<sup>1</sup>So they brought the ark of God, and set it in the midst of the tent that David had pitched for it: and they offered burnt sacrifices and peace offerings before God.<sup>2</sup>And when David had made an end of offering the burnt offerings and the peace offerings, he blessed the people in the name of the LORD. And he dealt to every one of Israel, both man and woman, to every one a loaf of bread, and a good piece of flesh, and a flagon of wine .4And he appointed certain of the Levites to minister before the ark of the LORD, and to record, and to thank and praise the LORD God of Israel: 5 Asaph the chief, and next to him Zechariah, Jeiel, and Shemiramoth, and Jehiel, and Mattithiah, and Eliab, and Benaiah, and Obededom: and Jeiel with psalteries and with harps; but Asaph made a sound with cymbals; Benaiah also and Jahaziel the priests with trumpets continually before the ark of the covenant of God. Then on that day David delivered first this psalm to thank the LORD into the hand of Asaph and his brethren.8Give thanks unto the LORD, call upon his name, make known his deeds among the people. Sing unto him, sing psalms unto him, talk ye of all his wondrous works. 10 Glory ye in his holy name: let the heart of them rejoice that seek the LORD. 11 Seek the LORD and his strength, seek his face continually. 12 Remember his marvellous works that he hath done, his wonders, and the judgments of his mouth; 13 O ye seed of Israel his servant, ye children of Jacob, his chosen ones. 14 He is the LORD our God; his judgments are in all the earth. 15 Be ve

ُ وَأَدْخَلُوا تَابُوتَ اللَّهِ وَأَثْبَتُوهُ فِي وَسَطِ الْخَيْمَةِ اِلَتِي نَصَبَهَا لَهُ دَاوُدُ، وَقَرَّبُوا مُحْرَقَاتِ وَذَبَائِحَ سَلاَمَةِ أَمَامَ اللّهِ.²وَلَمَّا انْتَهَى دَاوُدُ مِـنْ إصْعَادِ الْمُحْرَقَاتِ وَذَبَائِح السَّلاَمَة بَارَكَ الشَّعْبَ بِاسْمِ الرَّبِّ. وَقَسَمَ عَلَى كُلِّ آلَ إِسْرَائِيلَ مِنَ الرِّجَالِ وَالنِّسَاءِ، عَلَى كُلِّ إِنْسَان، رَغِيفَ خُبْزِ وَكَأْسَ خَمْرِ وَقُرْصَ زَبِيبٍ. ۖ وَجَعَلَ أَمَامَ تَابُوتِ الرَّبِّ منَ اللَّاوِيِّينَ خُدَّاماً وَلأَجْلِ اليَّذْكيرِ وَالشُّكْرِ وَتَسْبِيحِ الرَّبِّ إِلَهِ إِسْـرَائِيلَ، ۚ آسَـافَ الـرَّأْسَ وَزَكَريَّا ثَـانِيَهُ وَيَعِيئِــلَ وَشَمِيرَ امُوثَ وَيَحِيئِيلَ وَمَتَّثْيَا وَأَلِيآبَ وَبَنَايَا وَعُوبِيدَ أَدُومَ وَيَعِيئِيلَ بِـٱلاَتِ رَبَـابِ وَعِيـدَانِ. وَكَـانَ آسَـافُ يُصَـ بِالصُّنُوجِ. ۚ وَيَنَايَا وَيَحْزِيئِيلُ الْكَاهِنَانِ بِالأَبْوَاقِ دَائِماً أَمَامَ تَابُوت عَهْدِ اللَّهِ. ۖ حِسَنَد في ذَلكَ الْيَوْمِ أُوَّلاَّ حَعَلَ دَاوُدُ يَحْمَدُ الرَّتَّ بِيَدِ آسَافَ وَإِخْوَتِهِ، ْاحْمَدُوا الرَّتَّ. ادْعُوا بِاسْمِهِ، أُخْبِرُوا فِي الشَّعُوبِ بِأَعْمَالِهِ. ْغَنُّوا لَهُ. تَرَنَّمُوا لَهُ. تَحَادَثُوا بِكُلِّ عَجَائِيهِ، 10 افْتَخِرُوا بِاسْمِ قُدْسِهِ. تَفْرَحُ قُلُوبُ الَّذِينَ يَلْتَمِسُونَ الرَّبَّ.¹¹اطْلُبُوا َ الرَّبَّ وَع الْتَمسُوا وَجْهَهُ دَائِماً. 12 اذْكُرُوا عَجَائِبَهُ الَّتِي صَنَعَ. آيَاتِه وَأَحْكَامَ فَمِهِ.<sup>13</sup>يَا ذُرِّيَّةَ إِسْرَائِيلَ عَبْدِهِ وَبَنِي يَعْقُر أَحْكَامُهُ. 15 الْأَكُرُوا إِلَى الأَبَدِ عَهْدَهُ، الْكَلِمَةَ الَّتِي أَوْصَى بِهَا إِلَى أَلْف جِيل.16الَّذِي قَطَعَهُ مَـعَ إِبْرَاهِيـمَ. وَقَسَـ لإِسْحَاقَ.<sup>17</sup>َوَقَدْ أَقَامَهُ لِيَعْقُوبَ فَرِيضَةً وَلإِسْرَائِيلَ عَهْداً لكَ أَعْطِـي أَرْضَ كَنْعَــانَ حَدْ كُنْتُمْ عَدَداً قَلِيلاً، قَلِيلِينَ حِدّاً وَغُرِيَاءَ ُوَذَهَبُوا مِنْ أُمَّةِ إِلَى أُمَّةٍ وَمِنْ مَمْلَكَةٍ إِلَى شَعْبِ . أَكُمْ يَدَعْ أَحَداً يَظْلُمُهُمْ يَلْ وَتَّخَ مِنْ أَجْلِهِمْ اً.<sup>22</sup>لاَ تَمَسُّـوا مُسَـحَائِي وَلاَ تُـؤْذُوا أَنْبيَـائِي.<sup>23</sup>غَأ لِلـرَّبِّ يَـا كُـلِّ الأرْضِ بَشِّـرُوا مِـنْ يَـوْم إلَـي ُحَدِّثُوا فِي اَلأَمَم بِمَجْدِهِ وَفِي كُلِّ الشَّعُوبِ لأنَّ الرَّبَّ عَظِيمٌ وَمُفْتَخَرٌ حِدّاً. وَهُوَ مَرْهُوبٌ فَوْقَ حَمِيعِ الْآلِهَةِ.<sup>26</sup>لأَنَّ كُلِّ آلِهَةِ الأُمَمِ أَصْنَامٌ، وَأَمَّا تُّ فَقَـدٌ صَـنَعَ السَّـمَاوَاتِ.<sup>27</sup>الْجَلاَلُ وَالْبَهَـاءُ أَمَـامَهُ. ـرَّةُ وَالْبَهْجَـةُ فِـي مَكَـانِه.<sup>28</sup>هَبُـوا الـرَّبُّ يَـا عَشَـائِرَ الشَّعُوب هَبُوا الرَّبَّ مَجْداً وَعِزَّةً. 23 هَبُوا الرَّبَّ مَجْدَ اسْمِهِ. احْمِلُوا هَدَايَا وَتَعَالَوْا إِلَى أَمَامِهِ. اسْجُدُوا لِلرَّبِّ فِي زِينَةِ مُقَدَّسَةِ. 30 ارْتَعِدُوا أَمَامَهُ يَا جَمِيعَ الأَرْضِ. تَثَبَّتَتِ الْمَسْكُونَةُ أَيْضاً. لاَ تَتَزَعْزَعُ. [اللَّهْمَاوَاتُ وَتَبْتَهِج الأَرْضُ وَيَقُولُوا فِي الأَمَمِ الرَّبُّ قَدْ مَلَكَ.<sup>32</sup>لِيَعِجَّ الْبَخُرُ

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وَمِلْؤُهُ، وَلْتَبْتَهِجِ الْبَرِّيَّةُ وَكُلُّ مَا فِيهَا. 33 حِينَئِذٍ تَتَرَنَّمُ أَشْجَارُ الْوَعْرِ أَمَامَ الرَّابِّ لِأَنَّهُ جَاءَ لِيَدِينَ الأَرْضَ. أَهُامُ مَدُوا الرَّبَّ لأَنَّهُ صَالِحٌ لأَنَّ إِلَى الأَبَد رَحْمَتَهُ. 35 وَقُولُوا، خَلِّصْنَا يَا إِلَهَ خَلاَصِنَا، وَاجْمَعْنَا وَأَنْقِدْنَا مِنَ الأَمَمِ لِنَحْمَدَ اسْمَ قُدْسكَ، وَنَتَفَاخَرَ يَتَسْبِحَتِكَ. 36مُنَارَكُ الرَّاتُّ إِلَهُ إِسْرَائِيلَ مِنَ الأزَل وَإِلَى الأَبَدِ. فَقَالَ كُلُّ الشُّعْبِ، أَمِينَ وَسَبَّحُوا \* وَتَرَكَ هُنَاكَ أَمَامَ تَابُوتِ عَهْدِ الرَّبِّ آسَافَ وَإِخْوَتَهُ لِنَخْدِمُوا أَمَامَ التَّابُوتِ دَائِماً خِدْمَةَ كُلِّ ُ وَعُوبِيدَ أَدُومَ وَإِخْوَتَهُمْ ثَمَانِيَةً وَسِتِّينَ، وَعُوبِيدَ ِنَ يَدِشُونَ وَحُوسَـةَ يَوَّاسِنَ.³9وَصَادُوقَ الْكَاهِنَ وَاخْوَتَهُ الْكَهَنَةَ أَمَامَ مَسْكَنِ الرَّبِّ فِي الْمُرْتَفَعَةِ الَّتِي حِنْعُونَ 40لِيُصْعِدُوا مُحْرَقَاتِ لِلرَّبِّ عَلَى مَذْبَح الْمُحْرَقَة دَائماً صَبَاحاً وَمَسَاءً، وَحَسَبَ كُلِّ مَا هُـوَ ـوتُ فِـى شَرِيعَــة الــرَّبِّ سْرَ الِيلَ، 41 وَمَعَهُمْ هَيْمَانَ وَيَدُوثُونَ وَبَاقِيَ الْمُنْتَخَبِينَ مْ هَيْمَـانُ وَيَـدُوثُونُ بِأَبْـوَاقِ وَصُـ لِلْمُصَوِّتِينَ وَٱلاَتِ غِنَاءٍ لِلَّهِ، وَبَنُو يَدُوثُونَ بَوَّابُونَ. انْطَلَقَ كُلَّ الشَّعْبِ كُلَّ وَاحِدٍ إِلَى بَيْتِهِ، وَرَجَعَ دَاوُدُ

mindful always of his covenant; the word which he commanded to a thousand generations: 16 Even of the covenant which he made with Abraham, and of his oath unto Isaac; <sup>17</sup> And hath confirmed the same to Jacob for a law, and to Israel for an everlasting covenant, <sup>18</sup> Saying, Unto thee will I give the land of Canaan, the lot of your inheritance; <sup>19</sup>When ye were but few, even a few, and strangers in it.<sup>20</sup>And when they went from nation to nation, and from one kingdom to another people;<sup>21</sup>He suffered no man to do them wrong: yea, he reproved kings for their sakes, <sup>22</sup>Saying, Touch not mine anointed, and do my prophets no harm.<sup>23</sup>Sing unto the LORD, all the earth; shew forth from day to day his salvation.<sup>24</sup>Declare his glory among the heathen; his marvellous works among all nations.<sup>25</sup>For great is the LORD, and greatly to be praised: he also is to be feared above all gods. <sup>26</sup> For all the gods of the people are idols: but the LORD made the heavens.<sup>27</sup>Glory and honour are in his presence; strength and gladness are in his place.<sup>28</sup>Give unto the LORD, ye kindreds of the people, give unto the LORD glory and strength.<sup>29</sup>Give unto the LORD the glory due unto his name: bring an offering, and come before him: worship the LORD in the beauty of holiness. 30 Fear before him, all the earth: the world also shall be stable, that it be not moved. 31 Let the heavens be glad, and let the earth rejoice: and let men say among the nations, The LORD reigneth. 32 Let the sea roar, and the fulness thereof: let the fields rejoice, and all that is therein. 33 Then shall the trees of the

wood sing out at the presence of the LORD, because he cometh to judge the earth.<sup>34</sup>O give thanks unto the LORD: for he is good; for his mercy endureth for ever. 35 And say ye, Save us, O God of our salvation, and gather us together, and deliver us from the heathen, that we may give thanks to thy holy name, and glory in thy praise. 36 Blessed be the LORD God of Israel for ever and ever. And all the people said, Amen, and praised the LORD.<sup>37</sup>So he left there before the ark of the covenant of the LORD Asaph and his brethren, to minister before the ark continually, as every day's work required: 38 And Obededom with their brethren, threescore and eight; Obededom also the son of Jeduthun and Hosah to be porters: 39 And Zadok the priest, and his brethren the priests, before the tabernacle of the LORD in the high place that was at Gibeon. 40 To offer burnt offerings unto the LORD upon the altar of the burnt offering continually morning and evening, and to do according to all that is written in the law of the LORD, which he commanded Israel: 41 And with them Heman and Jeduthun, and the rest that were chosen, who were expressed by name, to give thanks to the LORD, because his mercy endureth for ever; <sup>42</sup> And with them Heman and Jeduthun with trumpets and cymbals for those that should make a sound, and with musical instruments of God. And the sons of Ieduthun were porters. 43 And all the people departed every man to his house: and David returned to bless his house.