

Psalms 107

Outline: A song of thanksgiving.

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- First, for deliverance from captivity. (1-3)
- Then for other deliverances. (4-32)
- God in His goodness delivers His people.
- Chastisement and loving-kindness. (33-42)
- Wise consider the blessings and responsibilities of His loving-kindness. (43)

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God's Loving-kindness

- God is good. 107:1 (106:1; 118:1; 136:1) - His nature.
- Great for those who fear Him. Psalms 31:19
- Goodness actively shown to mankind.
- Goodness must be shown. 1 John 3:16-18
 - Our sin prompted God's goodness in the form of mercy. Titus 3:3-7

God's Loving-kindness We need God's deliverance from our sins.

- The distress of sin. 107:10-12, 33-34, 39-40
 - God is pictured as bringing man low (because of sins against God).
 - When the wicked cry out to God He hears and delivers. 107:2-3, 13-14, 19-20
 - -Righteous are lifted up by God. 107:41

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God's Loving-kindness

- We need God's deliverance from life's trials. 107:23-32
 - Sea merchants see God's works and wonders.
 - Like them, life puts us under stress and strain
 We need God's deliverance! Psalms 31:19-24
 - See the hand of God. James 4:13-15
 - Trust His protection. Hebrews 13:5-6;
 Romans 8:31, 35-39; cf. 1 Peter 5:6

God's Loving-kindness God's goodness prompts thanksgiving. 107:1 1 Thessalonians 5:17-18, "pray without ceasing; in everything give thanks: for this is the will of

- God in Christ Jesus to you-ward."
- Wise observe God's goodness. 107:43
- See God's hand in everything. 107:42-43
- Wise respond with <u>thanksgiving</u>, <u>sacrifice</u>, <u>praise</u> and <u>service</u>. 107:1, 8-9, 16, 22, <u>32, 42</u>

God's Loving-kindness

 God's goodness prompts thanksgiving, 107:1 (1 Thessalonians 5:18)

- WE are to ...
- Be thankful for His goodness! 107:8-9, 15-16, 21-22, 31-32; Ephesians 5:19-20
- Sacrifice to Him. 107:22; Romans 12:1
- Declare His works with joy. 107:22; Acts 5:41
- Exalt and praise Him. 107:32; John 4:24

See God's Loving-kindness

- Delivered Israel from exile and prison. 107:3-4, 10-12
- —From Babylon. Jeremiah 31:7-12; Ezra 9:7-9
- -Sinners from bondage of sin. Jeremiah 31:31-34; Romans 6:17-18
- Evokes praise, thanksgiving and faithful service. 1 Chronicles 16:34-36

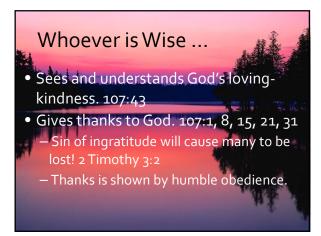
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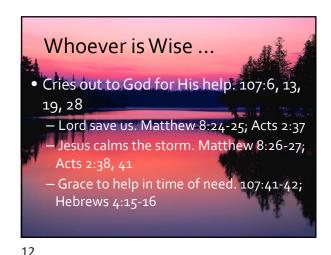


See God's Loving-kindness Delivered sinners from harm when they turn to Him. 107:17-19 – Call on his name. Acts 2:21, 37-38, 41 – If you are in sin you are lost and need to call on God immediately! Acts 22:16;

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1 John 1:8-9





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