Ps. 3 (Israel)

2, 3. Complaint - present distress

צר to press, to lace

ישֻׁעָתָה - double fem ending -

4, 5. Cleansed - new relationship with God (& man)

"shield" -

גֶּנֶן (cf) גָּנַן {"division" "partition"} → {"covering" "protection"}

Jeh. his glory -

" lifter up of head -

assured of answer to prayer -

6, 7. Confident now because of God's treatment in past.

→ "And so I then fell asleep" & not "I shall fall asleep".

וָ Impf. Consec. "ah" = directive

glance at past night -

why not Selah here? - not tone of triumph

8, 9. קוּמָה from mouth of Moses -

הִכִּיתָ & double acc.

יְשׁוּעָה; - breadth - יָשַׁע

amplitude - deliverance.