphela mina,
Wena ubambe isandla
Sami sokunene.

**24** Wena uzangikhokhela
Ngeselulek' sakho,
Emva kwalokhu ungise
Enkazimulweni.

**25** Ezulwini ngilobani?
Hatshi, nguwe wedwa,
Lemhlabeni kakh' omunye
'Ngimfisa njengawe.

**26** Inyama lenhliziyo yam'
Kuyaphel', iNkosi
Ingamandla lesabelo
Sami kokuphela.

**27** Bhek', abakhatshana lawe
Bazabhubha bonke,
Uzachith' abaphingayo
Ngokusuka kuwe.

**28** Mina kuhle ngisondele
KuThixo, ngimthembe,
Ukuze ngibike yonke
Im'sebenzi yakho.

## Isihlabelelo 74

*IMasikili kaAsafi.*

**1** Nkosi usilahleleni
Ngokungapheliyo?
Kungani ucaphukele
'Zimvu zedlel' lakho?

**2** Kawulikhumbule lona
Elakho ibandla,
Lona owalithengayo
Khonale endulo,

Intonga yelifa lakho
Owalihlengayo,
Le intaba yeZiyoni
Yon' ohlezi kuyo.

**3** Phakamisa izinyawo
Zakh' kukuchitheka,
Konk' isitha esikwenze
Endawen' engcwele.



**4** Nkulunkulu wamabandla,
Nkosi, koba nini
Uzondele umthandazo
Owabantu bakho?

**5** Ubondla ngesinkwa sazo
Zona inyembezi,
Ubanike bazinathe
Kakhulu sibili.

**6** Usenzela inzondano
Labakhile lathi,
Lezitha zethu zihleka
Komunye lomunye.

**7** Siphendule njalo Thixo,
Nkosi yamabandla,
Khanyisa ubuso bakho,
Besesisindiswa.

**8** Ulikhiphile ivini
Livel' eGibithe,
Uchithil' abahedeni,
Wasulihlanyela.

**9** Ulilungisel' indawo
Laze lagxumeka,
Zatshona impande zalo,
Lagcwala umhlaba.

**10** Izintaba zimboziwe
Ngumthunzi owalo,
Lengatsha zalo zifana
Lezamasedare.

**11** Laqhelis' ingatsha zalo,
Zafika elwandle,
Lezingatshana zanaba
Zehlel' emfuleni.

**12** Wephuleleni intango
Zalo, kuze kuthi
Bonk' abedlul' endleleni
Bakhwexule lona?

**13** Ingulube yamahlathi
Izakulimotsha,
Lenyamazana zomango
Zizalidla lona.

**14** Buya sikuncenga, Nkosi
Yam'bandla, khangela
Ubone usezulwini,
Wethekel' lel'vini.

**15** Isivin' osihlanyele
Ngesakho isandla
Sokunene, lalugatsha
Waziqinisela.

**16** Lutshisiwe ngaw' umlilo,
Lwaqunyelwa phansi,
Babhubha ngokukhalima
Kobakho ubuso.

**17** Bek' isandla sakho kuye
Ongesokunene,
Endodaneni yomuntu
Oz'qiniseleyo.

**18** Khon' asiyikukutshiya,
Sisuke kuwena,
Sivuselele sobiza
Lon' ibizo lakho.

**19** Siphendule njalo, Nkosi,
Thixo wamabandla,
Khanyisa ubuso bakho,
Sizakusindiswa.

Kalusiqalele lona
Khona masinyane,
Ngoba sehliselwe phansi
Kakhulukazi bo.

**9** Sincede, o Nkulunkulu
Wosindiso lwethu,
Ngenxa yodumo lwebizo,
Ibizo elakho.

Njalo-ke usikhulule,
Uhlanze izono,
Zona ezethu, kungenxa
Yelakho ibizo.

**10** Ngani na izizwe zithi:
Uph' uThixo wabo?
Makaziwe ezizweni
Emehlweni ethu

Impindiselo yegazi
Lezinceku zakho,
Lona elaphalazwayo,
Lachitheka lona.

**11** Ukububula kwakhe nje
Yen' obotshiweyo
Kakufinyelele kuwe.
Ngawo wona lawo

Amandla akh' amakhulu
Londoloza labo
Asebemiselwe khona
Ukuthi bafe nya.

**12** Njalo buyisela kubo
Bon' omakhelwane
Kasikhombisa kusona
Isifuba sabo

Lona ihlazo elabo
Ukukudumaza
Abakuhlambaze ngakho,
Wena-ke o Nkosi.

**13** Ngakho thin', abantu bakho
Lezimvu zedlelo
Lakho, sizakukubonga
Kub' ephakadeni.

Sizakutshengisa yona
Indumiso yakho
Ezizukulwaneni-ke
Ngezizukulwana.

## Isihlabelelo 80

*Kumqondisi wokuhlabelela.*
*NgeShoshanimi. Ubufakazi.*
*Isihlabelelo sikaAsafi.*

**1** Zwana, malus' ka'Srayeli,
Ohol' uJosefa
Njengomhlambi, wen' ohlezi
Kumakherub', khanya.

**2** Phambi kukaEfrayimi,
'Benjamin', 'Manase,
Vusa amandla awakho,
Uzesisindisa.

**3** Siphendule, Nkulunkulu,
Ubenze ubuso
Bakho bukhanye-ke, thina
Sizakusindiswa.



**4** Izitha zakho zibhonga
Phakathi kwebandla,
Zamisa impawu zazo
Njengeziboniso.

**5** Indoda yaba lodumo
Ngokuphakamisa
Amahloka kuzihlahla
Zona eziqatha.

**6** Kodwa khathesi bephula
Ngezando langawo
Amahloka umsebenzi
Obaz'weyo wayo.

**7** Baphosela won' umlilo
Endaweni yakho
Engcwel', bayingcolisile
Ngokuphosa phansi

Yona eyakho indawo
Okuhlala kuyo,
Elakho ibizo lona
Isiwiswe phansi.

**8** Bath' enhliziyweni zabo:
Asizidilize.
Batshis' amasinagoge
ENkosi ezweni.

**9** Kasibon' impawu zethu,
Kakho umprofethi
Akakho phakathi kwethu
Owaz' izikhathi.

**10** Nkosi, koza kube nini
Isitha sihlaza,
Lesitha sithuk' ibizo
Lakho njalo njalo?

**11** Kungan' ufinyez' isandla
Sakho sokunene?
Sikhuphe sona kuso nje
Isifuba sakho.

**12** Ngob' uThixo uyiNkosi
Yami yasendulo,
Owenza lon' usindiso
Phakathi komhlaba.

**13** Wehlukanisa ulwandle
Ngawakho amandla,
Wephul' amakhand' ezilo
Phakathi kwamanzi.

**14** Wachoboza amakhanda
Awawo umgobho,
Ube yikudla kwabantu
Kwabasenkangala.

**15** Waqhekeza imithombo
Lazo impophoma,
Wayomisa imifula
Egeleza njalo.

**16** Ingeyakho yon' imini
Labo ubusuku,
Ulungisil' ukukhanya
Lalo ilanga bo.

**17** Wamisa imikhawulo
Yonke yomhlaba bo,
Walenza lona ihlobo
Labo ubusika.

**18** Khumbula ukuth' isitha
Sesicunulile,
Nkos', izithutha zithuka
Elakho ibizo.

**19** Nkulunkulu, unganiki
Umuphefumulo
Wejuba lakho kuxuku
Lona elababi.

Ungalikhohlwa ibandla
Labayanga bakho
Kuze kube yisikhathi
Son' esaphakade.

**20** Nanzelel' uvumelwano,
Ngokuba indawo
Ezomhlaba ezimnyama
Zigcwel' isihluku.

**21** Abahlutshwayo kabanga-
buyi belenhloni.
'Myanga lesisweli kaba-
bong' ibizo lakho.

**22** Vuka Nkosi, ululwele
Olwakho udaba,
Khumbul' is'thutha sithuke
Wena nsuku zonke.

**23** Ungalikhohlwa ilizwi
Lezitha ezakho,
Uxokozel' olwazo lu-
yanda njalo njalo.

## Isihlabelelo 75

*Kumqondisi wokuhlabelela. Alithashethi. Isihlabelelo sikaAsafi, ihubo.*

**1** Ngakuwe, o Nkulunkulu,
Siyanika khona
Ukukubonga-ke, wena
Sesiyakubonga.

Ngoba ibizo elakho
Liseduze lathi,
Lezizimanga ezakho
Zilandisa ngakho

**2** Nxa ngimisa isikhathi
Esifaneleyo
Ngizagweba ngokulunga
Okupheleleyo.

**3** Umhlaba labakhe kiwo
Babhidliziwe bo,
Kodwa insika ezawo
Ngizithwele mina.

**4** Ngathi kuzo iziwula:
Lingabi yiz'thutha,
Lingaphakamis' uphondo,
Lina izixhwali.

**5** Lingaphakamis' uphondo
Olwakho phezulu,
Liyekel' ukukhuluma
Ngentam' elukhuni.



**68** Kodwa yakhetha isizwe
Esakhe uJuda,
Intaba yaseZiyoni,
Yon' eyithandayo.

**69** Yakh' indawo yay' engcwele
Njengazo ingqonga,
Njengomhlaba eyawenza
Wem' ephakadeni.

**70** Yamkhetha yen' uDavida
Oyinceku yayo,
Yamenyula kuyona nje
Im'hlambi yezimvu.

**71** Yamsusa ekweluseni
'Zimv' ezimithiyo,
Yamondlisa ifa layo
LakoIsrayeli.

**72** Yabelusa ngobuqotho
Benhliziyo yayo,
Ngobugabazi bezandla
Zayo baqondisa.

## Isihlabelelo 79

*Isihlabelelo sikaAsafi.*

**1** Nkulunkulu, abezizwe
Sebengene kulo
Ilifa lakho, njalo bo
Ithempeli lakho,

Ithempeli elingcwele,
Balingcolisile,
Njalo sebedilizile
IJerusalema.

**2** Izidumbu zezinceku
Zakho bazenzile
Zaba yinyama yokudla
Kuzo izinyoni.

'Nyama yabathembekile
Bakho banikela
Kuzona inyamazana
Ezisemhlabeni.

**3** Baliphalaza igazi
Lezinceku zakho
Njengamanz' eJerusalem',
Baswela umgcwabi.

**4** Sesibe lihlazo thina
Kubomakhelwane,
Ihlazo lal' uyangiso
Kwabasihanqile.

**5** Koza kube nini Nkosi?
Uzonde kok'phela?
Umona wakho wovutha
Njengomlilo yini?

**6** Thel' ulaka lwakho kubo
Abangakwaziyo,
Abahedeni lem'buso
Engakubiziyo.

**7** Ngoba sebemdlile yena
UJakobe njalo
Bayichitha indlu yakhe
Yon' eyokuhlala.

**8** Ungasibalel' izono
Zethu zamandulo;
Umus' olothando lwakho
Olukhulukazi

**54** Wabas' endawen' engcwele
Lakule intaba,
Ayithenga ngas' isandla
Sakhe sokunene.

**55** Waxotsha abahedeni
Njalo phambi kwabo,
Wabahlazulula bona
Baba lifa labo

Ngokulandelana, njalo
Wenz' izizwe zaba-
koIsrayeli zakhela
Emadumben' abo.

**56** Kodwa bamlinga bamona
Yena uSomandla,
Kabayigcinanga yona
Imilayo yakhe.

**57** Kodwa babuyel' emuva,
Kabathembekanga,
Njengoyise baphambuka
Okomtshok' ukhutha.

**58** Bamzondisa ngendawo zab'
Eziphakemeyo,
Bamthela umona ngezi-
thombe zokubazwa.

**59** UNkulunkulu ekuzwa,
Wazonda kwakubi,
Wasemenyanya kakhulu
Yen' uIsrayeli.

**60** Walitshiya idokodo
Lokukhonz' eShilo,
Ithente owalibeka
Phakathi kwabantu.

**61** Wanikel' amandla akhe
Kukho ukuthunjwa,
Lodumo lwakhe kusona
Isandla sesitha.

**62** Wanikel' abantu bakhe
Njalo emhedleni,
Futhi walizondela nje
Lon' ilifa lakhe.

**63** Umlilo wawaqothula
Amajaha abo,
Lezintombi zabo kazi-
zuzanga ukwenda.

**64** Abaprisiti ababo
Baqedwa ngenkemba,
Labafelwakazi babo
Kababalilela.

**65** Yase ivuka iNkosi
Njengophaphamayo,
Njengeqhawe limemeza
Linath' iwayini.

**66** Yatshaya izitha zayo
Kundawo zemuva,
Yaziyangisa kakhulu
Futhi kokuphela.

**67** Futhi yalala idumba
ElikaJosefa,
Ayikhethanga isizwe
SikaEfrayimi.



**6** Ukuphakam' akuveli
Kuy' impumalanga,
Ngitsho lay' intshonalanga,
Lakuyo izansi.

**7** Kodw' iNkosi ingumgwebi,
Phans' ibek' omunye,
Omunye imphakamise,
Imuse phezulu.

**8** Ngob' esandleni seNkosi
Kukhona inkezo
Lewayini, yon' ebomvu,
Ihlanganisiwe.

Esethulul' iwayini,
Abakhohlakele
Inzece bazayinatha
Yona, bayiqede.

**9** Kodwa ngizatshumayela
Njalo kokuphela,
Ngizabong' uNkulunkulu,
Yen' okaJakobe.

**10** Impondo zabaxhwalile
Ngizaquma zonke,
Ngiphakamise ezabo
Abalungileyo.

## Isihlabelelo 76

*Kumqondisi wokuhlabelela. NgeNeginothi. Isihlabelelo sikaAsafi, ihubo.*

**1** UJehova uyaziwa
Khonale koJuda;
Ibizo lakhe likhulu
KoIsirayeli.

**2** LaseSalema likhona
Idumba elakhe,
Lendawo yakhe ahlala
Kuyo eZiyoni.

**3** Khonapho-ke wayephula
Yona imitshoko
Yedandili, amahawu,
Lemihedla lempi.

**4** Lukhulu udumo lwakho
Okwedlulisayo,
Luhl' okwedlula intaba
Zakho ukuphanga.

**5** Baphangiwe labo bona
Abazigqajayo,
Bazilalel' ubuthongo
Obukhulu babo.

Akukho won' amadoda
Alamandla awo,
Asezifumene zona
Izandla ezawo.

**6** Kukho ukukhuza kwakho,
Nkosi kaJakobe,
Inqola lay' imbongolo
Kulele sibili.

**7** Wena kanye kawesatshwe.
Ngubani ongema
Phambi kobakho ubuso
Nxa usuzondile?

**8** Usenzile isigwebo
Khonal' ezulwini,
Umhlaba wasusesaba,
Wathula wathi zwi.

**9** Yath' iNkosi isukuma
Isiyakugweba,
Ukukhulul' abamnene
Abasemhlabeni.

**10** Qotho, ulaka lwabantu
Luzabonga wena,
Oluseleyo lolaka
Uzakulukhina.

**11** Yenzanini izifungo,
Lizigcwalise-ke
ENkosin' uNkulunkulu,
Yena owakho bo.

Bonke abamhanqileyo
Kabaleth' izipho
Kuye lowo abamele
Bamesabe yena.

**12** Uzakuwuqum' umoya
Owamakhosana,
Ngokuba uyesabeka
Kumakhosi ezwe.

## Isihlabelelo 77

*Kumqondisi wokuhlabelela. NgeJeduthuni. Isihlabelelo sikaAsafi.*

**1** Ngakhalela eNkosini
Ngalo ilizwi lam',
Kuye yen' uNkulunkulu
Wabek' indlebe kim'.

**2** Ngosuku lohlupho lwami
Ngayiding' iNkosi,
Izandla zam' zeluliwe
Ubusuku bonke

Njalo kazizange zona
Zimiswe, owami
Umphefum'lo walile bo,
Ukuth' ududuzwe.

**3** Ngakhumbul' uNkulunkulu
Ngasengihlupheka,
Ngakhalaza umoya wam',
Waphela amandla.

**4** Ugcine amehlo ami,
Angaze alala,
Ngidubekile sibili,
Angingekhulume.

**5** Ngakhumbula izinsuku
Zona ezendulo,
Layo iminyaka yona
Eyasekadeni.



**40** Kukangaki bemcunula
Khonale enhlane,
Bemdabula kokuphela
Khona enkangala!

**41** Ye, babuyela emuva,
Balinga iNkosi,
Bamqumela oyiNgcwele
WakoIsrayeli.

**42** Kabakhumbulang' isandla
Sakhe, futhi lazo
Insuku zokubahlenga
Ezitheni zabo.

**43** Lokwenza kwakh' 'ziboniso
Zakhe eGibithe,
Lemimangaliso yakhe
Kulizwe leZowan'.

**44** Wenza imifula yabo
Yaba ligazi-ke,
Lamanzi abo ukuze
Bangawanathi-ke.

**45** Wabathumel' impukane
Izinhlobonhlobo,
Zabaqeda, lamaxoxo
Asebabhubhisa.

**46** Futhi wasenikela nje
Amabele abo
Kumacimbi, lentetheni
Umsebenzi wabo.

**47** Wasechitha amavini
Awabo ngamatshe
Esiqhotho, lemikhiwa
Yabo ngongqwaqwane.

**48** Wanikel' inkomo zabo
Lazo kusiqhotho,
Lemhlambi yabo kumbane
Otshisay' uthi bhe.

**49** Wabahlasela ngolaka
Lwakhe olukhulu
Olwesabekayo, ngoba
Lulenzondo yakhe,

Ulaka lentukuthelo,
Layo inkathazo,
Ngokuthuma ingilosi
Ezimbi kubona.

**50** Walungisela inzondo
Eyayo indlela,
Kaphephisang' umphefum'lo
Wabo ekufeni

Kodwa-ke wakunikela
Ukuphila kwabo
Ngokupheleleyo kuye
Umatshay'-abhuqe

**51** Watshaya amazibulo
Wonke eGibithe,
Ubukhulu bamandl' abo
Kumadumb' eHamu.

**52** Kodwa wenz' abantu bakhe
Bahambe sazimvu,
Wabakhokhela enhlane
Babe njengomhlambi.

**53** Wabahola begciniwe
Bengelakwesaba,
Kodwa ulwandle lwaminza
Izitha ezabo.

**27** Wayikhithiza inyama
Kibo njengothuli,
Lenyon' njengetshebetshebe
Elaselwandle bo.

**28** Wakwenza kwawela khona
Phakathi kwenkamba
Yabo, kwagombolozela
Amadumba abo.

**29** Ngakho-ke badla basutha,
Wasebagcwalisa
Ciki, ngokuba wabapha
Ngezifiso zabo.

**30** Kabazange bakhunyulwe
Kuzifiso zabo,
Kwathi besayimumethe
Inyama ngem'lomo,

**31** Ulak' lukaNkulunkulu
Lwehlel' phezu kwabo,
Abakhuluphelis'leyo
Lwabulala bona.

Lwasel'wawisela phansi
Wona amajaha
Awangabakhethiweyo
AkoIsrayeli.

**32** Phezu kwakho konke lokhu
Bona kokuphela,
Kabakukholwanga ngenxa
Yezimanga zakhe.

**33** Ngakho-ke insuku zabo
Waziqeda ngeze,
Leminyaka yabo yonke
Ezinhluphekweni.

**34** Lapho esebabulala,
Basebemudinga,
Baphenduka ngokutshetsha,
Bafuna iNkosi.

**35** Basebekhumbul' ukuthi
INkosi yayili-
dwala lab', uNkulunkulu
Ungumhlengi wabo.

**36** Kodwa bamqila ngomlomo
Wabo, langamanga
Bemqambela yena, futhi
Langenlimi zabo.

**37** Ngoba inhliziyo yabo
Yayingalunganga
Kuye, futhi kabagcini
'Sakh' 'sivumelwano.

**38** Kodwa yena wayegcwele
Isihawu, ngakho
Waxolela impambeko,
Kababhubhisanga.

Yebo kanenginengi bo
Waphephis' inzondo
Yakhe, akaqubulanga
Lonk' ulaka lwakhe.

**39** Ngoba wakhumbul' ukuthi
Babe yinyama nje,
Bengumoya odlulayo,
Ungab' usabuya.



**6** Ngikhumbula ingoma yam'
Khona ebusuku,
Ngakhulum' lenhliziyo yam',
'Moya wam' wahlola.

**7** INkosi izakulahla
Kokuphela yini?
Ayisayikubuye bo
Ithande futhi na?

**8** Siphelile isihawu
Sayo phakade na?
Saphela isithembiso
Yini kokuphela?

**9** Isikhohliw' iNkosi na
Ukuba lomusa?
Ngolaka lwayo isival'
Is'hawu sayo na?

**10** Ngathi: Yibuthakathaka
Bami, ngokhumbula
'Minyaka yesokunene
SoPhezukonke bo.

**11** Ngokhumbula im'sebenzi
Eyayo iNkosi,
Qotho, ngokhumbula zona
'Zimanga zendulo.

**12** Ngizacabanga njalo bo
Ngem'sebenzi yakho
Yonke, ngikhulume ngazo
Izenzo ezakho.

**13** Eyakho indlela, Nkosi,
Isendlini yakho.
Ngubani omkhulu onje-
ngoNkulunkul' wethu?

**14** UnguNkulunkul' owenza
Imimangaliso,
Utshumayel' ebantwini
Wona amandl' akho.

**15** Ngengalo yakh' uhlengile
Abantu abakho,
Amadodan' kaJakobe
LawakaJosefa.

**16** Amanzi akubonile,
Wena Nkulunkulu,
Amanzi lobunzulu bo
Konke kwahlupheka.

**17** Amafu ehlis' amanzi,
Isibhakabhaka
Saduma, lay' imitshoko
Yakh' yasabalala.

**18** Ilizwi lay' imidumo
Lalisezulwini,
Yakhanyis' izwe im'bane,
Wazamazam' 'mhlaba.

**19** Isolwandl' indlela yakho,
'Manzin' amanengi,
Lezinyathelo ezakho
Zona kazaziwa.

**20** Wahola abantu bakho
Njengawo umhlambi
Ngesandla sikaMozisi
Laye uAroni.

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*IMasikili kaAsafi.*

**1** Lalelani, bantu bami,
Umthetho owami,
Indlebe zenu kazizwe
'Mazw' omlomo wami.

**2** Ngizavul' umlomo wami
Ngomuzekeliso,
Ngitsho amazw' ayimfihlo
Asephakadeni.

**3** Wona lawo esawezwa,
Njalo esawazi,
Esawatshelwayo thina
Ngabobaba bethu.

**4** Kasiyikuwafihlela
Abantwana babo,
Sibonis' izizukulu
Zona ezizayo

Izibongo ezeNkosi
Lamandla awayo
Lem'sebenz' eyenzileyo
Emangalisayo.

**5** Yamisa ubufakazi
Khona koJakobe,
Yamisa lawo umthetho
Khona ko'Srayeli.

Yalaya bona obaba
Ngawo, ukuze-ke
Baw'fundise abantwana
Babo ukuwazi.

**6** 'Kuze isizukulwana
'Sizayo sikwazi,
Labantwana baso labo
'Bazazalwa bazi,

Lalabo abazavela
Bayitshumayele
Enzalweni yabo phela,
Abantwana babo.

**7** Ukuze ithemba labo
Libekw' eNkosini,
Bengakhohlw' izenzo zayo
Lemithetho yayo.

**8** Bengabafuzi oyise,
Ababeqholoza,
Isizukulwana leso
Esasihlubuka.

Kabazanga balungise
Inhliziyo yabo,
Wawungaqinang' umoya
Wabo eNkosini.

**9** Inzalo kaEfrayimi,
Ihlome ngem'tshoko,
Yabuyela khon' emuva
Ngosuku olwempi.

**10** Kabasigcinanga sona
Isivumelwano
SeNkosi, bal' ukuhamba
Emthethweni wayo.

**11** Bayikhohlw' imisebenzi
Yayo njalo layo
Imimangaliso yayo
'Bayitshengiswayo.



**12** 'Mimangaliso yayenza
Phambi kwaboyise
Elizweni leGibithe,
Kumango weZowan'.

**13** Yadabula ulwandle-ke,
Yabenza bachapha,
Yawenza amanzi ema
Aba njengenqumbi.

**14** Emini yabakhokhela
Ngensika yeyezi,
Lebusuku bonke njalo
Ngokukhany' komlilo.

**15** Yawaqhekeza amatshe
Khona enkangala,
Yabanathisa amanzi
Awenziki yona.

**16** Yavul' izifula khona
Ziphum' edwaleni,
Yawagelezis' amanzi
Phansi njengem'fula.

**17** Kodwa bang'khona besona,
Ye, kakhulukazi,
Bacunul' oPhezukonke
Khonale enhlane.

**18** Bamlinga uNkulunkulu
Ngenhliziyo zabo
Ngokucelela ukudla
Inkanuko zabo.

**19** Ye, baphikisa iNkosi,
Bath': Angalungisa
UNkulunkulu enhlane
Itafula yini?

**20** Bona, watshaya idwala
Njalo-ke amanzi
Ampompoza agcwalisa
Im'fula yagabha.

Kambe angabanika na
Laso isinkwa-ke?
Angabanika inyama
Abantu bakhe na?

**21** Ngakho iNkosi yakuzwa
Yabacunukela
Yamvuthela uJakobe
Umlilo, lolaka

**22** Lakuye uIsrayeli.
Ngoba bengamkholwa
UNkulunkul', bengathembi
Kusindiso lwakhe.

**23** Lanxa wayelawulile
Amafu phezulu,
Wayivula iminyango
Eyasezulwini.

**24** Wayebanisele phansi
Imana, bayidle,
Wabapha law' amabele
Awasezulwini.

**25** Umuntu wadla ukudla
Okudliwa yizo
Izingilosi, lenyama
Wabapha yagcwala.

**26** Wawuphephetha umoya
Owempumalanga
Ezulwini, ngamandl' akhe
Lowezansi weza.