

4QMessianic Apocalypse
(also known as the “Resurrection Fragment”)
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II...[the hea]vens and the earth will listen to His Messiah, and none therein will stray from the commandments of the holy ones.

Seekers of the Lord, strengthen yourselves in His service!

All you hopeful in (your) heart, will you not find the Lord in this!

For the Lord will consider the pious (*hasidim*) and call the righteous by name.

Over the poor His spirit will hover and will renew the faithful with His power.

And he will glorify the pious on the throne of the eternal kingdom

He liberates the captives, restores sight to the blind, straightens the b[ent] (Ps. 146, 7-8)

And f[or]ever I will clea[ve to the h]opeful and in His mercy...

And the f[ruit...] will not be delayed for anyone

And the Lord will accomplish glorious things which have never been as [He...]

For He will heal the wounded, and revive the dead and bring good news to the poor (Isa. 61, 1)

...He will lead the uprooted and knowledge...and smoke (?)