His Steadfast Love Endures Forever [Messianic] (c. 995 BC)

Psalm 118

1 Give thanks to the LORD, for He is good;

For His lovingkindness is everlasting.

2 Oh let Israel say,

"His lovingkindness is everlasting."

3 Oh let the house of Aaron say,

"His lovingkindness is everlasting."

4 Oh let those who fear the LORD say,

"His lovingkindness is everlasting."

5 From my distress I called upon the LORD;

The LORD answered me and set me in a large place.

6 The LORD is for me; I will not fear;

What can man do to me? [Heb 13:6]

7 The LORD is for me among those who help me;

Therefore I will look with satisfaction on those who hate me.

8 It is better to take refuge in the LORD

Than to trust in man.

9 It is better to take refuge in the LORD

Than to trust in princes.

10 All nations surrounded me;

In the name of the LORD I will surely cut them off.

11 They surrounded me, yes, they surrounded me;

In the name of the LORD I will surely cut them off.

12 They surrounded me like bees;

They were extinguished as a fire of thorns;

In the name of the LORD I will surely cut them off.

13 You pushed me violently so that I was falling,

But the LORD helped me.

14 The LORD is my strength and song,

And He has become my salvation.

15 The sound of joyful shouting 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 tell of the works of the LORD.

18 The LORD has disciplined me severely,

But He has not given me over to death.

19 Open to me the gates of righteousness;

I shall enter through them, I shall give thanks to the LORD.

20 This is the gate of the LORD;

The righteous will enter through it.

21 I shall give thanks to You, for You have answered me,

And You have become my salvation.

22 The stone which the builders rejected

Has become the chief corner stone.

23 This is the LORD's doing;

It is marvelous in our eyes. [Matt 21:42; Mark 12:10, 11; Luke 20:17; Acts 4:11; 1 Pet 2:4, 7]

24 This is the day which the LORD has made;

Let us rejoice and be glad in it.

25 O LORD, do save, we beseech You;

O LORD, we beseech You, do send prosperity!

26 Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the LORD;

We have blessed you from the house of the LORD. [Matt 21:9; 23:39; Luke 13:35; 19:38; John 12:13]

27 The LORD is God, and He has given us light;

Bind the festival sacrifice with cords to the horns of the altar.

28 You are my God, and I give thanks to You;

You are my God, I extol You.

29 Give thanks to the LORD, for He is good;

For His lovingkindness is everlasting.

Sit at My Right Hand [Messianic] (c. 995 BC)

Psalm 110

A Psalm of David.

1 The LORD says to my Lord:

"Sit at My right hand

Until I make Your enemies a footstool for Your feet." [Matt 22:41–46; Heb 1:13]

2 The LORD will stretch forth Your strong scepter from Zion, saying,

"Rule in the midst of Your enemies."

3 Your people will volunteer freely in the day of Your power;

In holy array, from the womb of the dawn,

Your youth are to You as the dew.

4 The LORD has sworn and will not change His mind,

"You are a priest forever

According to the order of Melchizedek." [Heb 5:6; 6:20; 7:17, 21]

5 The Lord is at Your right hand;

He will shatter kings in the day of His wrath.

6 He will judge among the nations,

He will fill them with corpses,

He will shatter the chief men over a broad country.

7 He will drink from the brook by the wayside;

Therefore He will lift up His head.

The Reign of the LORD's Anointed [Messianic] (c. 995 BC)

Psalm 2

[Attributed to David in Acts 4:25 and identified as the "second psalm" in Acts 13:33]

1 Why are the nations in an uproar

And the peoples devising a vain thing?

2 The kings of the earth take their stand

And the rulers take counsel together

Against the LORD and against His Anointed, saying, [Acts 4:25–26]

3 "Let us tear their fetters apart

And cast away their cords from us!"

4 He who sits in the heavens laughs,

The Lord scoffs at them.

5 Then He will speak to them in His anger

And terrify them in His fury, saying,

6 "But as for Me, I have installed My King

Upon Zion, My holy mountain."

7 "I will surely tell of the decree of the LORD:

He said to Me, 'You are My Son,

Today I have begotten You. [Acts 13:33; Heb 1:5; 5:5]

8 'Ask of Me, and I will surely give the nations as Your inheritance,

And the very ends of the earth as Your possession.

9 'You shall break them with a rod of iron, [Rev 2:26–28]

You shall shatter them like earthenware."

10 Now therefore, O kings, show discernment;

Take warning, O judges of the earth.

11 Worship the LORD with reverence

And rejoice with trembling.

12 Do homage to the Son, that He not become angry, and you perish in the way,

For His wrath may soon be kindled.

How blessed are all who take refuge in Him!

The LORD Reigns (c. 995 BC)

Psalm 93

1 The LORD reigns, He is clothed with majesty;

The LORD has clothed and girded Himself with strength;

Indeed, the world is firmly established, it will not be moved.

2 Your throne is established from of old;

You are from everlasting.

3 The floods have lifted up, O LORD,

The floods have lifted up their voice,

The floods lift up their pounding waves.

4 More than the sounds of many waters,

Than the mighty breakers of the sea,

The LORD on high is mighty.

5 Your testimonies are fully confirmed;

Holiness befits Your house,

O LORD, forevermore.

Your Throne, O God, Is Forever [Messianic] (c. 995 BC)

Psalm 45

For the choir director; according to the Shoshannim.

A Maskil of the sons of Korah. A Song of Love.

1 My heart overflows with a good theme;

I address my verses to the King;

My tongue is the pen of a ready writer.

2 You are fairer than the sons of men;

Grace is poured upon Your lips;

Therefore God has blessed You forever.

- 3 Gird Your sword on *Your* thigh, O Mighty One, *In* Your splendor and Your majesty!
- 4 And in Your majesty ride on victoriously, For the cause of truth and meekness *and* righteousness; Let Your right hand teach You awesome things.
- 5 Your arrows are sharp;

The peoples fall under You;

Your arrows are in the heart of the King's enemies.

- 6 Your throne, O God, is forever and ever; A scepter of uprightness is the scepter of Your kingdom.
- 7 You have loved righteousness and hated wickedness; Therefore God, Your God, has anointed You With the oil of joy above Your fellows. [Heb 1:8–9]
- 8 All Your garments are *fragrant with* myrrh and aloes *and* cassia; Out of ivory palaces stringed instruments have made You glad.
- 9 Kings' daughters are among Your noble ladies; At Your right hand stands the queen in gold from Ophir.
- 10 Listen, O daughter, give attention and incline your ear: Forget your people and your father's house;
- 11 Then the King will desire your beauty.

 Because He is your Lord, bow down to Him.
- 12 The daughter of Tyre *will come* with a gift; The rich among the people will seek your favor.
- 13 The King's daughter is all glorious within; Her clothing is interwoven with gold.
- 14 She will be led to the King in embroidered work; The virgins, her companions who follow her, Will be brought to You.
- 15 They will be led forth with gladness and rejoicing; They will enter into the King's palace.
- 16 In place of your fathers will be your sons; You shall make them princes in all the earth.
- 17 I will cause Your name to be remembered in all generations; Therefore the peoples will give You thanks forever and ever.

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