

## Psalms 68

<sup>1</sup>To the chief Musician, A Psalm or Song of David. Let God arise, let his enemies be scattered: let them also that hate him flee before him.<sup>2</sup>As smoke is driven away, so drive them away: as wax melteth before the fire, so let the wicked perish at the presence of God.<sup>3</sup>But let the righteous be glad; let them rejoice before God: yea, let them exceedingly rejoice.<sup>4</sup>Sing unto God, sing praises to his name: extol him that rideth upon the heavens by his name JAH, and rejoice before him.<sup>5</sup>A father of the fatherless, and a judge of the widows, is God in his holy habitation.<sup>6</sup>God setteth the solitary in families: he bringeth out those which are bound with chains: but the rebellious dwell in a dry land .<sup>7</sup>O God, when thou wentest forth before thy people, when thou didst march through the wilderness; Selah:<sup>8</sup>The earth shook, the heavens also dropped at the presence of God: even Sinai itself was moved at the presence of God, the God of Israel.<sup>9</sup>Thou, O God, didst send a plentiful rain, whereby thou didst confirm thine inheritance, when it was weary.<sup>10</sup>Thy congregation hath dwelt therein: thou, O God, hast prepared of thy goodness for the poor.<sup>11</sup>The Lord gave the word: great was the company of those that published it .<sup>12</sup>Kings of armies did flee apace: and she that tarried at home divided the spoil.<sup>13</sup>Though ye have lien among the pots, yet shall ye be as the wings of a dove covered with silver, and her feathers with yellow gold.<sup>14</sup>When the Almighty scattered kings in it, it was white as snow in Salmon.<sup>15</sup>The hill of God is as the hill of Bashan; an high hill as the hill of Bashan.<sup>16</sup>Why leap ye, ye high hills? this is

the hill which God desireth to dwell in; yea, the LORD will dwell in it for ever.<sup>17</sup> The chariots of God are twenty thousand, even thousands of angels: the Lord is among them, as in Sinai, in the holy place .<sup>18</sup> Thou hast ascended on high, thou hast led captivity captive: thou hast received gifts for men; yea, for the rebellious also, that the LORD God might dwell among them .<sup>19</sup> Blessed be the Lord, who daily loadeth us with benefits, even the God of our salvation. Selah.<sup>20</sup> He that is our God is the God of salvation; and unto GOD the Lord belong the issues from death.<sup>21</sup> But God shall wound the head of his enemies, and the hairy scalp of such an one as goeth on still in his trespasses.<sup>22</sup> The Lord said, I will bring again from Bashan, I will bring my people again from the depths of the sea:<sup>23</sup> That thy foot may be dipped in the blood of thine enemies, and the tongue of thy dogs in the same.<sup>24</sup> They have seen thy goings, O God; even the goings of my God, my King, in the sanctuary.<sup>25</sup> The singers went before, the players on instruments followed after; among them were the damsels playing with timbrels.<sup>26</sup> Bless ye God in the congregations, even the Lord, from the fountain of Israel.<sup>27</sup> There is little Benjamin with their ruler, the princes of Judah and their council, the princes of Zebulun, and the princes of Naphtali.<sup>28</sup> Thy God hath commanded thy strength: strengthen, O God, that which thou hast wrought for us.<sup>29</sup> Because of thy temple at Jerusalem shall kings bring presents unto thee.<sup>30</sup> Rebuke the company of spearmen, the multitude of the bulls, with the calves

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of the people, till every one submit himself with pieces of silver: scatter thou the people that delight in war.<sup>31</sup> Princes shall come out of Egypt; Ethiopia shall soon stretch out her hands unto God.<sup>32</sup> Sing unto God, ye kingdoms of the earth; O sing praises unto the Lord; Selah.<sup>33</sup> To him that rideth upon the heavens of heavens, which were of old; lo, he doth send out his voice, and that a mighty voice.<sup>34</sup> Ascribe ye strength unto God: his excellency is over Israel, and his strength is in the clouds.<sup>35</sup> O God, thou art terrible out of thy holy places: the God of Israel is he that giveth strength and power unto his people. Blessed be God.