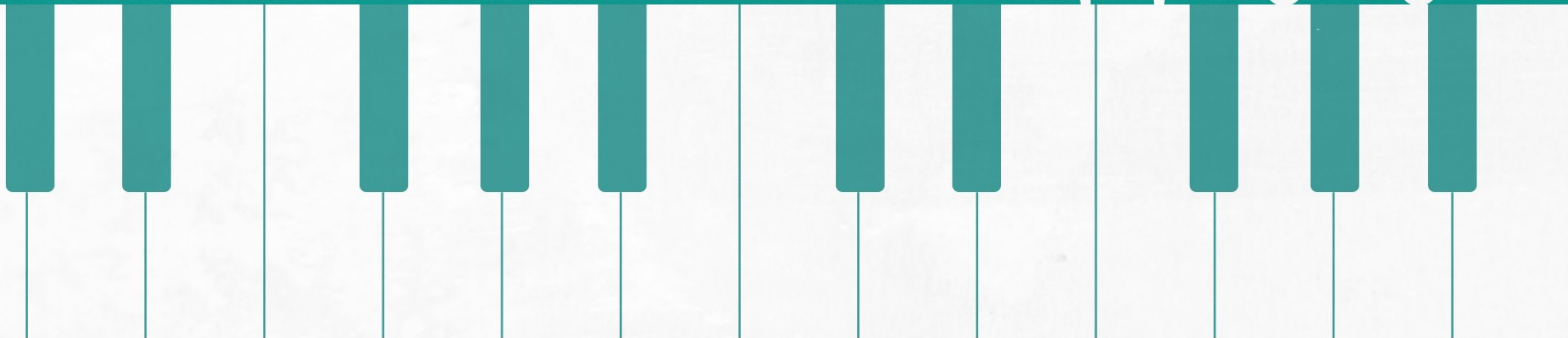


SONGS OF THE SAVIOR

SUMMER OF PSALMS



"THE WORLD RINGS WITH PRAISE - LOVERS PRAISING THEIR MISTRESSES, READERS THEIR FAVORITE POET, WALKERS PRAISING THE COUNTRYSIDE, PLAYERS PRAISING THEIR FAVORITE GAME, PRAISE OF WEATHER, WINES, DISHES, ACTORS, HORSES, COLLEGES, COUNTRIES, HISTORICAL PERSONAGES, CHILDREN, FLOWERS, MOUNTAINS, RARE STAMPS, RARE BEETLES, EVEN SOMETIMES POLITICIANS AND SCHOLARS... I THINK WE DELIGHT TO PRAISE WHAT WE ENJOY BECAUSE THE PRAISE NOT MERELY EXPRESSES, BUT COMPLETES THE ENJOYMENT: IT IS ITS APPOINTED CONSUMMATION. IT IS NOT OUT OF COMPLIMENT THAT LOVERS KEEP ON TELLING ONE ANOTHER HOW BEAUTIFUL THEY ARE: THE DELIGHT IS INCOMPLETE TILL IT IS EXPRESSED."

- C.S. LEWIS, REFLECTIONS ON THE PSALMS

S U M M E R O F P S A L M S

SINGERS
THERE IS NONE
WHO DOES GOOD

- PSALM 53 -

SUMMER OF PSALMS

FOR THE FOOL SPEAKS FOLLY,
AND HIS HEART IS BUSY WITH INIQUITY,
TO PRACTICE UNGODLINESS,
TO UTTER ERROR CONCERNING THE LORD,
TO LEAVE THE CRAVING OF THE HUNGRY UNSATISFIED,
AND TO DEPRIVE THE THIRSTY OF DRINK.

– ISAIAH 32:6

S U M M E R O F P S A L M S

WHEN THE LORD RESTORED THE FORTUNES OF ZION,
WE WERE LIKE THOSE WHO DREAM.
THEN OUR MOUTH WAS FILLED WITH LAUGHTER,
AND OUR TONGUE WITH SHOUTS OF JOY;
THEN THEY SAID AMONG THE NATIONS,
"THE LORD HAS DONE GREAT THINGS FOR THEM."

- PSALM 126:1-2

S U M M E R O F P S A L M S

AND DAVID SPOKE TO THE LORD THE WORDS OF THIS SONG
ON THE DAY WHEN THE LORD DELIVERED HIM FROM THE HAND
OF ALL HIS ENEMIES, AND FROM THE HAND OF SAUL. HE SAID,

"THE LORD IS MY ROCK AND MY FORTRESS AND MY DELIVERER,
MY GOD, MY ROCK, IN WHOM I TAKE REFUGE,
MY SHIELD, AND THE HORN OF MY SALVATION,
MY STRONGHOLD AND MY REFUGE,
MY SAVIOR: YOU SAVE ME FROM VIOLENCE.
I CALL UPON THE LORD, WHO IS WORTHY TO BE PRAISED,
AND I AM SAVED FROM MY ENEMIES."

– 2 SAMUEL 22:1-4

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HOW DOES THIS PSALM
POINT TO JESUS?

WHAT THEN? ARE WE JEWS ANY BETTER OFF? NO, NOT AT ALL. FOR WE
HAVE ALREADY CHARGED THAT ALL, BOTH JEWS AND GREEKS, ARE UNDER
SIN, AS IT IS WRITTEN:

"NONE IS RIGHTEOUS, NO, NOT ONE:

NO ONE UNDERSTANDS:

NO ONE SEEKS FOR GOD.

ALL HAVE TURNED ASIDE: TOGETHER THEY HAVE BECOME WORTHLESS:

NO ONE DOES GOOD,

NOT EVEN ONE."

"THEIR THROAT IS AN OPEN GRAVE:

THEY USE THEIR TONGUES TO DECEIVE."

S U M M E R O F P S A L M S

"THE VENOM OF ASPS IS UNDER THEIR LIPS."

"THEIR MOUTH IS FULL OF CURSES AND BITTERNESS."

"THEIR FEET ARE SWIFT TO SHED BLOOD:

IN THEIR PATHS ARE RUIN AND MISERY.

AND THE WAY OF PEACE THEY HAVE NOT KNOWN."

"THERE IS NO FEAR OF GOD BEFORE THEIR EYES."

NOW WE KNOW THAT WHATEVER THE LAW SAYS IT SPEAKS TO THOSE WHO ARE UNDER THE LAW, SO THAT EVERY MOUTH MAY BE STOPPED, AND THE WHOLE WORLD MAY BE HELD ACCOUNTABLE TO GOD. FOR BY WORKS OF THE LAW NO HUMAN BEING WILL BE JUSTIFIED IN HIS SIGHT, SINCE THROUGH THE LAW COMES KNOWLEDGE OF SIN.

- ROMANS 3:9-20

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