

Scripture

Psalm 53 (NLT)

A meditation; a psalm of David.

**1 Only fools say in their hearts,
“There is no God.”**

**They are corrupt, and their actions are evil;
not one of them does good!**

**2 God looks down from heaven
on the entire human race;
he looks to see if anyone is truly wise,
if anyone seeks God.**

- 3 But no, all have turned away;
all have become corrupt.
No one does good,
not a single one!
- 4 Will those who do evil never learn?
They eat up my people like bread
and wouldn't think of praying to God.
- 5 Terror will grip them,
terror like they have never known before.
God will scatter the bones of your enemies.
You will put them to shame, for God has
rejected them.

6 Who will come from Mount Zion to rescue Israel?

When God restores his people,
Jacob will shout with joy, and Israel will
rejoice.