

Psalm 118

Give thanks unto the LORD for He is good:
His loyal love forever will endure!
Let Israel be pleased to say with me:
His loyal love forever will endure!

And let the house of Aaron gladly say:
His loyal love forever will endure!
And let all those who fear the LORD now say:
His loyal love forever will endure!

From narrow straits I called upon the LORD:
He heard me and set me in a broad place.
The LORD is on my side: I will not fear
What any mortal man can do to me!

The LORD is on my side, and He helps me
Among all others who are helping me:
The LORD is on my side: He is my God:
I can look boldly on those who hate me!

For it is better to trust in the LORD
Than to rely on any mortal man:
And it is better to trust in the LORD
Than to rely on any earthly prince!

Those of all nations have surrounded me,
But in the name of GOD I cut them off:
They have encircled and surrounded me,
But in the name of GOD I cut them off!

For I was pushed until I almost fell
But the LORD God helped me in my distress:
The LORD is my true strength and song today
For He has brought salvation unto me!

A cry of triumph and of salvation
Is in the tents where righteous people dwell:
The right hand of the LORD will act in power:
The right hand of the LORD is lifted high!

The right hand of the LORD will act in power:
I shall not die, but will remain alive
And I shall tell the great works of the LORD
And I will tell all what He's done for me!

The LORD chastised me with severity.
But did not hand me over unto death:
Open to me the gates of righteousness
And I shall enter and give thanks to Him!

I give You thanks, for You have answered me:
You have become salvation unto me.
A stone the builders had refused to use
Has now at last become the corner stone

The LORD Himself has caused this to be so,
And it is now a miracle we see:
This is the day the LORD Himself has made
May we rejoice and gladly see His work!

For we beseech You, LORD, please save us now:
Give us success, please give it to us now:
Blest is the One Who comes in the LORD's name:
We bless you too from the house of the LORD!

The LORD is God and He enlightens us:
So bind the festive sacrifice with cords
Onto the horns of the altar of brass
And let us give Him thanks with one accord!

You are my God, and I give thanks to You:
You are my God, and I exalt Your name:
Give thanks unto the LORD, for He is good:
His loyal love forever will endure!

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