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SURVEY OF PSALMS

An Introduction

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A SURVEY OF THE PSALMS

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TITLE

- Hebrew Title: “Praises”—Every one of the 150 psalms contains a note of praise.
- Septuagint: “Melodies”—Many of the psalms were intended to be sung.
- English: “Psalms”—A psalm is a song of praise.

DAVID (AUTHOR OF 73 PSALMS)

2 Samuel 23

1 Now these are the last words of David.

David the son of Jesse declares, The man who was raised on high declares, The anointed of the God of Jacob, And the sweet psalmist of Israel,

2 “The Spirit of the LORD spoke by me, And His word was on my tongue.”

AUTHORS

- Heman directed the Sons of Korah.
- Asaph directed the Sons of Gershom.
- Ethan directed the Sons of Merari.
- These were temple choirs and musicians descended from those three sons of Levi.
- 1 Chronicles 6:33—”From the sons of the Kohathites were Heman the singer, the son of Joel, the son of Samuel.”

AUTHORS

- 73 psalms are attributed to David
- 11 to the Sons of Korah
- 12 to Asaph
- 1 to Moses (Ps. 90)
- 2 to Solomon (Ps. 72 & 127)
- 1 to Ethan (Ps. 89) {aka Jeduthan}
- 1 to Heman
- 50 are anonymous (including Ps. 119)

ORGANIZATION

- 150 Psalms are organized into 5 books. Each book closes with a doxology (praise to God).
- Book 1: Ps. 1-41 (Doxology: Ps 41:13.)
- Book 2: Ps. 42-72 (Doxology: 72:18-19)
- Book 3: Ps. 73-89
- Book 4: Ps. 90-106
- Book 5: Ps. 107-150

SUBJECT MATTER

- Psalms of Experience
- Psalms of Worship
- Messianic Psalms

PSALMS AS POETRY

Antithetic Parallelism:

For the Lord knows the way of the righteous,
But the way of the ungodly shall perish.

(Ps. 1:6, NKJV)

The wicked borrows and does not pay back,
But the righteous is gracious and gives.

(Ps 37:21, NASB)

PSALMS AS POETRY

Synonymous Parallelism:

Where can I go from Your Spirit?

Or where can I flee from Your presence?

(Ps. 139:7, NASB)

He has not dealt with us according to our sins,

Nor punished us according to our iniquities.

(Ps. 103:10, NKJV)

PSALM 33

1. Sing for joy in the LORD, O you righteous ones; Praise is becoming to the upright.
2. Give thanks to the LORD with the lyre; Sing praises to Him with a harp of ten strings.
3. Sing to Him a new song; Play skillfully with a shout of joy.

PSALM 150

- 3 Praise Him with the sound of the trumpet;
Praise Him with the lute and harp!
- 4 Praise Him with the timbrel and dance;
Praise Him with stringed instruments and
flutes!
- 5 Praise Him with loud cymbals; Praise Him
with clashing cymbals!
- 6 Let everything that has breath praise the
LORD. Praise the LORD!

PSALM 119

- 12 Blessed are You, O LORD; Teach me
Your statutes.
- 13 With my lips I have told of All the
ordinances of Your mouth.
- 14 I have rejoiced in the way of Your
testimonies, As much as in all riches.
- 15 I will meditate on Your precepts And
regard Your ways.

1 CORINTHIANS 14:15b

*I will sing with the spirit and
I will sing with the mind also.*