

Psalm 108

My heart is steadfast, O God!

I will sing and make melody with all my being!

²Awake, O harp and lyre!

I will awake the dawn!

³I will give thanks to you, O LORD, among the peoples;

I will sing praises to you among the nations.

⁴For your steadfast love is great above the heavens;

your faithfulness reaches to the clouds.

⁵Be exalted, O God, above the heavens!

Let your glory be over all the earth!

⁶That your beloved ones may be delivered,

give salvation by your right hand and answer me!

⁷God has promised in his holiness:

“With exultation I will divide up Shechem

and portion out the Valley of Succoth.

⁸Gilead is mine; Manasseh is mine;

Ephraim is my helmet,

Judah my sceptre.

⁹Moab is my washbasin;

upon Edom I cast my shoe;

over Philistia I shout in triumph.”

¹⁰Who will bring me to the fortified city?

Who will lead me to Edom?

¹¹Have you not rejected us, O God?

You do not go out, O God, with our armies.

¹²Oh grant us help against the foe,

for vain is the salvation of man!

¹⁵With God we shall do valiantly;

it is he who will tread down our foes.

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The Trials of Life

‘Joy in the trials’

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A threefold appeal:

1. ...to God's Character (v3-6)

2. ...to God's Promises (v7-9)

3. ...to God's Supremacy (v10-13)

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After the talk today, there will be a short Q&A session, time permitting

Next Week:

Series: Hot potato

Talk: Is the God of the Bible a moral monster?

Speaker: Andrew Latimer