

¹Oh, sing to the LORD a new song!
Sing to the LORD, all the earth.

²Sing to the LORD, bless His name;
Proclaim the good news of His salvation from day to day.

³Declare His glory among the nations,
His wonders among all peoples.

⁴For the LORD *is* great and greatly to be praised;
He *is* to be feared above all gods.

⁵For all the gods of the peoples *are* idols,
But the LORD made the heavens.

⁶Honor and majesty *are* before Him;
Strength and beauty *are* in His sanctuary.

⁷Give to the LORD, O families of the peoples,
Give to the LORD glory and strength.

⁸Give to the LORD the glory *due* His name;
Bring an offering, and come into His courts.

⁹Oh, worship the LORD in the beauty of holiness!
Tremble before Him, all the earth.

¹⁰Say among the nations, "The LORD reigns;
The world also is firmly established,
It shall not be moved;
He shall judge the peoples righteously."

¹¹Let the heavens rejoice, and let the earth be glad;
Let the sea roar, and all its fullness;

¹²Let the field be joyful, and all that *is* in it.
Then all the trees of the woods will rejoice

¹³ before the LORD.
For He is coming, for He is coming to judge the earth.

He shall judge the world with righteousness,
And the peoples with His truth.

Psalm 96:1-13

SINGING A NEW SONG

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Psalm 96:1-3

1. Singing

- a) To the LORD
- b) To bless (praise) His name

2. Proclaiming

- a) The good news of His salvation
- b) From day to day

3. Declaring God

- a) His glory
- b) His wonders
- c) Among the nations

REASONS FOR A NEW SONG

⁴*For the LORD is great and greatly to be praised;
He is to be feared above all gods.*

⁵*For all the gods of the peoples are idols,
But the LORD made the heavens.*

⁶ *Honor and majesty are before Him;
Strength and beauty are in His sanctuary.*

Psalm 96:4-6

1. The LORD is great
2. The fear of the LORD
3. The LORD as Creator
4. In the presence of God
 - a) Honour and majesty
 - b) Strength and beauty are in His sanctuary

ASCRIBING GLORY TO GOD

⁷ *Give to the LORD, O families of the peoples,
Give to the LORD glory and strength.*

⁸ *Give to the LORD the glory due His name;
Bring an offering, and come into His courts.*

*Psalm 96:7-8
(Cf. Psalm 29)*

1. Ascribing
 - a) Glory
 - b) Strength
2. Bringing an offering
 - a) It is right
 - b) It reflects our regard for the Lord

WORSHIPPING THE LORD

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Psalm 96:9-10

1. Worship of the LORD

- a) In the beauty of holiness
- b) Trembling before Him

2. Declaring our faith

- a) The LORD reigns
- b) He has established the world
- c) He will judge righteously

REJOICING IN THE LORD

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For He is coming, for He is coming to judge the earth.
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And the peoples with His truth.*

Psalm 96:11-13

1. The heavens are to rejoice
2. The earth is to be glad

3. All creation

- a) The seas
- b) The fields
- c) The forests

4. The Coming of the LORD

- a) His coming is a certainty
- b) He will come as Judge
 - i) He will judge righteously
 - ii) He will judge with truth