July 10 Psalm 67-71

Psa. 67:0 To the chief Musician on Neginoth, A Psalm *or* Song.

Psa. 67:1 God be merciful unto us, and bless us; *and* cause his face to shine upon us; Selah. **2** That thy way may be known upon earth, thy saving health among all nations. **3** Let the people praise thee, O God; let all the people praise thee. **4** O let the nations be glad and sing for joy: for thou shalt judge the people righteously, and govern the nations upon earth. Selah. **5** Let the people praise thee, O God; let all the people praise thee. **6** *Then* shall the earth yield her increase; *and* God, *even* our own God, shall bless us. **7** God shall bless us; and all the ends of the earth shall fear him.

Psa. 68:0 To the chief Musician, A Psalm *or* Song of David.

Psa. 68:1 Let God arise, let his enemies be scattered: let them also that hate him flee before him. **2** As smoke is driven away, so drive them away: as wax melteth before the fire, so let the wicked perish at the presence of God. **3** But let the righteous be glad; let them rejoice before God: yea, let them exceedingly rejoice. **4** Sing unto God, sing praises to his name: extol him that rideth upon the heavens by his name JAH, and rejoice before him. **5** A father of the fatherless, and a judge of the widows, is God in his holy habitation. **6** God setteth the solitary in families: he bringeth out those which are bound with chains: but the rebellious dwell in a dry land.

Psa. 68:7 O God, when thou wentest forth before thy people, when thou didst march through the wilderness; Selah: **8** The earth shook, the heavens also dropped at the presence of God: *even* Sinai itself *was moved* at the presence of God, the God of Israel. **9** Thou, O God, didst send a plentiful rain, whereby thou didst confirm thine inheritance, when it was weary. **10** Thy congregation hath dwelt therein: thou, O God, hast prepared of thy goodness for the poor. **11** The Lord gave the word: great *was* the company of those that published *it*. **12** Kings of armies did flee apace: and she that tarried at home divided the spoil. **13** Though ye have lien among the pots, *yet shall ye be as* the wings of a dove covered with silver, and her feathers with yellow gold. **14** When the Almighty scattered kings in it, it was *white* as snow in Salmon.

Psa. 68:15 The hill of God *is as* the hill of Bashan; an high hill *as* the hill of Bashan. **16** Why leap ye, ye high hills? *this is* the hill *which* God desireth to dwell in; yea, the LORD will dwell *in it* for ever. **17** The chariots of God *are* twenty thousand, *even* thousands of angels: the Lord *is* among them, *as in* Sinai, in the holy *place*. **18** Thou hast ascended on high, thou hast led captivity captive: thou hast received gifts for men; yea, *for* the rebellious also, that the LORD God might dwell *among them*. **19** Blessed *be* the Lord, *who* daily loadeth us *with benefits, even* the God of our salvation. Selah. **20** *He that is* our God *is* the God of salvation; and unto GOD the Lord *belong* the issues from death. **21** But God shall wound the head of his enemies, *and* the hairy scalp of such an one as goeth on still in his trespasses.

Psa. 68:22 The Lord said, I will bring again from Bashan, I will bring *my people* again from the depths of the sea: **23** That thy foot may be dipped in the blood of *thine* enemies, *and* the tongue of thy dogs in the same. **24** They have seen thy goings, O God; *even* the goings of my God, my King, in the sanctuary. **25** The singers went before, the players on instruments *followed* after; among *them were* the damsels playing with timbrels. **26** Bless ye God in the congregations, *even* the Lord, from the fountain of Israel. **27** There *is* little Benjamin *with* their ruler, the princes of Judah *and* their council, the princes of Zebulun, *and* the princes of Naphtali. **28** Thy God hath commanded thy strength: strengthen, O God, that which thou hast wrought for us. **29** Because of thy temple at Jerusalem shall kings bring presents unto thee. **30** Rebuke the company of spearmen, the multitude of the bulls, with the calves of the people, *till*

every one submit himself with pieces of silver: scatter thou the people that delight in war. **31** Princes shall come out of Egypt; Ethiopia shall soon stretch out her hands unto God.

Psa. 68:32 Sing unto God, ye kingdoms of the earth; O sing praises unto the Lord; Selah: **33** To him that rideth upon the heavens of heavens, *which were* of old; lo, he doth send out his voice, *and that* a mighty voice. **34** Ascribe ye strength unto God: his excellency *is* over Israel, and his strength *is* in the clouds. **35** O God, *thou art* terrible out of thy holy places: the God of Israel *is* he that giveth strength and power unto *his* people. Blessed *be* God.

Psa. 69:0 To the chief Musician upon Shoshannim, *A Psalm* of David.

Psa. 69:1 Save me, O God; for the waters are come in unto *my* soul. **2** I sink in deep mire, where *there is* no standing: I am come into deep waters, where the floods overflow me. **3** I am weary of my crying: my throat is dried: mine eyes fail while I wait for my God. **4** They that hate me without a cause are more than the hairs of mine head: they that would destroy me, *being* mine enemies wrongfully, are mighty: then I restored *that* which I took not away. **5** O God, thou knowest my foolishness; and my sins are not hid from thee. **6** Let not them that wait on thee, O Lord GOD of hosts, be ashamed for my sake: let not those that seek thee be confounded for my sake, O God of Israel. **7** Because for thy sake I have borne reproach; shame hath covered my face. **8** I am become a stranger unto my brethren, and an alien unto my mother's children. **9** For the zeal of thine house hath eaten me up; and the reproaches of them that reproached thee are fallen upon me. **10** When I wept, *and chastened* my soul with fasting, that was to my reproach. **11** I made sackcloth also my garment; and I became a proverb to them. **12** They that sit in the gate speak against me; and I was the song of the drunkards.

Psa. 69:13 But as for me, my prayer *is* unto thee, O LORD, *in* an acceptable time: O God, in the multitude of thy mercy hear me, in the truth of thy salvation. **14** Deliver me out of the mire, and let me not sink: let me be delivered from them that hate me, and out of the deep waters. **15** Let not the waterflood overflow me, neither let the deep swallow me up, and let not the pit shut her mouth upon me. **16** Hear me, O LORD; for thy lovingkindness *is* good: turn unto me according to the multitude of thy tender mercies. **17** And hide not thy face from thy servant; for I am in trouble: hear me speedily. **18** Draw nigh unto my soul, *and* redeem it: deliver me because of mine enemies. **19** Thou hast known my reproach, and my shame, and my dishonour: mine adversaries *are* all before thee. **20** Reproach hath broken my heart; and I am full of heaviness: and I looked *for some* to take pity, but *there was* none; and for comforters, but I found none. **21** They gave me also gall for my meat; and in my thirst they gave me vinegar to drink.

Psa. 69:22 Let their table become a snare before them: and that which should have been for their welfare, let it become a trap. **23** Let their eyes be darkened, that they see not; and make their loins continually to shake. **24** Pour out thine indignation upon them, and let thy wrathful anger take hold of them. **25** Let their habitation be desolate; and let none dwell in their tents. **26** For they persecute him whom thou hast smitten; and they talk to the grief of those whom thou hast wounded. **27** Add iniquity unto their iniquity: and let them not come into thy righteousness. **28** Let them be blotted out of the book of the living, and not be written with the righteous. **29** But I am poor and sorrowful: let thy salvation, O God, set me up on high.

Psa. 69:30 I will praise the name of God with a song, and will magnify him with thanksgiving. **31** This also shall please the LORD better than an ox or bullock that hath horns and hoofs. **32** The humble shall see this, and be glad: and your heart shall live that seek God. **33** For the LORD heareth the poor, and despiseth not his prisoners. **34** Let the heaven and earth praise him, the seas, and every thing that moveth therein. **35** For God will save Zion, and will build the cities of Judah: that they may dwell there, and have it in possession. **36** The seed also of his servants shall inherit it: and they that love his name shall dwell therein.

Psa. 70:0 To the chief Musician, *A Psalm* of David, to bring to remembrance.

Psa. 70:1 *Make haste*, O God, to deliver me; make haste to help me, O LORD. **2** Let them be ashamed and confounded that seek after my soul: let them be turned backward, and put to confusion, that desire my hurt. **3** Let them be turned back for a reward of their shame that say, Aha, aha. **4** Let all those that seek thee rejoice and be glad in thee: and let such as love thy salvation say continually, Let God be magnified. **5** But I *am* poor and needy: make haste unto me, O God: thou *art* my help and my deliverer; O LORD, make no tarrying.

Psa. 71:1 In thee, O LORD, do I put my trust: let me never be put to confusion. **2** Deliver me in thy righteousness, and cause me to escape: incline thine ear unto me, and save me. **3** Be thou my strong habitation, whereunto I may continually resort: thou hast given commandment to save me; for thou *art* my rock and my fortress. **4** Deliver me, O my God, out of the hand of the wicked, out of the hand of the unrighteous and cruel man. **5** For thou *art* my hope, O Lord GOD: thou art my trust from my youth. **6** By thee have I been holden up from the womb: thou art he that took me out of my mother's bowels: my praise shall be continually of thee. **7** I am as a wonder unto many; but thou art my strong refuge. **8** Let my mouth be filled with thy praise and with thy honour all the day. **9** Cast me not off in the time of old age; forsake me not when my strength faileth. **10** For mine enemies speak against me; and they that lay wait for my soul take counsel together, **11** Saying, God hath forsaken him: persecute and take him; for there is none to deliver him. **12** O God, be not far from me: O my God, make haste for my help. **13** Let them be confounded and consumed that are adversaries to my soul; let them be covered with reproach and dishonour that seek my hurt.

Psa. 71:14 But I will hope continually, and will yet praise thee more and more. **15** My mouth shall shew forth thy righteousness and thy salvation all the day; for I know not the numbers thereof. **16** I will go in the strength of the Lord GOD: I will make mention of thy righteousness, even of thine only. **17** O God, thou hast taught me from my youth: and hitherto have I declared thy wondrous works. **18** Now also when I am old and grayheaded, O God, forsake me not; until I have shewed thy strength unto this generation, and thy power to every one that is to come. **19** Thy righteousness also, O God, is very high, who hast done great things: O God, who is like unto thee! **20** Thou, which hast shewed me great and sore troubles, shalt quicken me again, and shalt bring me up again from the depths of the earth. **21** Thou shalt increase my greatness, and comfort me on every side. **22** I will also praise thee with the psaltery, even thy truth, O my God: unto thee will I sing with the harp, O thou Holy One of Israel. **23** My lips shall greatly rejoice when I sing unto thee; and my soul, which thou hast redeemed. **24** My tongue also shall talk of thy righteousness all the day long: for they are confounded, for they are brought unto shame, that seek my hurt.