Psalm 65 A Psalm and song of David (A meditation to be sung) King James Version (KJV)

- **65** Praise waiteth for thee, O God, in Sion: and unto thee shall the vow be performed. (Sion-misspelled for old testament- Zion)
- ²O thou that hearest prayer, unto thee shall all flesh come.
- ³ Iniquities prevail against me: as for our transgressions, thou shalt purge them away. (with repentance)
- ⁴Blessed is the man <u>whom thou choosest</u>, and causest to approach unto thee, that he may dwell in thy courts: we shall be satisfied with the goodness of thy house, even of thy holy temple. (whom thou choosest- these are the Elect, who reside with Christ in the milenium)
- ⁵ By <u>terrible</u> things in righteousness wilt thou answer us, O God of our salvation; who art the confidence of all the ends of the earth, and of them that are afar off upon the sea: (terrible= awesome)
- ⁶ Which by his strength setteth fast the mountains; being girded with power: (Mountains are metaphors for nations)
- ⁷ Which stilleth the noise of the seas, the noise of their waves, and the tumult of the people. (In Revelation, the seas are the peoples)
- ⁸They also that dwell in the uttermost parts are afraid at thy <u>tokens</u>: thou makest the outgoings of the morning and evening to rejoice. (tokens= signs and miracles)
- Thou visitest the earth, and waterest it: thou greatly enrichest it with the river of God, which is full of water: thou preparest them corn, when thou hast so provided for it. Deuteronomy-11 (If we follow God's laws, He provides the first and latter rains to prosper us)
- ¹⁰ Thou waterest the ridges thereof abundantly: thou settlest the furrows thereof: thou makest it soft with showers: thou blessest the springing thereof.
- ¹¹Thou crownest the year with thy goodness; and thy paths drop fatness.
- ¹²They drop upon the pastures of the wilderness: and the little hills rejoice on every side.

¹³ The pastures are clothed with flocks; the valleys also are covered over with corn; they shout for joy, they also sing. (Harvest is a time for celebration and thanking God for His bounty)

To the chief musician

A redemption of Zion.