

THE BOOK OF PSALMS

The happiness of the godly

*127 is the man that walketh
with the counsel of the upright,
and he shall be as the tree of life,
which beareth fruit at the appointed
time: his leaf shall not wither,
neither shall he be cut down,
because he hath planted his foot
upon the rock.*

12 Kiss the Son, lest he be angry
from the way, when his wrath is kindled
against thee: blessed are all they that put their
trust in him.

The security of God's

3 LORD, how are they increased
that hate thee: they are multiplied,
and they rise up as the smoke of
incense: as the chaff which the wind
driveth away.



Psalms:

PRAYING & SINGING

OURSELVES UNTO

Praise

Traditional Individual “Penitential” Psalms

- 6** *O LORD, do not rebuke me in Your anger (1a).*
- 32** *How blessed is he whose transgression is forgiven (1a).*
- 38** *My iniquities are gone over my head (4a).*
- 51** *Against You, You only, I have sinned. . . (4a).*
- 102** *Because of Your indignation and Your wrath,
for You have lifted me up and cast me away (10).*
- 130** *If You, LORD, should mark iniquities,
O Lord, who could stand (3)?*
- 143** *In Your sight no man living is righteous (2a).*

Additional Individ. “Acknowledgement” Psalms

- 19** *Who can discern his errors? Acquit me of hidden faults. Also keep back Your servant from presumptuous sins. . . (12-13a).*
- 25** *Do not remember the sins of my youth (7a). Pardon my iniquity, for it is great (11b).*
- 31** *My strength has failed because of my iniquity (10c).*
- 39** *Deliver me from all my transgressions (8a).*
- 40** *My iniquities have overtaken me (12b).*
- 41** *Heal my soul, for I have sinned against You (4b).*

Additional Individ. “Acknowledgement” Psalms

65 *Iniquities prevail against me (3a).*

69 *My wrongs are not hidden from You (5b).*

86 *You, LORD, are good, and ready to forgive (5a).*

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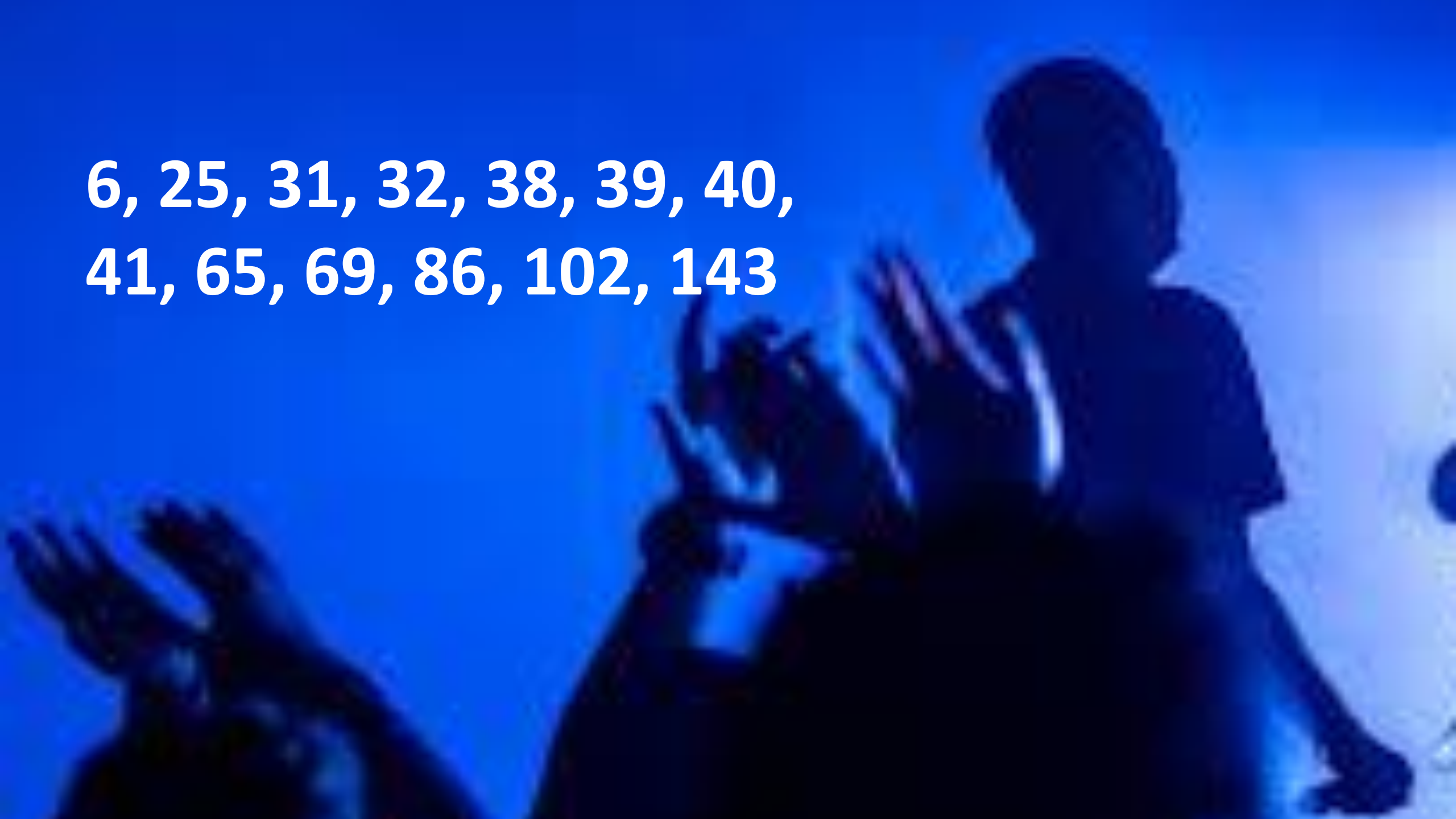


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Behold, I was shapen in iniquity, and in sin did my mother conceive me (Psalm 51:5)



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*Do not enter into judgment with Your servant,
For in Your sight no man living is righteous (143:2)*



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