

Psalms 22 – A Messianic Prophecy

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Praising God For Deliverance

– Praise for remaining with Him. Psalms 22:21-24

Psalms 22:26-27, *“The meek shall eat and be satisfied; they shall praise Jehovah that seek after him: let your heart live for ever. All the ends of the earth shall remember and turn unto Jehovah; and all the kindreds of the nations shall worship before thee.”*

- Note: God hearkened to the afflictions of Jesus (verse 24), and as a result, those who are also afflicted will also be satisfied (verse 26). (See: 2 Corinthians 1:5; 4:10-11).
- Note: All who partake of the sacrifice of Jesus receive the promise that *“he that eateth of this bread shall live for ever”* (John 6:58; 4:14).
- The scope of this blessing! (Psalms 86:9; 66:4; 67:7; Isaiah 2:2-4; Acts 13:47; Colossians 1:6, 23; Romans 16:26; Revelation 15:4).

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Psalms 22:28, *“For the kingdom is Jehovah’s; and he is the ruler over the nations.”*

- Daniel 7:14; cf. Psalms 139:7-12

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Psalms 22:29, *“All the fat ones of the earth shall eat and worship: all they that go down to the dust shall bow before him, even he that cannot keep his soul alive.”*

- *“Fat ones”*— Prosperous.
- *“They that go down to the dust”*— NONE can keep his soul alive ... Luke 12:20; James 4:14

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– Submit to the rule of God. Psalms 22:25-31

Psalms 22:30-31, *“A seed shall serve him; it shall be told of the Lord unto the (next) generation. They shall come and shall declare his righteousness unto a people that shall be born, that he hath done it.”*

- He rules over the nations and has established His kingdom over all peoples of the earth.
- Future generations will declare the glory of God.
- *“That he hath done it.”*

- That the Lord has delivered his Son from the power of death and all enemies (verses 1-24).

Christ:
King, Priest, Judge

Psalms 110

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Hundreds of Old Testament Quotes in New Testament

- Second most often: Leviticus 19:18 (7 times)
- Most often: **Psalms 110** (23 times)
 - Jesus quoted and applied it to Himself, Matthew 22:41-46
 - Christ subduing His enemies and blessing His faithful subjects

Christ The King

Psalms 110:1-3, "*Jehovah saith unto my Lord, sit thou at my right hand, until I make thine enemies thy footstool. Jehovah will send forth the rod of thy strength out of Zion: rule thou in the midst of thine enemies. Thy people offer themselves willingly in the day of thy power, in holy array: out of the womb of the morning Thou hast the dew of thy youth.*"

Ascension to the Throne Daniel 7:13-14

Psalms 110:1, "*Jehovah saith unto my Lord, sit thou at my right hand ...*"

- Apostolic emphasis: Fulfilled in Jesus, Acts 2:32-36; Ephesians 1:20-23
- Christ now ruling on David's throne, Psalms 132:11 (Luke 1:32-33); Acts 2:30

"Yahweh" Vanquishes Enemies (1-2) 1 Corinthians 15:24-26

Psalms 110:1-2, "... *until I make thine enemies thy footstool*. Jehovah will send forth the rod of thy strength out of Zion: *rule thou in the midst of thine enemies*."

- All things subject to Christ, Matthew 28: 18; 1Peter 3:22 (Psalms 89:19-23, 34-37)
- Subjugation of enemies began in Acts 2
 - Power of the gospel, Romans 1:16
 - Providential rule, Revelation 19:15-16

Christ Rules with Authority (1-3) Matthew 28:18

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- **Lord.** Psalms 110:1-3; cf. Hebrews 1:13, 3-7
 - Rod. Psalms 110:2 (scepter); cf. Hebrews 1:8-9; 2:7-8
- **Volunteers.** Psalms 110:3; Acts 2:34-41
 - Reigns in the splendor of holy innocence as King of kings (110:3, 6), 1 Timothy 6:15

Christ The Priest

Psalms 110:4

*“Jehovah hath sworn, and will not repent: Thou
art a priest for ever after the order of
Melchizedek.”*

THE HISTORY OF MELCHIZEDEK (Hebrews 7:1-3)

- **THE HISTORICAL RECORD AS FOUND IN GENESIS 14:**
 1. We first read of “The Battle OfThe Kings” – **Genesis. 14:1-11**
 2. Lot is captured, and then rescued by Abram (Abraham) – **Genesis 14:12-17**
 3. Upon his return, Abram is met by Melchizedek – **Genesis 14:18**
 - a. Who is “*king of Salem*” (thought to be later known as Jerusalem)
 - b. Who is also “*the priest of God Most High*”
 4. In this meeting, two things happen ...
 - a. Melchizedek blesses Abram (Abraham) – **Genesis 14:19**
 - b. Abram pays tithes to Melchizedek – **Genesis 14:20b**