

# Passages In Which Psukee Applies To God Or Christ.

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1. Matthew 12:18 *"Behold, my servant whom I have chosen; My beloved in whom my **soul** [life-soul-psukee] is well pleased."*
  - *"My loved one in whom I [psukee] delight"* New American Bible.
  - *"My beloved, in whom I [psukee] take delight"* Revised English Bible.
2. Matthew 26:38 *"Then said he unto them, My **soul** [life-soul-psukee] is exceeding sorrowful, even unto **death**: abide you here, and watch with me."* Mark 14:34 *"And he said unto them, My **soul** [life-soul-psukee] is exceeding sorrowful even unto **death**: abide you here, and watch."*
  - *"Then he said to them, I [psukee] am deeply grieved, even to death"* Matthew 26:38 New Revised Standard Version.
  - *"My **heart** [psukee] is nearly broken with sorrow"* New American Bible.
  - *"My **heart** [psukee] is ready to break with grief"* Revised English Bible.
3. Matthew 20:28 *"Even as the Son of man came not to be ministered unto, but to minister, and to give his **life** [life-soul-psukee] a ransom for many."* Mark 10:45 *"For the Son of man also came not to be ministered unto, but to minister, and to give his **life** [life-soul-psukee] a ransom for many."*
4. John 10:11 *"I am the good shepherd: the good shepherd **lays down his life** [life-soul-psukee] for the sheep. 12 He that is a hireling, and not a shepherd, whose own the sheep are not, beholds the wolf coming, and leaves the sheep, and flees, and the wolf snatches them, and scatters [them]: 13 [he flees] because he is a hireling, and cares not for the sheep. 14 I am the good shepherd; and I know mine own, and mine own know me, 15 even as the Father knows me, and I know the Father; and I **lay down my life** [life-soul-psukee] for the sheep. 16 And other sheep I have, which are not of this fold: them also I must bring, and they shall hear my voice: and they shall become one flock, one shepherd. 17 Therefore, the Father loves me, because I **lay down my life** [life-soul-psukee], that I may take it again."* An immortal soul, as taught today, cannot die, therefore, the translators could not say Christ gave up His immortal soul. He gives His life, not an immortal soul.
5. John 12:27 *"Now is my **soul** [life-soul-psukee] troubled; and what shall I say? Father, save me from this hour."*
  - *"Now my **heart** is troubled"* New International Version.
6. Acts 2:27 *"Because you will not leave my **soul** [life-soul-psukee] unto Hades, neither will you give your Holy One to see corruption."*
  - *"You will not abandon me [psukee] to the grave"* New International Version.
  - *"You will not abandon me [psukee] to death"* Revised English Bible.
7. Acts 2:31 *"He foreseeing [this] spoke of the resurrection of the Christ, that neither was he [life-soul-psukee] left unto Hades, nor did his flesh see corruption."*
  - The same word is translated "soul" in Acts 2:27 and "he" in Acts 2:31 in the King James Version.
8. Hebrews 10:38 *"But my righteous one shall live by faith: And if he shrink back, my **soul** [life-soul-psukee] has no pleasure in him."* In these passages, soul or life refers to God or Christ.
  - *"And if he shrinks back, I [psukee] will not be pleased with him"* New International Version.
  - *"And if he draws back I [psukee] take no pleasure in him"* New American Bible.
  - *"But if anyone shrinks back, I [psukee] take no pleasure in him"* Revised English Bible.

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