

“For my name's sake I defer my anger,

for the sake of my praise I restrain it for you,

that I may not cut you off.

Behold, I have refined you, but not as silver;

I have tried you in the furnace of affliction.

For my own sake, for my own sake, I do it,

for how should my name be profaned?

My glory I will not give to another.”

Isaiah 48:9-11

“And the Lord your God will circumcise your heart

and the heart of your offspring, so that you will love

the Lord your God with all your heart and with all

your soul, that you may live.”

Deuteronomy 30:6