

BOOK V

Psalm 107

King James Version (KJV)

107 O give thanks unto the LORD, for he is good: for his mercy endureth for ever.

²Let the redeemed of the LORD say so, whom he hath redeemed from the hand of the enemy; (Let them say thanks to God) (Redeemed by Jesus Christ, from the enemy – Satan)

³And gathered them out of the lands, from the east, and from the west, from the north, and from the south. (Prophecy for the last days – History for the Israelites who left Egypt)

⁴They wandered in the wilderness in a solitary way; they found no city to dwell in.

⁵Hungry and thirsty, their soul fainted in them. (Spiritually – see Amos-8:11)

⁶Then they cried unto the LORD in their trouble, and he delivered them out of their distresses. (Historically & prophetically)

⁷And he led them forth by the right way, that they might go to a city of habitation.

⁸Oh that men would praise the LORD for his goodness, and for his wonderful works to the children of men!

⁹For he satisfieth the longing soul, and filleth the hungry soul with goodness. Luke-1:53

¹⁰Such as sit in darkness and in the shadow of death, being bound in affliction and iron; Psalm-23:4

¹¹Because they rebelled against the words of God, and contemned the counsel of the most High: (Leave God, HE will leave you)

¹²Therefore he brought down their heart with labour; they fell down, and there was none to help. (Because they abandoned God)

¹³ Then they cried unto the LORD in their trouble, and he saved them out of their distresses.

¹⁴ He brought them out of darkness and the shadow of death, and brake their bands in sunder. (Truth is freedom) (John-8: The truth will set you free)

¹⁵ Oh that men would praise the LORD for his goodness, and for his wonderful works to the children of men!

¹⁶ For he hath broken the gates of brass, and cut the bars of iron in sunder. (God's Word frees those that follow Him)

¹⁷ Fools because of their transgression, and because of their iniquities, are afflicted. (Fools – also means perverts)

¹⁸ Their soul abhorreth all manner of meat; and they draw near unto the gates of death. Hebrews-5:11-14

¹⁹ Then they cry unto the LORD in their trouble, and he saveth them out of their distresses.

²⁰ He sent his word, and healed them, and delivered them from their destructions.

²¹ Oh that men would praise the LORD for his goodness, and for his wonderful works to the children of men!

²² And let them sacrifice the sacrifices of thanksgiving, and declare his works with rejoicing.

²³ They that go down to the sea in ships, that do business in great waters;

²⁴ These see the works of the LORD, and his wonders in the deep.

²⁵ For he commandeth, and raiseth the stormy wind, which lifteth up the waves thereof.

²⁶ They mount up to the heaven, they go down again to the depths: their soul is melted because of trouble.

²⁷ They reel to and fro, and stagger like a drunken man, and are at their wit's end. (are at their wit's end – all their wisdom is swallowed up)

²⁸ Then they cry unto the LORD in their trouble, and he bringeth them out of their distresses.

²⁹ He maketh the storm a calm, so that the waves thereof are still.
Mark-4:39->on

³⁰ Then are they glad because they be quiet; so he bringeth them unto their desired haven.

³¹ Oh that men would praise the LORD for his goodness, and for his wonderful works to the children of men!

³² Let them exalt him also in the congregation of the people, and praise him in the assembly of the elders.

³³ He turneth rivers into a wilderness, and the watersprings into dry ground;

³⁴ A fruitful land into barrenness, for the wickedness of them that dwell therein. (barrenness- saltedness.. useless for generations to grow anything)

³⁵ He turneth the wilderness into a standing water, and dry ground into watersprings. (For those who obey His commandments and love Him)

³⁶ And there he maketh the hungry to dwell, that they may prepare a city for habitation;

³⁷ And sow the fields, and plant vineyards, which may yield fruits of increase.

³⁸ He blesseth them also, so that they are multiplied greatly; and suffereth not their cattle to decrease.

³⁹ Again, they are minished and brought low through oppression, affliction, and sorrow. (They are oppressed by the wicked)

⁴⁰ He poureth contempt upon princes, and causeth them to wander in the wilderness, where there is no way. (God avenges the good, upon the wicked)

⁴¹ Yet setteth he the poor on high from affliction, and maketh him families like a flock. (poor- the humble before God)

⁴² The righteous shall see it, and rejoice: and all iniquity shall stop her mouth. Revelation-20:15

⁴³ Whoso is wise, and will observe these things, even they shall understand the lovingkindness of the LORD.