

## SHADOWS

Reference: miscellaneous Scripture

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Shadows are interesting phenomena because shadows have different meanings and implications, contingent on the context in which those shadows are referenced. To some people shadows have a negative and frightful connotation; but, in contrast, throughout Scripture shadows are more often than not, used in a positive and beneficial sense.

**Definition:** shadow is an area where \_\_\_\_\_ from a light source cannot reach due to obstruction by an object.

ONE... Shadows can represent \_\_\_\_\_

Reference: **Job 7:2**, *“Like a servant **who earnestly desires the shade** (from the shadow)...”*

Reference: **Isaiah 4:6**, *“And there will be a tabernacle for **shade in the daytime from the heat**...and for a shelter from storm and rain.”*

Reference: **Isaiah 32:1-2**,

**verse one**, *“Behold, a king (the promised Messiah, Jesus) will reign in righteousness and princes will rule with justice.”*

**verse two**, *“a man will be as a hiding place from the wind, and a cover from the tempest (storm), as rivers of water in a dry place, **as the shadow of a great rock in a weary land.**”*

TWO... Shadows can represent \_\_\_\_\_

Reference: **Isaiah 49:1-2**,

**verse one**, *“Listen, O coastlands, to Me (Messiah), and take heed you peoples from afar! The LORD has called Me (Messiah) from the womb; from the matrix of My mother He has made mention of My name.”*

**verse two**, *“And He has made My mouth like a sharp sword; **in the shadow of His hand He** (God) **has hidden Me** (Messiah)...”*

Reference: **Galatians 4:4**, *“But **when the fullness of time had come**, God sent forth His son, born of a woman, born under the law,”*

THREE... Shadows can represent \_\_\_\_\_

Reference: **Psalms 57:1**, *“Be merciful to me, O God, be merciful to me! For my soul trusts in You; and **in the shadow of Your wings I will make my refuge** until these calamities have passed by.”*

Reference: **Psalms 63:7**, *“Because You (God) have been my help, therefore **in the shadow of Your wings I will rejoice.**”*

Reference: **Psalms 91:1-2**

**verse one**, *“He who dwells in the secret place of the Most High (God) **shall abide under the shadow of the Almighty.**”*

**verse two**, *“I will say to the LORD, ‘He is my refuge and my fortress; my God, in Him I will trust.’”*