




WELCOME



There are a thousand needs in the world, and none of them compares to the global need for the gospel.

Psalm 57:1-11...

“Be gracious to me, O God, be gracious to me,
For my soul takes refuge in You;
And in the shadow of Your wings I will take
refuge Until destruction passes by.

I will cry to God Most High, To God who
accomplishes all things for me.

He will send from heaven and save me; He reproaches him who tramples upon me. God will send forth His lovingkindness and His truth.

My soul is among lions; I must lie among those who breathe forth fire, Even the sons of men, whose teeth are spears and arrows And their tongue a sharp sword.

Be exalted above the heavens, O God; Let
Your glory be above all the earth.

They have prepared a net for my steps; My
soul is bowed down; They dug a pit before me;
They themselves have fallen into the midst of it.

My heart is steadfast, O God, my heart is steadfast; I will sing, yes, I will sing praises!

Awake, my glory! Awake, harp and lyre!
I will awaken the dawn.

I will give thanks to You, O Lord, among the peoples; I will sing praises to You among the nations.

For Your lovingkindness is great to the heavens And Your truth to the clouds.

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Verse 9... “I will give thanks to You, O Lord.”

Verse 11... “Be exalted above the heavens,
O God.”

There are 7 times David uses the designation, Elohim, for God and that identifier references God, the Father, God, the Word, and God, the Spirit.

In verse 2, the second time David uses the name God, the psalmist uses the Hebrew “EL” in addressing the Father.

In verse 9, David uses the designation, Lord, to refer to God.

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Exodus 3:14... “God said to Moses, I AM WHO I AM; and He said, Thus you shall say to the sons of Israel, I AM has sent me to you.”

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Jehovah

Verse 9... “I will give thanks to You, O Lord,
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This is a psalm of praise to God and David is expressing his heart to God.

PR
AISE



WORSHIP

John 4:23-24...

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But I am afraid sometimes we have become so focused on worshiping in truth, and we cannot underestimate truth, but I am afraid we can become so enamored with truth that we forget the One we are worshiping.

1 Peter 2:5... “you also, as living stones, are being built up as a spiritual house for a holy priesthood, to offer up spiritual sacrifices acceptable to God through Jesus Christ.”

Revelation 22:9...

“Do not do that. I am a fellow servant of yours and of your brethren the prophets and of those who heed the words of this book. Worship God.”



Laus Deo

Praise be to God.