The Hallel - Psalms 113-118 Audio | Praise Psalms for Thanksgiving & Festivals

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Psalm 113

1 Praise the LORD! Praise, you servants of the LORD, praise the LORD's name. 2 Blessed be the
LORD's name, from this time forward and forever more. 3 From the rising of the sun to its going down,
the LORD's name is to be praised. 4 The LORD is high above all nations, his glory above the heavens.
5 Who is like the LORD, our God, who has his seat on high, 6 who stoops down to see in heaven and in
the earth? 7 He raises up the poor out of the dust, and lifts up the needy from the ash heap, 8 that he
may set him with princes, even with the princes of his people. 9 He settles the barren woman in her
home as a joyful mother of children. Praise the LORD!

Psalm 114

1 When Israel went out of Egypt, the house of Jacob from a people of foreign language, 2 Judah became
his sanctuary, Israel his dominion. 3 The sea saw it, and fled. The Jordan was driven back. 4 The
mountains skipped like rams, the little hills like lambs. 5 What was it, you sea, that you fled? You
Jordan, that you turned back? 6 You mountains, that you skipped like rams? You little hills, like lambs?
7 Tremble, you earth, at the presence of the Lord, at the presence of the God of Jacob, 8 who turned the
rock into a pool of water, the flint into a spring of waters.

Psalm 115

1 Not to us, LORD, not to us, but to your name give glory, for your loving kindness, and for your truth's
sake. 2 Why should the nations say, "Where is their God, now?" 3 But our God is in the heavens. He
does whatever he pleases. 4 Their idols are silver and gold, the work of men's hands. 5 They have
mouths, but they don't speak. They have eyes, but they don't see. 6 They have ears, but they don't hear.
They have noses, but they don't smell. 7 They have hands, but they don't feel. They have feet, but they
don't walk, neither do they speak through their throat. 8 Those who make them will be like them; yes,
everyone who trusts in them. 9 Israel, trust in the LORD! He is their help and their shield. 10 House of
Aaron, trust in the LORD! He is their help and their shield. 11 You who fear the LORD, trust in the
LORD! He is their help and their shield. 12 The LORD remembers us. He will bless us. He will bless
the house of Israel. He will bless the house of Aaron. 13 He will bless those who fear the LORD, both
small and great. 14 May the LORD increase you more and more, you and your children. 15 Blessed are
you by the LORD, who made heaven and earth. 16 The heavens are the LORD's heavens, but he has
given the earth to the children of men. 17 The dead don't praise the LORD, nor any who go down into
silence, 18 but we will bless the LORD, from this time forward and forever more. Praise the LORD!

Psalm 116

1 I love the LORD, because he listens to my voice, and my cries for mercy. 2 Because he has turned his
ear to me, therefore I will call on him as long as I live. 3 The cords of death surrounded me, the pains of
Sheol got a hold of me. I found trouble and sorrow. 4 Then I called on the LORD's name: "LORD, I
beg you, deliver my soul." 5 The LORD is gracious and righteous. Yes, our God is merciful. 6 The
LORD preserves the simple. I was brought low, and he saved me. 7 Return to your rest, my soul, for the
LORD has dealt bountifully with you. 8 For you have delivered my soul from death, my eyes from
tears, and my feet from falling. 9 I will walk before the LORD in the land of the living. 10 I believed,
therefore I said, "I was greatly afflicted." 11 I said in my haste, "All people are liars." 12 What will I

give to the LORD for all his benefits toward me? 13 I will take the cup of salvation, and call on the LORD's name. 14 I will pay my vows to the LORD, yes, in the presence of all his people. 15 Precious in the LORD's sight is the death of his saints. 16 LORD, truly I am your servant. I am your servant, the son of your servant girl. You have freed me from my chains. 17 I will offer to you the sacrifice of thanksgiving, and will call on the LORD's name. 18 I will pay my vows to the LORD, yes, in the presence of all his people, 19 in the courts of the LORD's house, in the middle of you, Jerusalem. Praise the LORD!

Psalm 117

1 Praise the LORD, all you nations! Extol him, all you peoples! 2 For his loving kindness is great toward us. The LORD's faithfulness endures forever. Praise the LORD!

Psalm 118

1 Give thanks to the LORD, for he is good, for his loving kindness endures forever. 2 Let Israel now say that his loving kindness endures forever. 3 Let the house of Aaron now say that his loving kindness endures forever. 4 Now let those who fear the LORD say that his loving kindness endures forever. 5 Out of my distress, I called on the LORD. The LORD answered me with freedom. 6 The LORD is on my side. I will not be afraid. What can man do to me? 7 The LORD is on my side among those who help me. Therefore I will look in triumph at those who hate me. 8 It is better to take refuge in the LORD, than to put confidence in man. 9 It is better to take refuge in the LORD, than to put confidence in princes. 10 All the nations surrounded me, but in the LORD's name I cut them off. 11 They surrounded me, yes, they surrounded me. In the LORD's name I indeed cut them off. 12 They surrounded me like bees. They are quenched like the burning thorns. In the LORD's name I cut them off. 13 You pushed me back hard, to make me fall, but the LORD helped me. 14 The LORD is my strength and song. He has become my salvation. 15 The voice of rejoicing and salvation is in the tents of the righteous. "The right hand of the LORD does valiantly. 16 The right hand of the LORD is exalted! The right hand of the LORD does valiantly!" 17 I will not die, but live, and declare the LORD's works. 18 The LORD has punished me severely, but he has not given me over to death. 19 Open to me the gates of righteousness. I will enter into them. I will give thanks to the LORD. 20 This is the gate of the LORD; the righteous will enter into it. 21 I will give thanks to you, for you have answered me, and have become my salvation. 22 The stone which the builders rejected has become the cornerstone. 23 This is the LORD's doing. It is marvelous in our eyes. 24 This is the day that the LORD has made. We will rejoice and be glad in it! 25 Save us now, we beg you, LORD! LORD, we beg you, send prosperity now. 26 Blessed is he who comes in the LORD's name! We have blessed you out of the LORD's house. 27 The LORD is God, and he has given us light. Bind the sacrifice with cords, even to the horns of the altar. 28 You are my God, and I will give thanks to you. You are my God, I will exalt you. 29 Oh give thanks to the LORD, for he is good, for his loving kindness endures forever.