

Psalm 151

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Psalm 151 is recognised as Deuterocanonical Scripture by the Greek Orthodox and Russian Orthodox Churches.

151I was small amongst my brothers,

a nd youngest in my father's house.

I tended my father's sheep.

2My hands formed a musical instrument,

a nd my fingers tuned a lyre.

3Who shall tell my Lord?

T he Lord himself, he himself hears.

4He sent forth his angel and took me from my father's sheep,

a nd he anointed me with his anointing oil.

5My brothers were handsome and tall;

b ut the Lord didn't take pleasure in them.

6I went out to meet the Philistine,

a nd he cursed me by his idols.

7But I drew his own sword and beheaded him,

a nd removed reproach from the children of Israel.