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| **AS IT IS WRITTEN …** (Romans 3:10-18) |
| 3:10–12 | “There is none righteous, not even one; There is none who understands, There is none who seeks for God; All have turned aside, together they have become useless; There is none who does good, There is not even one.” | Ps. 14:1–3 (Ps. 53:1–3) | The fool has said in his heart, “There is no God.” They are corrupt, they have committed abominable deeds; There is no one who does good. The LORD has looked down from heaven upon the sons of men To see if there are any who understand, Who seek after God. They have all turned aside, together they have become corrupt; There is no one who does good, not even one. |
|  |  | Eccl. 7:20 | Indeed, there is not a righteous man on earth who continually does good and who never sins. |
| 3:13 | “Their throat is an open grave, With their tongues they keep deceiving,” | Ps. 5:9 | There is nothing reliable in what they say; Their inward part is destruction itself. Their throat is an open grave; They flatter with their tongue. |
|  | “The poison of asps is under their lips” | Ps. 140:3 | They sharpen their tongues as a serpent; Poison of a viper is under their lips. |
| 3:14 | “Whose mouth is full of cursing and bitterness” | Ps. 10:7 | His mouth is full of curses and deceit and oppression; Under his tongue is mischief and wickedness. |
| 3:15–17 | “Their feet are swift to shed blood, Destruction and misery are in their paths, And the path of peace they have not known.” | Isa. 59:7–8 | Their feet run to evil, And they hasten to shed innocent blood; Their thoughts are thoughts of iniquity, Devastation and destruction are in their highways. They do not know the way of peace, And there is no justice in their tracks; They have made their paths crooked, Whoever treads on them does not know peace. |
| 3:18 | “There is no fear of God before their eyes.” | Ps. 36:1 | Transgression speaks to the ungodly within his heart; There is no fear of God before his eyes. |