

Malachi 4:1-6 in Verse

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See, the day is comin',
burning like an oven,
when all who practice evil,
greed, and treachery will
find themselves in trouble,
like the field stubble.
That day will bring the burn,
and it will be their turn.
They're gonna be like toast,
says the Lord of hosts.
Their power will be moot,
like a tree without a root.
They won't stand a chance,
like a tree without a branch.

But those who love God's name
will see a different game.
God's righteousness will rise,
like the sun across the skies,
with healing in its wings
for all beloved things.
That day, you're gonna laugh
and go skipping like a calf.
But the wicked will go down,
be like ashes on the ground
to be trampled under foot.
Oh, it's gonna be so good
on the day on which I act,
the Lord says, that's a fact.

Remember My servant Moses!
The thing you got to know is
the Law I gave at Horeb --
commandments in the Torah --
leads to life that is real
for My people Israel.
Before that day comes by ya,
I'm gonna send Elijah.
He will turn the hearts
of all the family parts,
parents to their children,
and vice versa, so then
no curse will strike the land
when on the earth I stand.