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"The Hunger of the World"
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Bible Passages: [Psalm 17:1-7](#) and [Matthew 14:13-21](#)

Psalm 17:1-7

- ¹ Hear me, Lord, my plea is just;
listen to my cry.
Hear my prayer—
it does not rise from deceitful lips.
- ² Let my vindication come from you;
may your eyes see what is right.
- ³ Though you probe my heart,
though you examine me at night and test me,
you will find that I have planned no evil;
my mouth has not transgressed.
- ⁴ Though people tried to bribe me,
I have kept myself from the ways of the violent
through what your lips have commanded.
- ⁵ My steps have held to your paths;
my feet have not stumbled.
- ⁶ I call on you, my God, for you will answer me;
turn your ear to me and hear my prayer.
- ⁷ Show me the wonders of your great love,
you who save by your right hand
those who take refuge in you from their foes. ([top](#))



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Matthew 14:13-21

¹³ When Jesus heard what had happened, he withdrew by boat privately to a solitary place. Hearing of this, the crowds followed him on foot from the towns.

¹⁴ When Jesus landed and saw a large crowd, he had compassion on them and healed their sick.

¹⁵ As evening approached, the disciples came to him and said, "This is a remote place, and it's already getting late. Send the crowds away, so they can go to the villages and buy themselves some food."

¹⁶ Jesus replied, "They do not need to go away. You give them something to eat."

¹⁷ "We have here only five loaves of bread and two fish," they answered.

¹⁸ "Bring them here to me," he said.

¹⁹ And he directed the people to sit down on the grass. Taking the five loaves and the two fish and looking up to heaven, he gave thanks and broke the loaves. Then he gave them to the disciples, and the disciples gave them to the people.

²⁰ They all ate and were satisfied, and the disciples picked up twelve basketfuls of broken pieces that were left over.

²¹ The number of those who ate was about five thousand men, besides women and children. ([top](#))