Psalm 105



2. The judgments of the LORD our God Go out through all the earth; His covenant will never fail, His everlasting word. The LORD will give the promised land, And keep his covenant To Abraham and to his seed, A sure inheritance. O give thanks to the LORD.

3. When few in number Israel roamed And sojourned in the land; Though wandering about they were Protected by his hand. He let no one oppress them there; The nations he disarmed. "Do not touch my anointed ones Or do my prophets harm." O give thanks to the LORD.

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4. When God brought famine on the land And broke the staff of bread, He sent a man ahead of them, Though bound from foot to head, Yes, Joseph as a slave was sold Until the word fulfilled Raised him above all Pharaoh's house To rescue Israel. *O give thanks to the LORD*.

5.Then down to Egypt Israel went Into the land of Ham.
They flourished while Egyptian hearts Grew hateful unto them.
His servant Moses, God then sent And Aaron whom he chose,
Performing in the land of Ham
His signs and miracles.
O give thanks to the LORD.

6.The LORD sent darkness on their land And made their waters blood. Into the chambers of their kings He sent them swarming frogs. God spoke and then came swarms of flies. He gave them hail for rain. He shattered trees and struck their vines, And then the locusts came. O give thanks to the LORD.

7.God struck the firstborn in their land, The firstfruits of their strength, Then gladly they sent Israel out And gave to them their wealth. God spread a cloud for covering; His fire lit the night. God brought his chosen people out With song and with delight. O give thanks to the LORD.

8. They asked the LORD; he gave them quail, Abundant bread from heaven.
The rock he opened, water gushed, A river in the desert.
Remembering the holy word
He spoke to Abraham
God brought his people out and gave
To them the nations' lands.

The LORD is faithful to his word, The promise that he made; With faithfulness let us respond And ever give him praise! O give thanks to the LORD. O give thanks to the LORD.

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