

Psalm – 2020

(It is a psalm of praise to God at the end of 2020 for saving our lives)

**If the Lord had not been on our side,
When all the evils assailed us one by one,
Then would have they brought us to annihilation,
Blessed be the Lord, in whose love we abide.**

**If the Lord had not been our Army,
When the attacks of enemies brought us shivers,
Then would have they counted us among 'the killed'
Blessed be the Lord, who provides us His security covers.**

**If the Lord had not been our shore of shelter,
When the fury of rain surrounded us by flood,
Then would have the waters washed us away,
Blessed be the Lord, whose boat ferries us to safety.**

**If the Lord had not been our source of strength,
When the Corona crowned us with fear,
Then would have the virus snatched away our breath,
Blessed be the Lord, with whose immunity we endure.**

**If the Lord had not been our wealth of hope,
When the lockdown forced us into economic slowdown,
Then would have the affairs waned us in gloom,
Blessed be the Lord, with whose Words of Life we live on.**

**If the Lord had not been our caring kin,
When death came knocking at the door of our family,
Then would have the dark loneliness buried us in pain,
Blessed be the Lord, in whose love we find a buddy.**

**If the Lord had not been our mantle of love,
When the connivance of devil heaved us to despair
Then would have he gathered us into his fold,
Blessed be the Lord, under whose wings we shelter.**



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