



The Book Of Psalms

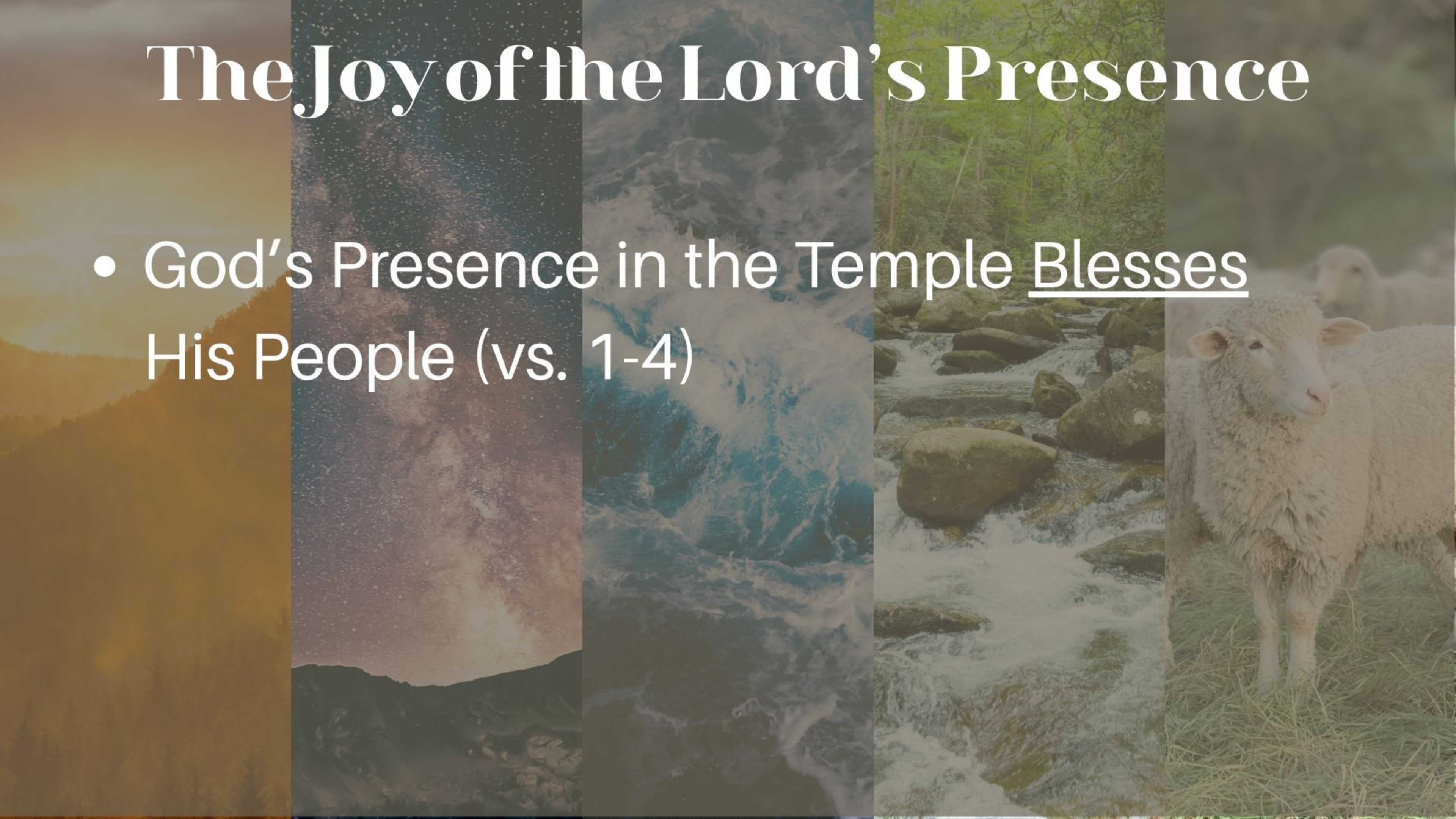
The Joy of the Lord's Presence // Psalm 84

The Sons of Korah

- Korah was a Levite who led a rebellion against Moses in the wilderness.
- “Gatekeeper” - Security Guard/Bouncer for the Temple

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 - Old Testament Picture:
 - The Psalmist longs to experience the special presence of God in the Temple.

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 - New Testament Reality:
 - God's people are the temple individually and corporately.

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 - New Testament Reality:
 - We should desire God's presence through His indwelling Holy Spirit.

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- God's Presence in the Journey Sustains His People (vs. 5-10)



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- God's Presence in the Journey Sustains His People (vs. 5-10)
 - Old Testament Picture:
 - As the Israelites traveled through desert valleys, the hope of God's presence in the Temple sustained them.



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- God's Presence in the Journey Sustains His People (vs. 5-10)
 - New Testament Reality:
 - The joy of experiencing the fullness of the presence of God in eternity makes the difficult journey worthwhile.

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- God's King Brings God's Presence to His People (vs. 11-12)



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- God's King Brings God's Presence to His People (vs. 11-12)
 - Old Testament Picture:
 - God provided for and protected His people through His anointed king.

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- God's King Brings God's Presence to His People (vs. 11-12)
 - New Testament Reality:
 - Through the work of Jesus on the cross, we can experience the presence of God.





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