

<sup>3</sup> Send forth your light and your truth, let them guide me; let them bring me to your holy mountain, to the place where you dwell. <sup>4</sup> Then will I go to the altar of God, to God, my joy and my delight. I will praise you with the harp, O God, my God.

Psalm 43:3-4

The fear of the LORD is the beginning of wisdom; all who follow his precepts have good understanding. To him belongs eternal praise.

Psalm 111:10

I will praise you with an upright heart as I learn your righteous laws.

Psalm 119:7

Praise be to you, O LORD; teach me your decrees.

Psalm 119:12

Accept, O LORD, the willing praise of my mouth, and teach me your laws.

Psalm 119:108

Seven times a day I praise you for your righteous laws.

Psalm 119:164

May my lips overflow with praise, for you teach me your decrees.

Psalm 119:171

Let me live that I may praise you, and may your laws sustain me.

Psalm 119:175

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## Scripture Prayer Guide

### Using the Word of God

# To Praise God through The Psalms 3

...Using the *New International Version* of the Bible...

## *Praise God Verbally!*

<sup>1</sup> I will extol the Lord at all times; his praise will always be on my lips. <sup>2</sup> My soul will boast in the Lord; let the afflicted hear and rejoice. <sup>3</sup> Glorify the Lord with me; let us exalt his name together.

Psalm 34:1-3

My tongue will speak of your righteousness and of your praises all day long.

Psalm 35:28

O Lord, open my lips, and my mouth will declare your praise.

Psalm 51:15

<sup>17</sup> I cried out to him with my mouth; his praise was on my tongue. <sup>18</sup> If I had cherished sin in my heart, the Lord would not have listened; <sup>19</sup> but God has surely listened and heard my voice in prayer. <sup>20</sup> Praise be to God, who has not rejected my prayer or withheld his love from me!

Psalm 66:17-20

My mouth is filled with your praise, declaring your splendor all day long.

Psalm 71:8

## *Praise God for His Greatness!*

Great is the LORD, and most worthy of praise, in the city of our God, his holy mountain.

Psalm 48:1

## *Praise God for His Power and Strength!*

Be exalted, O LORD, in your strength; we will sing and praise

*your might.*

Psalm 21:13

*O my Strength, I sing praise to you; you, O God, are my fortress, my loving God.*

Psalm 59:17

<sup>1</sup> *Shout with joy to God, all the earth!* <sup>2</sup> *Sing the glory of his name; make his praise glorious!* <sup>3</sup> *Say to God, "How awesome are your deeds! So great is your power that your enemies cringe before you.* <sup>4</sup> *All the earth bows down to you; they sing praise to you, they sing praise to your name."* Psalm 66:1-4

<sup>32</sup> *Sing to God, O kingdoms of the earth, sing praise to the LORD, Selah* <sup>33</sup> *to him who rides the ancient skies above, who thunders with mighty voice.* <sup>34</sup> *Proclaim the power of God, whose majesty is over Israel, whose power is in the skies.*

<sup>35</sup> *You are awesome, O God, in your sanctuary; the God of Israel gives power and strength to his people. Praise be to God!* Psalm 68:32-35

### ***Praise God for His Wonderful Deeds!***

<sup>6</sup> *I wash my hands in innocence, and go about your altar, O LORD,* <sup>7</sup> *proclaiming aloud your praise and telling of all your wonderful deeds.* Psalm 26:6-7

*I will praise you forever for what you have done; in your name I will hope, for your name is good. I will praise you in the presence of your saints.* Psalm 52:9

<sup>18</sup> *Praise be to the LORD God, the God of Israel, who alone does marvelous deeds.* <sup>19</sup> *Praise be to his glorious name forever; may the whole earth be filled with his glory. Amen and Amen.* Psalm 72:18-19

<sup>1</sup> *Praise the LORD, O my soul; all my inmost being, praise his holy name.* <sup>2</sup> *Praise the LORD, O my soul, and forget not all his benefits—* <sup>3</sup> *who forgives all your sins and heals all your diseases,* <sup>4</sup> *who redeems your life from the pit and crowns you with love and compassion,* <sup>5</sup> *who satisfies your desires with good things so that your youth is renewed like the eagle's.* Psalm 103:1-5

*I praise you because I am fearfully and wonderfully made; your works are wonderful, I know that full well.* Psalm 139:14

### ***Praise God for His Holiness!***

*Yet you are enthroned as the Holy One; you are the praise of Israel.* Psalm 22:3

<sup>4</sup> *Sing to the LORD, you saints of his; praise his holy name.*

<sup>5</sup> *For his anger lasts only a moment, but his favor lasts a lifetime; weeping may remain for a night, but rejoicing comes in the morning.* Psalm 30:4-5

*Rejoice in the LORD, you who are righteous, and praise his holy name.* Psalm 97:12

### ***Praise God for His Sovereignty!***

<sup>5</sup> *God has ascended amid shouts of joy, the LORD amid the sounding of trumpets.* <sup>6</sup> *Sing praises to God, sing praises; sing praises to our King, sing praises.* <sup>7</sup> *For God is the King of all the earth; sing to him a psalm of praise.* Psalm 47:5-7

### ***Praise God for His Mercy and Love!***

<sup>21</sup> *Praise be to the LORD, for he showed his wonderful love to me when I was in a besieged city.* <sup>22</sup> *In my alarm I said, "I am cut off from your sight!" Yet you heard my cry for mercy when I called to you for help.* Psalm 31:21-22

### ***Praise God Who Gives Hope!***

*Why are you downcast, O my soul? Why so disturbed within me? Put your hope in God, for I will yet praise him, my Savior and my God.* Psalm 42:11

*But as for me, I will always have hope; I will praise you more and more.* Psalm 71:14

### ***Praise God for His Guidance and Instruction!***

*I will praise the LORD, who counsels me; even at night my heart instructs me.* Psalm 16:7