

# Psalms 105

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## **Give Thanks to the Lord**

- 1** O give thanks unto the LORD; call upon his name: make known his deeds among the people.
  - 2** Sing unto him, sing psalms unto him: talk ye of all his wondrous works.
  - 3** Glory ye in his holy name: let the heart of them rejoice that seek the LORD.
  - 4** Seek the LORD, and his strength: seek his face evermore.
  - 5** Remember his marvellous works that he hath done; his wonders, and the judgments of his mouth;
  - 6** O ye seed of Abraham his servant, ye children of Jacob his chosen.
  - 7** He is the LORD our God: his judgments are in all the earth.
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- 8** He hath remembered his covenant for ever, the word which he commanded to a thousand generations.
  - 9** Which covenant he made with Abraham, and his oath unto Isaac;
  - 10** And confirmed the same unto Jacob for a law, and to Israel for an everlasting covenant:
  - 11** Saying, Unto thee will I give the land of Canaan, the lot of your inheritance:
  - 12** When they were but a few men in number; yea, very few, and strangers in it.
  - 13** When they went from one nation to another, from one kingdom to another people;

14 He suffered no man to do them wrong: yea, he reprov'd kings for their sakes;

15 Saying, Touch not mine anointed, and do my prophets no harm.

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16 Moreover he called for a famine upon the land: he brake the whole staff of bread.

17 He sent a man before them, even Joseph, who was sold for a servant:

18 Whose feet they hurt with fetters: he was laid in iron:

19 Until the time that his word came: the word of the LORD tried him.

20 The king sent and loosed him; even the ruler of the people, and let him go free.

21 He made him lord of his house, and ruler of all his substance:

22 To bind his princes at his pleasure; and teach his senators wisdom.

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23 Israel also came into Egypt; and Jacob sojourn'd in the land of Ham.

24 And he increased his people greatly; and made them stronger than their enemies.

25 He turned their heart to hate his people, to deal subtilly with his servants.

26 He sent Moses his servant; and Aaron whom he had chosen.

27 They shewed his signs among them, and wonders in the land of Ham.

28 He sent darkness, and made it dark; and they rebelled not against his word.

29 He turned their waters into blood, and slew their fish.

30 Their land brought forth frogs in abundance, in the chambers of their kings.

31 He spake, and there came divers sorts of flies, and lice in all their coasts.

32 He gave them hail for rain, and flaming fire in their land.

33 He smote their vines also and their fig trees; and brake the trees of their coasts.

- 34 He spake, and the locusts came, and caterpillars, and that without number,
- 35 And did eat up all the herbs in their land, and devoured the fruit of their ground.
- 36 He smote also all the firstborn in their land, the chief of all their strength.
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- 37 He brought them forth also with silver and gold: and there was not one feeble person among their tribes.
- 38 Egypt was glad when they departed: for the fear of them fell upon them.
- 39 He spread a cloud for a covering; and fire to give light in the night.
- 40 The people asked, and he brought quails, and satisfied them with the bread of heaven.
- 41 He opened the rock, and the waters gushed out; they ran in the dry places like a river.
- 42 For he remembered his holy promise, and Abraham his servant.
- 43 And he brought forth his people with joy, and his chosen with gladness:
- 44 And gave them the lands of the heathen: and they inherited the labour of the people;
- 45 That they might observe his statutes, and keep his laws. Praise ye the LORD.
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## HEBREW & GREEK WORD STUDIES

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### Blood — דָּם (Dam)

Blood

The Hebrew **dam** (דָּם) means blood—representing life itself. 'The life of the flesh is in the blood' (Leviticus 17:11), and blood was required for atonement, foreshadowing Christ's sacrifice.

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### Covenant — בְּרִית (Berit)

Covenant, treaty

The Hebrew **berit** (בְּרִית) denotes a covenant—a binding agreement, often ratified by blood sacrifice. God's covenants (Abrahamic, Mosaic, Davidic) structure redemptive history, culminating in the New Covenant.

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**Eternal** — עולם (Olam)

Eternal, everlasting

The Hebrew **olam** (עולם) means eternal or everlasting—time stretching beyond human comprehension. God is the 'everlasting God' (Genesis 21:33), and His covenant love endures forever.

**Heaven** — שָׁמַיִם (Shamayim)

Heaven, sky

The Hebrew **shamayim** (שָׁמַיִם) means heaven or sky—God's dwelling place and the realm above earth. 'The heaven, even the heavens, are the LORD's' (Psalm 115:16), yet 'the heaven of heavens cannot contain Him' (1 Kings 8:27).

**Holy** — קָדוֹשׁ (Qadosh)

Holy, set apart

The Hebrew **qadosh** (קָדוֹשׁ) means holy or set apart—separated from common use for God's purposes. God is 'the Holy One of Israel,' utterly distinct from creation in moral perfection.

**Judgment** — מִשְׁפָּט (Mishpat)

Judgment, justice

The Hebrew **mishpat** (מִשְׁפָּט) means judgment or justice—God's righteous decisions and ordinances. God is the Judge of all the earth who 'shall do right' (Genesis 18:25), executing perfect justice.

**Kingdom** — מַלְכוּת (Malkhut)

Kingdom, reign, royal power

The Hebrew **malkhut** (מַלְכוּת) denotes kingdom or royal rule—the realm and reign of a king. God's kingdom represents His sovereign rule over all creation.

**Law** — תּוֹרָה (Torah)

Law, instruction

The Hebrew **Torah** (תּוֹרָה) means law or instruction—God's revealed will for His people. The Law includes moral, civil, and ceremonial commandments, revealing God's character and humanity's need for a Savior.

**Lord** — יְהוָה / אֲדֹנָי (YHWH / Adonai)

The LORD / Lord

When 'LORD' appears in small capitals, it represents the Tetragrammaton **YHWH** (יְהוָה), God's personal covenant name meaning 'I AM.' When 'Lord' appears normally, it's **Adonai** (אֲדֹנָי), meaning 'my Lord,' emphasizing sovereignty.

**Prophet** — נָבִיא (Navi)

Prophet, spokesman

The Hebrew **navi** (נָבִיא) means prophet—one who speaks God's word to the people. Prophets received divine revelation and declared God's message, often calling Israel to repentance and foretelling future events.

**Word** — דָּבָר (Davar)

Word, thing, matter

The Hebrew **davar** (דָּבָר) means word, thing, or matter—God's creative and authoritative speech. 'By the word of the LORD were the heavens made' (Psalm 33:6).

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**Psalms 105:6** **Parallel theme:** John 15:16; 1 Peter 2:9

**Psalms 105:7** **Judgment:** Isaiah 26:9

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