

**LESSON 44**

# PSALMS 64-78

## 01

### OBSERVATIONS

1. Are the wicked unified as a group? What will be their outcome? (Psalm 64)
2. Why should people praise God? Specifically, why did David and His people? (Psalms 66)
3. What does David say would cause God not to hear him? (Psalm 66)
4. What will be the result of people praising God because He rules justly? (Psalm 67)
5. What does David pray will happen to those who are his enemies? (Psalm 68)
6. How long will David hope? How much will he praise God? (Psalm 71)
7. What does Asaph say initially about the wicked and keeping pure? How does his heart change? (Psalm 73)
8. Over what things is God sovereign? (Psalm 75)
9. What happened to the psalmist when he thought about the past? (Psalm 77)

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## DEEPER THOUGHT

1. David says praise waits for God in Zion. What reasons does he give for this? What can we learn from this? (Psalm 65)
  
2. David says that God rides upon the clouds, and yet, He is a defender of widows and a father to the fatherless. What does this tell us about God? (Psalm 68)
  
3. It tells us that in God's procession, first comes the singers, then musicians and maidens. The eleven "little" tribe of Benjamin was leading them. What is significant about this order? (Psalm 68)
  
4. The Psalms are often a cry for help. Why does David plead for God to answer him out of the goodness His love and mercy? (Psalms 69 & 70)
  
5. This Psalm speaks of Solomon who says, "He will endure as long as the sun & moon, through all generations." How was this fulfilled? (Psalm 74)
  
6. In crying out to God to rout His enemies, the psalmists often remind God of His word and covenant. What does this say to us? (Psalm 74)
  
7. What is meant by the statement, "At your rebuke, O God of Jacob, both horse and chariot lie still"? (Psalm 76)
  
8. What reasons does the psalmist give for speaking the parables, the words of God, and telling of His acts? What does this say to us today? (Psalm 78)

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*Consider this:*

Psalm 78:34 says, "When God slew them, then they would seek Him and eagerly turn to Him". Are we seeking God eagerly all the time, or do we wait for a crisis to drive us to Him?

QUESTIONS FOR DEEPER THOUGHT		OBSERVATIONS
ANSWERS TO LESSON 44		
1. He atones for sins, hears prayer, fills us with good things, performs awesome deeds. When we consider the works of God, we can't help but to praise Him. (65:1-5)	1. They encourage each other in evil matters. God will strike them down. (64:1-7)	1. For His works. For saving them.
2. Though God is all-powerful and awesome, He desires to meet the needs of people. He is an all-loving God. (68:4-6)	2. If he regards iniquity in his heart. (66:1-9,18)	2. The land will yield its harvest and God will bless us. (67:6)
3. God desires first our praise and worship. He will use humble people to lead. (68:24-27)	3. That God would put them to shame and confusion. (70:2)	3. He will always have hope. He will praise God more and more. (71:14)
4. David was humble and realized he wasn't worthy of God's help. God would help by his mercy and love. (69:5-16,70:4-5)	4. The regrads iniquity in his heart. (66:1-9,18)	4. The land will yield its harvest and God will
5. Through the Proverbs, Solomon's wisdom is preserved. (72:1-5)	5. That God would put them to shame and confusion. (70:2)	5. Asaph envied the wicked because they were prospering. He felt that he was keeping pure for nothing. Then he saw that in the end, the wicked would perish. (73:3-11,13,27)
6. When we are attacked by our enemy the devil, we should speak God's Word, reminding God of His Word and covenant. (74)	6. He will always have hope. He will praise God more and more. (71:14)	6. First, he was discouraged because he
7. God is in charge even of the wars that take place. He is in control and will bring peace when He wants to. (76:6-7)	7. Asaph envied the wicked because they were delivered them. (77)	7. all people, both wicked and righteous. (75)
8. The next generation can know Him and put their trust in God. We must teach our children God's ways. (78:1-7)	8. Appointed times, the earth's foundations, would perish. (73:3-11,13,27)	8. First, he was discouraged because he