

**TSADDE**

<sup>137</sup> Righteous are You, O LORD,  
And upright are Your judgments.

<sup>138</sup> Your testimonies, which You have commanded,  
Are righteous and very faithful.

<sup>139</sup> My zeal has consumed me,  
Because my enemies have forgotten Your words.

<sup>140</sup> Your word is very pure;  
Therefore Your servant loves it.

<sup>141</sup> I am small and despised,  
Yet I do not forget Your precepts.

<sup>142</sup> Your righteousness is an everlasting righteousness,  
And Your law is truth.

<sup>143</sup> Trouble and anguish have overtaken me,  
Yet Your commandments are my delights.

<sup>144</sup> The righteousness of Your testimonies is everlasting;  
Give me understanding, and I shall live.

Psalm 119:137-144

**1. Affirmation of faith in the Lord**

- a) That His righteousness is everlasting
- b) That He is upright in judgments
- c) That His testimonies are righteous and faithful
- d) That His word is very pure
- e) That His law is truth

## **2. Personal feelings expressed**

- a) His zeal for the Lord
- b) He is small and despised
- c) He is facing trouble and anguish
- d) Love for God's word

## **3. Appropriate prayers**

- a) For understanding
- b) For grace to live though assailed by evildoers