

The Duty of Behold^g: J: P March 1782

Is. 40:9: Sing unto the Citys of Judah
Beh.^d of God.

The Good of G. displayed in 10 Part-
from y^h h^g. Ang^l. = The Mus^h y^h of him clear^y
seen = But y^h b^high. Discov^r. Div. Lⁱ in y^h Fac^s =
Stero discov^r. m. Am^h. Perf^h. hⁱ. Nat = Not
on. Kind to hⁱ. m^h. = B^t. grac^h. compas^h. to
hⁱ. Qui^l. = The Son of G. sent J^h. St. - w^h on
to elect. Coun^r. Peace to a Rev^l. - but use
Lang^h. Script^h. on y^h. Ast^h. Occas^h. - to bear &
Sing - to be m^h. cur^h - to humble to D^h. = =
Stew^h. laid down hⁱ. Lⁱ. a Sacr^h. - aft^h. hⁱ. hⁱ
reapum^h. it - a^h. f^h. - y^h. hⁱ. app^h. - pleads
Interceeds = J^h. y^h. sends down hⁱ. Sp^h. to
en light^h. - Subd^h. - Persw^h. to let^h. = Firm^h y^h
on y^h. app^h. - will app^h. Ch^h. - & decide y^h. lo^h. St.
y^h. all m^h. = y^h. Views sh^h. be perpet^h. Pres^h
to & m^h. = y^h. Pecul^h. Season. w^h. lib^h. to let^h. =
At hⁱ. Table w^h. in an especial man^h. call^h
up^h. a^h. w^h. = O y^h. Sp^h. J^h. - Beh^h. d^h. =

The Person here spokⁿ of is Y. Y. G. o. Seo =
He is describ^d. in context as One of bring^{on}
glad tid^{on} = as One of feedⁿ hⁱ. Flock like
shep^d. - gathⁿ Lamb: Arms - sheel^{or} hⁱ. Bosom =

In speck^a Conciā (AD) in w^t Chⁿ we
are to beh^o h^m - - - With w^t frame^a Deposits

First in w, χ wo to Beh^o =

I: As q^d Immen^e = The Son q^d tak^e Nat^e
to qualib: h: for W: & redomp^m = Thus he is
describ^d by Js: Unt: us a Son = St^e i^o: 1^o
form - b: Condesc^d to born of - for us men =
a Bod: i^o: pres^e = if St: G^y sent down to o^ush
In h: hum: ho i^o: Anoin^t oyl = The Sp^t: i^o:
St^e i^o: full of Gra: truth = truth to instruct =
Graco to pit: = able to main^t: if Hon^r - See =

He came on y^e. Compap.^r - n^t. on hⁱ. own
Exp^r: - It. i^v. commis^p. From = He i^v. sont in
Pursuance of Court^y. = Lo fcome = & this
Commis^m. i^v. abund. Evid^d. in e^y Pord^d =
le Voies f^m St. Dec^d = hⁱ. life & sons perpet
Mirac^ls =

at h: d: H: l: bore Witn: Diq: = B: in h^o
aston: a Man: w: h: Decl: Son: - to: Lord =
He showed h: f: alive to h: Apost: - Commis:
y: Preach = W: h: h: n: h: - Append: = y: Enn
- gov: W: Nat: Gra: = For all Pow: Commit: =

II W: are to beh: h:ao punct: h: full
y: W: y: h: Uncertook: = He stoop: f: y:
thron: to dwell = Tho h: m: v: Ael: by Leny:
h: condesc: to App: = Tho Perf: free f: all
heint - yet Subm: to be baptis: y: m: full =

W: io: W: h: came to purg: = to Disper: y:
div: Perf: - to Redom m: Mer: y: Apost: =
Beh: h: Vine: eat: Hon: - displ: y: Div: Perf: =
Thi Word io: defg: Monm: = M: ely: n: y:
Test - desig: to pay an Act: = B: al: d: f: Perf:
depart: all m: full: short = New & B: d: came
to Rep: Ing: = He Estab: Hon: Law by h: Subj: to
its Auth: = By h: Suff: h:o manifest: y: Perf:
Aver: Des: to Sin = In Wh: h: Inst: h:
disce: h: leg: to Hol: = Expl: Div: Law -
o: Apost: h: elem: to be oblig: on all Intell: =
= B: on y: Chr: f: y: h: io: m: d: ely: - ely: =

yon all the oth: W: h: h: = He came also
to Redom Sin: f: y: Stato: q: Mer: = to save
y: f: Tyrann: - Curro: y: Bond: = to bring y:
to a sav: Acq: w: y: = to Love h: w: = to Ob:
h: Loves - w: found: - Admir: Adap: = to
Subj: to Dispen: w: direct: = to hit y: for y: =
= To y: End nt: on: died to Purch: m: Ing:
h: for y: - B: by all Power: Inf: - brings y: to
Unb: Dep: - thank: to Acc: - Dut: to let to =
= He keeps y: f: fall: Prey to Per: Pol: =
He sup: y: totter: f: - Len: Lang: Gra: -
enabler y: - go on io: till Int: Heav: m: Perf: =
= Thi W: h:o part: full: on y: - y: y: Lem:
y: Contin: dy: chang: in It: = Wh: he tabernac:
Am: = Ituo full: died h:o decl: = He wear
about = It io: h: Meat = Ituo meek: died h:
Inst: = W: W: Perf: did h:o bear w: y: Infirmit: =
W: W: Inst: Rep: Vices = View h: Cond: =
Beh: h: Spt: Unwear: - h: Night: Retirm: Des:
= Holl: h: Gard: wh: Green: Sweat = Accomp:
h: Last Score h: Suff: = W: W: Cour: did

Who ^{are} of seek & h: Saloⁿ - March 1772 -

Psl: 70: 4: Let y: of seek thee ^{ye} & be glad
in thee = & let such as love y: Saloⁿ - say

contin: let y: be magni^d =

The Desigⁿ of y: Gospel - y: to be n^o
of Fear - bring glad tid^{ings} - lay a bound^{ed} y
Peace Sec^{ure} = Fear nat^l - conse^{quence} of y: - How
t^{he} Levit^{al}: y: h: offend: - are Expo^{sed} = No
soon: did o^{ur} first Per^{son} - b^y st^{ill} Animat^{ed}
disprop^{er} - fled f^{rom} y: Pres^{ent} y: offend: - sought
to be f^{rom} h: Pres^{ent} in Un^{der} = While
Sinn^{er}: contin: Hostility - live in Rebell^{ion} -
Refuse to subm^{it} - No Word contin Med^{itation}
Ter^{ror}: - for w^ho: contend = y: lie down
und^{er} of: - co: Mom^{ent}: Dong^{ing}: = = B^y lo^{ve}
Awake to a Sense - humble at y: foot^{stool} -
in good earn^{est} seek aft^{er} y: & h: Saloⁿ
The W^{ord}: giv^{ing} y: m^{uch} grac^e Inear^{est} =
Let y: lo: seek L^{ord}: iⁿ P^{er}son = In speak^{ing} I
shall Enq^{uire} - - - w^ho: y: are y: m^{uch} be true^{ly}
to seek & h: Saloⁿ - - - w^ho: grand seek
h^{ow} to be glad ~

First w^ho: y: are that m^{uch} be true^{ly}
said to seek y: L^{ord}: & h: Saloⁿ =

I They w^ho: seek y: as y: on sea & Har^{bour}
few of wear y: - & are Baptis^{ed}: faith^{ful}
but tell y: y: Des^{ire} to be sav^{ed}: = = lo: lo
n^{ot}: tremb^{le}. thots of being exclud^{ed} = b^y: Pr^{ince}
y: all y: hope built on x^{rist} = y: b^y: b^y: J^{esus}
exp^{er}: deliv^{er}: f^{rom} an oth^{er} = J^{esus} h^{ow} Exce^{llent} =
No oth^{er} Name = = b^y: ask w^ho: y: Exp^{er} to
be sav^{ed} by = Bec^{ause}: y: Imag^{ine} n^{ot} so g^{ood}: sin^{ner} =
fanc^y: Adorn^{ed}: w^{ith} some com^{mon}: to recom^{mend} y: =
y: go ab^{ove} to Estab^{lish} - hop^e: built on y: =

This n^{ot}: to seek y: & h: Saloⁿ b^y song^s
y: o^{ur}: - as y: fear: w^ho: y: acc^{use}: & n^{ot} oth^{er} =
= y: to compar^{ison} = = b^y: y: lo: Ince^{pt} seek
y: & h: Saloⁿ - convinc^{ed}: y: Viol^{ent}: - Unable
to sat^{is}fy: - end: y: Punish^{ment}: = y: y
Nat^{ural}: Univers^{al}: - Unable to do = y: lo
y: Intervent^{ing}: serv^{ing}: m^{uch}: Perish = = They
look on y: on door - on: Ref^{use}: Provid^{ed}

¶ seek h^m as if I were lo: alone - I defend
from Currier - mis: = w^t St. Paul counsell =

¶ They seek L: for all of Salo: lo
ho bestow on hⁱ: Peop: =

man: hⁱ: Part: Des: to be Ind: B^m
of Life & Salv: = will: to be Pard by -
but w^t Purif: by = Sav: I. lo: - B^m Sanctif: =

They hⁱ: a Des: aft: p^r: B^m: proud
Inclin: to some oth: y: = w: part: B^m: &
yet let: y^e aft: to if Van: Hold: = Be
numb: Am: of Peop: & yet keep y^e Plac
In of Epom: Sent: m: Diver: = Obi

of Pri: S: - & Ind: y^e: gratif: y^e Lust =
= y^e lo: Servo y^e & = ming: Int: of Bel: =
Divide hⁱ betw: B^m: I: = but Impop: =

He if Ind: seeks y^e: & hⁱ: = Elsew^h
above = Com: down w: a Sac: = To lo L: =
y^e: cle: if ho w: executd all hⁱ: offic
in y^e: = if ho m: be m: y^e y^e: w: d: =
of Part: All hⁱ: Benef: io: = if Sin
Pard: - Iori: doth: - Nat: Sanctif: =

if by hⁱ: d: f: of Punish: - Testor: Accu
= if by hⁱ: Rese: f: Tyrant: Dom: - brot
to y^e Pl: = y^e: mⁱ Glori: hⁱ: E: - Servo hⁱ:

w: Pleas: - Eny: hⁱ: = y^e: Appom: - for y^e
will: to Len: lo: y^e = Bid Ad: to lo Desir:

¶ The: Seek L: w: Iorn: Arcl: = Noth: else
scrib: y^e Import: = = w: y^e: see per: w

und: trons - app: exceed: Dev: = B^m: lo
d: f: y^e el: trip: - Land: shines - all y^e Rel:

gond: - As Vain & Sec: = = Ofl: see Sin
w: last on Beds - earnest seek - B^m: D: m:

Remov: - Return ut m: Gredin: to y^e form: =
sometim: be: seven times m: =

B^m: y^e: y^e truly seek = seek Prop: as
well as = Stealth as well = y^e y^e Predom: =

= = They seek hⁱ: n: in an false Ind: at m:
- B^m: Actio Diliq: = for y^e Incompas: =

for y^e Wait in all = Redom all Opportun
= Let: from y^e Stur: = Medit: - hⁱ: hⁱ full

= = w: Hon: y^e: - w: Un: trany an offend
= w: Rich: y^e Ind: - w: No til: = w: Pleas
- w: going down to Regl: = I am 2nd

Secondly to shew wth least y^e lo. y^e seek
l^y h^{is} to rep^y & be glad = = y^e are y^e Per^{son}
to w^h call^y Gosp^{el} peculiar Address = to all
but to y^e in an especial beca^{use} y^e Son =
= = y^e will n^{ot} desert h^{is} own w^{ill} - & Per^{son}
y^e w^h concern^y y^e = It is ho^{ld} y^e Awaken^{ing} =
y^e Exciter y^e And = Not quenched = y^e y^e
such h^{is} earl^y earnest sh^{ow} = B^y y^e y^e hum^{an} =
Improvom^{ent}

I My text speaks turn to y^e lo. seek n^{ot} =
= lo. faint = y^e seek other y^e w^h great Imp^{rovement} =
Let me Exposit. Case wth such = = w^h And
y^e stup^{id} Neglig^{ence} = = This Great Fundament
Dut^y = Wee^l y^e Imm^{ortal} Souls Dem^{and} = y^e n^{ot}
one y^e controvert^{ed} Points - all w^h good m^{an}
m^{an} Enter^{ed} Diff^{erent} Concept^s = B^y Plain &
Posit^{ive} Comm^{on} of y^e = On y^e Compl^{et} dep^{end} y^e Uⁿ =
Voice lead^y tells y^e y^e Worth = y^e y^e
Imm^{ortal} Sp^{irit} sh^{all} n^{ot} be suff^{icient} to perish = lo^{ve}
y^e ep^{ist} y^e y^e lo. Neg^{ative} h^{is} - shall be rep^y = Dep^{end} =
y^e y^e Neg^{ative} y^e Saloⁿ - cant Escap^{ed} Uⁿ Dem^{and} =

= = They y^e h^{is} int^{ent} lo. Bapt^{ism} - lo^{ve} Protes^t
to becl^y = acc^{ord} to lo. judg^{ing} Day y^e Decisioⁿ =
lo. y^e O^{mn} B^y will y^e n^{ot} be p^{er}ioⁿ to
lay y^e y^e = Let ay becom^e Reason = = =
It is bec^{ause} y^e y^e lo. h^{is} blind^{ness} = bec^{ause} y^e h^{is} are
captiv^{al} w^h y^e Oh^h = bec^{ause} Enslav^{ed} sensual =
Bec^{ause} Prof^{ess} Pleas^{ure} y^e lo. - dear to y^e y^e y^e y^e =
y^e Saloⁿ - Saloⁿ y^e y^e = = y^e turn deaf ear =
will n^{ot} come = = if Per^{son} did in y^e Son =
B^y heark^{en} O Sin^{ner} to y^e Voice y^e = bec^{ause}
it be too late = bec^{ause} dread^{ful} sent^{ence} be
pronounc^{ed} = Let h^{is} y^e helth = = O y^e y^e
lo. Awak^{en} Sec^{ure} by y^e turn^{ing} h^{is} - Insp^{iration} w^h Salu^{tion}
= = Kno^{ow} O Sin^{ner} Incl^{ude} y^e Careless^{ness} Dist =
D^{ist} in y^e m^{an} turn^{ing} = N^{ot} Boed^y but = = y^e
now ly^{ing} in Stealth - liable to a thow^{er} =
Sudden^{ly} y^e Pomp brot down = y^e Port^{er}
send for Min^{istry} y^e lo. now = cry for y^e Saloⁿ
lo. Now Neg^{ative} = Mourn y^e flims^y calls =
How turn^{ing} Cond^{ition} seed Sin^{ner} left^y B^y =
= w^h Boed^y turn^{ing} to corrupt^{ed} - Souly app^{et}
bet^y Faith sp^{irit} - banish^y h^{is} Vit^{al} - cens^{ure} ov^{er}

term: - condemn. to dwell in Y Lak =
= = H. ¹⁰ ^{cy} ^m dread. ^{cy} ^{Gen} ^{jud} =
y. Hear Voice Arch Ang. - trump sound
tho of terrifi. = y. Pollut. Bod. dragg.
from y. Malench. Prison = to App. ^{cy} ^{illu} =
Will y. ^{cy} ^{to} ^{seek} ^{loh} ^h ^{Opp} ^h =
comm. be sech. ^{cy} ^{Per} ^{wo} ^{by} ^{Var} ^m ^{allu} =
= Then m. App. ^{cy} ^{be} ^h ^{wheth} ^{will} = N^t
as a reconcil. - b. ^{cy} ^{Det} ^{erm} ^{En} = N^t ^{Comp} ^p
Sav. - b. an ^{cy} ^{aveng} = N^t ^{to} ^{beh} ^h ^{face}
P^{cy} ^b ^{consum} ^{terr} = N^t ^{to} ^{lec} ^{for} ^g ^b
condemn ^{cy} ^{Flam} = = judg ^h ^J ^{li} ^d
from hⁱ - ^{cy} ^{le} ^{feon} ^w ^h ^J - ^{cy} ^{le} ^{av} ^g ^{to} ^{be}
dragg. down ^{cy} ^{leg} ^{hor} = O y. ^{cy} ^{thot} ^y ^y
y. ^{cy} ^m ^{Awake} ^y ^{to} ^{fly} - ^{cy} ^{Seek} ^{est} ^{Deliv} =

¶ This affords abund. ^{cy} ^{Ineq} ^{to} ^y ^o
seek ^{cy} ^{as} ^h ^{been} ^{defend} = = ^{cy} ^{Per} ^{on} ^y
circum. apt to be discoverg = = My ^{cy} ^{ser} ^{too} ^{great} =
Inq. so m. ^{cy} ^{adv} = = ^{cy} ^{lec} ^{so} ^m
More. - ^{cy} ^{resist} ^{so} ^m ⁱⁿ ⁱⁿ ^{it} = y. No ^{cy} ^h ^{op} =
b. ^{cy} ^{lo} ^{dis} ^{cover} ^g ^O ^{afflic} ^t = ^{cy} ^{av} ^o
y. ^{cy} ⁿ ^l ^{en} ^d ^{de} ^{pend} ^g ^{gra} = ^{cy} ^h ⁿ ^{fix}

An alm. ^{cy} ^{comp} ^p = ^{cy} ^{Is} ^{adv} ^{too} ^h = ^{cy} ^{Is} ⁿ
Blood y. ^{cy} ^{Inf} = ^{cy} ^h ⁿ ^h ^{Ind} ^{supp} ^{to} ^{soft}
y. ^{cy} ^{subd} ^{Har} ^{el} = = ^{cy} ^{Ser} ^y ^{doubt} ^g
dip. ^{cy} ⁿ ^h ^{Ind} ^g ^h ^{will} ^{to} ^{exert} ^h
Ind in ^{cy} ^{fav} ^y ^{so} ^{Ungrate} ^g = = ^{cy} ^{to} ^{mil} ^B
should y. ^{cy} ^{quest} ^{ion} ^y = = ^{cy} ^h ^h ⁿ ^{help}
y. ^{cy} ^{great} ^y ^{App} ^{el} ^{to} ^h = ^{cy} ^{Do} ^{me} ⁿ ^{sh}
in ^{cy} ^h ^{lo} ⁱⁿ ^m ⁱⁿ ^{it} ^{Encourag} ^{Lang} =
Han. M. ^{cy} th ^{rust} = ^{cy} ^h ^h ⁿ ^{Pr} ^{mis} ^h
glomelth =

Do y. ^{cy} ^{great} ^y ^{ser} ^{terrifi} = ^{cy} ^y ^{Ind} ^g
y. ^{cy} ^{deep} ^{humiliat} = Com ^{cy} ^{let} ^y ^{leat} =
How ^{cy} ^{kind} ^{do} ^h ^{Intreat} ^{Back} ^{slid}
Rel. ^{cy} ^{yo} = ^{cy} ^{Go} ^{men} ^{fall} ^{Pro} st ^I ^{lead}
y. ^{cy} ^{Mis} = y. ^{cy} ^{Necessit} ^y ^{the} ^{comm} ^{on} =
cast ^{cy} ^g ^{on} ^{tree} = ^{cy} ^{Trust} ⁱⁿ ^h ^{Mer} ^{cy} ^y
lay ^{cy} ^{bound} ^{for} ^y ^{leg} ^d ^{from} ^g ^o ^g
triumph. in ^{cy} ^h ^{love} ^{thru} ^g ^o ^g ^o ^g

^{cy} ^{lo} ^g ^o ^g ^{To} ^{lo} ^g

Amen

did he meet wth Israel: Band = Wild Chas^{ty}
det: h^m f: int: y^e h^m lo: could h^m Command Leg^m =
= Boh: h^m on y^e last scene - Condr: Ban - Sepan
as an Import: - Nail: = h^m head crown - exp
to Van Unull: form: till bro: down gave =
Heny: d: = = = Hav: Comple: Purch: on
crop - & takⁿ: farwoll y^e P^m - ho y^e complet
design: h^m Loos head: = It y^e in cons^{er} y^e
the Loos y^e an defend Sav: - y^e Gosp^l Preach
y^e Anⁿ Sin: Awah: - & brot to Eng^l wth = y^e
an: delio: f: Captio: m: will: Enroll: am
Disciples Crucif: = For Paul m: Plant = y^e
h^m Sc^o are preserv: f: Delus: Sn: Decit^l =
above all Corrupt: d: = It y^e ho y^e Strength^m
y^e - Comb: land: - Land: Sup^{er} trial - & fin^{al}
Crown y^e wth Conq^{er}: = Thus ho Heaps y^e wth
y^e Commit^l: = Ho h^m Promis: Nono pluck:
h^m Gra: shall be suff: = h^m Strength
manifest:

He will short: Com^{er} finish y^e Illu^m
Plan y^e Redempt^l: = In h^m Hum^l ho

surround: wth m: Lay^l y^e - Ang^l Conq^{er} =
W^omon came from Lem^l = Ed: lo^l
Sold came to seize h^m - by a look he with
all y^e Strength = fell at h^m feet = It
Dy^l Groans Hung Unio: Nat: int: Leg^l &
Conq^{er}: = = Yet a little wh^l & he y^e left
not on St: P^oorth: Weak: - will come Grand &
Maynif: - Unio: Jud: = Heav: shall flee
Earth from: at h^m - This Beautif Unio be
enrap in Ham: = Unio Archang^l: Echo the
Vault Heav: - pench: Leg^l: d: - All m: App^h
Bar = The Wick: suff: It: Deu^l f: Pref^l -
It: Sep^l: Ach: Applaud = freed f: eo: m: Cans
shine Beaut Unispol: Stor: - triumph Wick^l
y^e = He shall App^h wth Sin to Comple^l Sald^l
He shall come to be glorif: - & Adm^l in all =
Thus shown in wth On: to Beh: f: om nio

Second: to consid wth Fram^l
t wth Adm^l Victor h^m condef^l & Gra = H^mo
y^e h^m Dign^l = H^mo Amar^l y^e sh^m condef^l
= in wth Circumst^l: did he app^h = H^mo
dill^l y^e Serv^l ho perform^l = H^mo

Faith. did he dieth = has Unwear'd
 did he pers: Notio: = Wt. Wt. Wond m:
 was beh: h: at h: first App: = heret: w
 B: = In Infanc: Banish: = B: w Wt
 Custom h m: m: View - The Innor: - Numer w
 trans: - execut: Comm: = The Belov Son
 complain: hid: h: Faith: = Wt. Source of
 stupend' Scond = Love to S = He Subtil:
 h: S Place = It pleas: L: to brues - to put h
to Greif - ho m: h: Sall an off: for = ho
word of Griefs Sear: S Sorrow = This is of
Desig: h: Suff: = This Plain Lang Scrip
 II Wd sh: App: to h: by h: of y' Desig: y
 h: Suff: m: be accomplish: on us = W: w
 See of Commis: by - y' qualif: for W: - m: be
 apur: of Able to Saco = Therof Comm:
 y: m: be taught S: = do nt: y' Want long
 demand = do y: nt: Want y' dign: w =
 y' Grac: lo: Sanctif: = y' Strength lo: Inade
 to Uen = Bch: ho commis: for y: Purp:
 Look up to h: - Refig: y' S: on h: h: =
 Confido on Promis: h: lo: = Ho h: Pnd =

ho h: Gra = ho y' of faith: y' of true =
 Let y: be Lang: ev: One = B: be y' w h:
laid help on one of Mign: = Welcome ho
y' Cometh h: to seek of Saco

III Wd sh: beh: h: w Sae Grac: y' Joy =
 My Pec: Searn: Saem: = App: for joy: h: m:
 Love = Suro sh: w y: y' so complet: from
 = so full: Commis: = Wt. Grac: sh: Insp
 lo: Consid: y' Desig: = Ho come nt: as Mop:
 W: to den: = to Spoil Wnd = = They w
 Ue: y' Glad tid: w: Joy - Shall Exp: y
 greatn: h: Ueloom: = Ho will nt: for:
 lo: y' = Nor disapp: Exp: y: lo: Consid: =
 It y' will: w: an Innor: Pen ho y' trust: on
 h: nt: Comand: = = Let y: Pracs: m: St. Empe
 tong: = Let h: burn L: w: h: given such Uia
 = Let us Unite w: Capt: Joy & Say Thank
for h: Unspeak: = Let us join Song lang:
Glory to G: high: =

Amen —