

Psalm 140

To the chief musician, a psalm of David

$\text{♩} = 110$

1. Save me, O Yah-weh, from the e - vil man. Pre - serve me ~ from the
4. Keep me, O Yah-weh, from the wic - ked's hands. Pre - serve me ~ from the
6. I said to Yah-weh, "You ~ are my God." Give ear, Yah-weh, to the
Do not let them ex - alt them - selves on high. 9. As for the head of those
11. Let not a slan - d'r'er pros - per on the earth. Let e - vil hunt down the

man of vi - o - lence, 2. who has de - vised e - vil things in his heart.
man of vi - o - lence, who have de - ter - mined to trip up my steps.
voice ~ of my pleas. 7. O Yah - weh my Lord, my sal - va - tion's strength,
who ~ sur - round me, let the mis - chief of their lips cov - er them.
man of vi - o - lence. 12. I know Yah - weh will main - tain the cause of

Con - tin - ual - ly they gath - er to make wars. 3. They have ~ sharp - ened their
5. The proud have hid a snare for me, and cords. They have ~ spread out a
you shield my head in the day of bat - tle. 8. Grant not, ~ Yah - weh, the
10. They cause burn - ing coals to fall on them - selves. Let them ~ be cast in -
the af - flict - ed and jus - tice for the poor. 13. Sure - ly the right - eous will

tongue like a ser - pent. An ad - der's ven - om is un - der their lips.
net be - side the path. They have set out traps to ~ en - snare me.
wic - ked man's de - sire. Do not ad - vance him in his wic - ked schemes.
- to the fire, in - to bot - tom - less pits, from which they can - not rise.
give thanks to your name. The up - right ones will dwell in your pres - ence.