

# Psalm 140

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Slow

Ison O Lord, I have cried out unto thee. Hear thou me. Hear thou me, O Lord. O Lord, I have cried out unto thee. Hear thou me. Give ear to the voice of my supplication, when I cry out unto thee. Hear thou me, O Lord. Slow Let my pray'r be set forth before thee as the incense, and the lifting

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up of my hands as the evening  
sac - ri - fice. Hear thou me,  
O Lord. Set a watch, O Lord, be - fore my  
mouth, and a pro - tect - ing door a - bout my lips.  
In - cline not my heart to e - vil words, to make ex -  
- cus - es in sins... with men that work in - iq - ui -  
- ty, and I will not com - mu - ni - cate with the choic - est of them.  
The just man shall cor - rect me in mer - cy and shall re -  
- prove me, but let not the oil of the sin - ner a - noint my head,