

Text: **Isaiah 12**

Title: **“Great is the Holy One”**

A SONG OF PRAISE TO THE GREAT AND HOLY ONE OF ISRAEL

1. Context of this song of praise

- a) In view of the prophecy concerning the work of the Messiah (Isaiah 11:1-5)
- b) In appreciation of God sending a truly Spirit-filled Messiah (Isaiah 11:2)
- c) In wonder of the Millennial kingdom that will be set up (Isaiah 11:6-12)

2. A personal song of praise

“O LORD, I will praise You” Isaiah 12:1

- a) Deeply personal
- b) Deeply moved
- c) Deep joy
- d) Deep understanding

3. Powerful reasons to give praise to the LORD

- a) The turning away of the anger of the Lord (Isaiah 12:1)
- b) Comfort from the Lord (Isaiah 12:1)
- c) Salvation from God (Isaiah 12:2)
- d) Strength from the Lord (Isaiah 12:2)
- e) A song in the heart (Isaiah 12:2)

4. Plea to all worshippers to praise the Lord

- a) Call to offer praise (Isaiah 12:4)
- b) Call upon His name in prayer (Isaiah 12:4)
- c) Declaring His deeds among other peoples (Isaiah 12:4)
- d) Make mention of His exalted name (Isaiah 12:4)
- e) To sing to the Lord doing excellent things (Isaiah 12:5)
- f) To cry aloud the greatness of the Holy One (Isaiah 12:6)