Psalm 105

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Tell of His Wonders

(1 Chronicles 16:7–22)

- ¹O give thanks unto the LORD, call upon His name; Make known His doings among the peoples.
- ²Sing unto Him, sing praises unto Him; Speak ye of all His marvellous works.
- ³Glory ye in His holy name; Let the heart of them rejoice that seek the LORD.
- ⁴Seek ye the LORD and His strength; Seek His face continually.
- 5Remember His marvellous works that He hath done, His wonders, and the judgments of His mouth;
- ⁶O ye seed of Abraham His servant, Ye children of Jacob, His chosen ones.
- ⁷He is the LORD our God; His judgments are in all the earth.
- ⁸He hath remembered His covenant for ever, The word which He commanded to a thousand generations;

- ⁹[The covenant] which He made with Abraham, And His oath unto Isaac;
- 10 And He established it unto Jacob for a statute, To Israel for an everlasting covenant;
- 11Saying: 'Unto thee will I give the land of Canaan, The lot of your inheritance.'
- 12When they were but a few men in number. Yea, very few, and sojourners in it,
- 13 And when they went about from nation to nation, From one kingdom to another people,
- 14He suffered no man to do them wrong, Yea, for their sake He reproved kings:
- 15 Touch not Mine anointed ones, And do My prophets no harm.'
- 16 And He called a famine upon the land; He broke the whole staff of bread.
- 17He sent a man before them; Joseph was sold for a servant;
- 18 His feet they hurt with fetters, His person was laid in iron;
- ¹⁹Until the time that his word came to pass, The word of the LORD tested him.
- ²⁰The king sent and loosed him; Even the ruler of the peoples, and set him free.
- ²¹He made him lord of his house, And ruler of all his possessions;
- ²²To bind his princes at his pleasure, And teach his elders wisdom.
- ²³Israel also came into Egypt; And Jacob sojourned in the land of Ham.
- ²⁴And He increased His people greatly, And made them too mighty for their adversaries.
- ²⁵He turned their heart to hate His people, To deal craftily with His servants.
- ²⁶He sent Moses His servant, And Aaron whom He had chosen.
- ²⁷They wrought among them His manifold signs, And wonders in the land of Ham.
- 28He sent darkness, and it was dark; And they rebelled not against His word.
- ²⁹He turned their waters into blood, And slew their fish.
- 30Their land swarmed with frogs, In the chambers of their kings.
- 31He spoke, and there came swarms of flies, And gnats in all their borders.
- ³²He gave them hail for rain, And flaming fire in their land.
- ³³He smote their vines also and their fig-trees; And broke the trees of their borders.

- ³⁴He spoke, and the locust came, And the canker-worm without number,
- 35And did eat up every herb in their land, And did eat up the fruit of their ground.
- ³⁶He smote also all the first-born in their land, The first-fruits of all their strength.
- ³⁷And He brought them forth with silver and gold; And there was none that stumbled among His tribes.
- ³⁸Egypt was glad when they departed; For the fear of them had fallen upon them.
- ³⁹He spread a cloud for a screen; And fire to give light in the night.
- 40 They asked, and He brought quails, And gave them in plenty the bread of heaven.
- 41He opened the rock, and waters gushed out; They ran, a river in the dry places.
- 42For He remembered His holy word Unto Abraham His servant;
- ⁴³And He brought forth His people with joy, His chosen ones with singing.
- 44And He gave them the lands of the nations, And they took the labour of the peoples in possession;
- 45That they might keep His statutes, And observe His laws. Hallelujah.