Psalm 97

King James Version (KJV)

- **97** The LORD reigneth; let the earth rejoice; let the multitude of <u>isles</u> be glad thereof. (isles- the farthest places on Earth)
- ²Clouds and darkness are round about him: righteousness and judgment are the habitation of his throne.
- ³ A fire goeth before him, and burneth up his enemies round about. 2Peter-3:10
- ⁴His lightnings enlightened the world: the earth saw, and trembled.
- ⁵The hills melted like wax at the presence of the <u>LORD</u>, at the presence of the <u>LORD</u> of the whole earth. (<u>LORD-YAHOVEH</u>, <u>Lord-God as ruler of the Earth</u>)
- The heavens declare his righteousness, and all the people see his glory. (On the Lord's Day, every knee will bow...)
- ⁷Confounded be all they that serve graven images, that boast themselves of idols: worship him, all ye <u>gods</u>. (gods- El-o-Heem-> can also translate to kings, judges and rulers of the earth)
- ⁸ Zion heard, and was glad; and the daughters of Judah rejoiced because of thy judgments, O LORD.
- For thou, LORD, art high above all the earth: thou art exalted far above all gods. (gods- El-o-Heem-> can also translate to kings, judges and rulers of the earth)
- ¹⁰ Ye that love the LORD, hate evil: he preserveth the souls of his saints; he delivereth them out of the hand of the wicked.
- ¹¹ Light is sown for the <u>righteous</u>, and gladness for the upright in heart. (righteous- Zadeek, a form of Zadok, the Elect)
- ¹² Rejoice in the LORD, ye righteous; and give thanks at the remembrance of his holiness.

Ps-93, 97, 99 all begin with the same "The LORD reigneth", and end with holiness.