

Supplementary Scripture Reading for HOME, HOPE, AND HOLIDAYS: WINTER DEVOTIONALS

Day 32: Psalm 16

A psalm of David.

- 1 Keep me safe, O God,
for I have come to you for refuge.
- 2 I said to the Lord, “You are my Master!
Every good thing I have comes from you.”
- 3 The godly people in the land
are my true heroes!
I take pleasure in them!
- 4 Troubles multiply for those who chase after other gods.
I will not take part in their sacrifices of blood
or even speak the names of their gods.
- 5 Lord, you alone are my inheritance, my cup of blessing.
You guard all that is mine.
- 6 The land you have given me is a pleasant land.
What a wonderful inheritance!
- 7 I will bless the Lord who guides me;
even at night my heart instructs me.
- 8 I know the Lord is always with me.
I will not be shaken, for he is right beside me.
- 9 No wonder my heart is glad, and I rejoice.
My body rests in safety.
- 10 For you will not leave my soul among the dead
or allow your holy one to rot in the grave.
- 11 You will show me the way of life,
granting me the joy of your presence
and the pleasures of living with you forever.

