

# Psalms 65

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## **O God of Our Salvation**

<sup>1</sup> Praise waiteth for thee, O God, in Sion: and unto thee shall the vow be performed.

<sup>2</sup> O thou that hearest prayer, unto thee shall all flesh come.

<sup>3</sup> Iniquities prevail against me: as for our transgressions, thou shalt purge them away.

<sup>4</sup> Blessed is the man whom thou choosest, and causest to approach unto thee, that he may dwell in thy courts: we shall be satisfied with the goodness of thy house, even of thy holy temple.

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<sup>5</sup> By terrible things in righteousness wilt thou answer us, O God of our salvation; who art the confidence of all the ends of the earth, and of them that are afar off upon the sea:

<sup>6</sup> Which by his strength setteth fast the mountains; being girded with power:

<sup>7</sup> Which stilleth the noise of the seas, the noise of their waves, and the tumult of the people.

<sup>8</sup> They also that dwell in the uttermost parts are afraid at thy tokens: thou makest the outgoings of the morning and evening to rejoice.

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<sup>9</sup> Thou visitest the earth, and waterest it: thou greatly enrichest it with the river of God, which is full of water: thou preparest them corn, when thou hast so provided for it.

- 10** Thou waterest the ridges thereof abundantly: thou settlest the furrows thereof: thou makest it soft with showers: thou blessest the springing thereof.
- 11** Thou crownest the year with thy goodness; and thy paths drop fatness.
- 12** They drop upon the pastures of the wilderness: and the little hills rejoice on every side.
- 13** The pastures are clothed with flocks; the valleys also are covered over with corn; they shout for joy, they also sing.

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## HEBREW & GREEK WORD STUDIES

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### God — אֱלֹהִים (Elohim)

God (plural of majesty)

The Hebrew **Elohim** (אֱלֹהִים) is a plural form denoting majesty and fullness of deity. Though grammatically plural, it takes singular verbs when referring to the one true God, suggesting the Trinity's plurality within unity.

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### 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.

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### Righteous — צַדִּיק (Tzaddik)

Righteous one

The Hebrew **tzaddik** (צַדִּיק) describes one who is righteous, just, or lawful—conforming to God's standard. From the root tzedek (צֶדֶק), meaning righteousness or justice.

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### Transgression — פְּשָׁע (Pesha)

Transgression, rebellion

The Hebrew **pesha** (פְּשָׁע) means transgression or rebellion—willful violation of God's law. It implies deliberate revolt against divine authority: 'he was wounded for our transgressions' (Isaiah 53:5).

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## CROSS REFERENCES

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**Psalms 65:1**    **References God:** Psalms 62:1; 76:11. **Resurrection:** Psalms 21:13; 56:12.

**Parallel theme:** Psalms 76:2; 1 Chronicles 11:7; 15:29

**Psalms 65:2** **Parallel theme:** Psalms 66:4; 86:9; 1 Kings 18:37; Isaiah 65:24; 66:23. **Prayer:** Psalms 66:19; 102:17; 2 Chronicles 33:13; Acts 10:31

**Psalms 65:3** **Parallel theme:** Psalms 38:4; 40:12; 51:7; Galatians 5:17; Hebrews 9:14. **Sin:** Psalms 79:9; Isaiah 6:7; Zechariah 13:1; John 1:29; Revelation 1:5

**Psalms 65:4** **Blessing:** Psalms 33:12; 84:4. **Holy:** Psalms 15:1; Ephesians 1:4. **Good:** Psalms 23:6. **Parallel theme:** Psalms 4:3; 36:8; 63:5; Jeremiah 31:25. **Temple:** Revelation 3:12

**Psalms 65:5** **References God:** Psalms 66:3; Deuteronomy 10:21. **Salvation:** Isaiah 45:22; 51:5. **Righteousness:** Psalms 45:4; Romans 2:5; Revelation 16:5. **Parallel theme:** Psalms 22:27; Isaiah 60:5; 66:19

**Psalms 65:6** **Parallel theme:** Psalms 93:1; Micah 6:2; Habakkuk 3:6

**Psalms 65:7** **Parallel theme:** Psalms 89:9; 107:29; John 18:6

**Psalms 65:8** **Parallel theme:** Psalms 2:8; 19:5; 65:13; 74:16; 126:2; 135:9; 136:8; 148:3; Deuteronomy 4:19; Revelation 11:13

**Psalms 65:9** **References God:** Psalms 46:4; Jeremiah 5:24; Revelation 22:1

**Psalms 65:10** **Parallel theme:** Psalms 147:8; Deuteronomy 32:2

**Psalms 65:11** **Parallel theme:** Psalms 5:12; 25:10; 36:8; 103:4; 104:3; Proverbs 14:18; Joel 2:14; Haggai 2:19; Malachi 3:10; Romans 11:17

**Psalms 65:12** **Parallel theme:** Psalms 65:6; Joel 2:22

**Psalms 65:13** **Sin:** Isaiah 44:23; 52:9; 55:12. **Parallel theme:** Psalms 72:16; 144:13; Isaiah 30:23; 35:10; Jeremiah 48:33; Zechariah 9:17; Acts 14:17