

Lesson 23

Psalm 94:8–19 (writer unknown)

⁸You who aren't wise, pay attention.

You foolish people, when will you become wise?

⁹Does He who made the ear not hear?

Does He who formed the eye not see?

¹⁰Does He who corrects nations not punish?

Does He who teaches human beings not know anything?

¹¹The Lord knows what people think.

He knows that their thoughts don't amount to anything.

¹²Lord, blessed is the person You correct.

Blessed is the person You teach from Your Law.

¹³You give them rest from times of trouble,
until a pit is dug to trap sinners.

¹⁴The Lord won't say no to His people.

He will never desert those who belong to Him.

¹⁵He will again judge people in keeping with what is right.

All those who have honest hearts will follow the right way.

¹⁶Who will rise up for me against sinful people?

Who will stand up for me against those who do evil?

¹⁷Suppose the Lord had not helped me.

Then I would soon have been lying quietly in the grave.

¹⁸I said, "My foot is slipping."

But Lord, Your faithful love kept me from falling.

¹⁹I was very worried.

But Your comfort brought me joy.

Questions

- 1 Does the Lord hear and see everything that is going on in this world? (Yes/No) _____, the Lord certainly hears and sees everything, since He is the One who _____ the ear to _____ and _____ the eye to _____. (Ps. 94:9)

- 2 Does the Lord know what people think? (Yes/No) _____. The Lord knows people's _____ and that they don't amount to _____. (Ps. 94:11)
- 3 Are you cursed when the Lord corrects you and teaches you from His Word? (Yes/No) _____. I am _____ when the Lord corrects me and teaches me from His Word. (Ps. 94:12)
- 4 What is your heart like if you follow the right way? My heart is _____ if I follow the _____ way. (Ps. 94:15)
- 5 Who is the One who will rise up for you against sinful people? The _____ is the One who will _____ up for me against sinful people. (Ps. 94:16–17)
- 6 Who is the One who will stand up for you against those who do evil? The _____ is the One who will _____ up for me against those who do evil. (Ps. 94:16–17)
- 7 What will keep you from falling if your foot is slipping? If my foot is slipping, the Lord's _____ will keep me from falling. (Ps. 94:18)
- 8 What will bring you joy when you are very worried? When I am _____ worried, the Lord's _____ will bring me _____. (Ps. 94:19)

Psalm 95:1–7 (writer unknown)

¹Come, let us sing for joy to the Lord.

Let us give a loud shout to the Rock who saves us.

²Let us come to Him and give Him thanks.

Let us praise Him with music and song.

³The Lord is the great God.

He is the greatest King.

He rules over all the gods.

⁴He owns the deepest parts of the earth.

The mountain peaks belong to Him.

⁵The ocean is His, because He made it.

He formed the dry land with His hands.

⁶Come, let us bow down and worship Him.

Let us fall on our knees in front of the Lord our Maker.

⁷He is our God.

We are the sheep belonging to His flock.

We are the people He takes good care of.

If only you would listen to His voice today.

Questions

- 9 What are you called to do? I am called to:
- _____ for joy to the Lord,
 - give a _____ shout to the Rock who _____ me,
 - give Him _____, and
 - _____ Him with music and song. (Ps. 95:1–2)
- 10 Why is the Lord great? The Lord is great because:
- He is the great _____;
 - He is the greatest _____ who rules over _____ the gods;
 - He owns the _____ parts of the earth, the mountain _____, and the _____; and
 - He formed the dry _____ with His hands. (Ps. 95:3–5)
- 11 Who is the Lord to you? The Lord is my _____ who takes _____ care of me. (Ps. 95:7)
- 12 What are you like to the Lord? I am like one of His _____ belonging to His _____.
(Ps. 95:7)
- 13 What are you to do today and every day? I am to _____ to His _____ today and every day.
(Ps. 95:7)

Psalm 96:1–13 (writer unknown)

¹Sing a new song to the Lord.

All you people of the earth, sing to the Lord.

²Sing to the Lord. Praise Him.

Day after day tell about how He saves us.

³Tell the nations about His glory.

Tell all people about the wonderful things He has done.

⁴The Lord is great. He is really worthy of praise.

People should have respect for Him as the greatest God of all.

⁵All the gods of the nations are like their statues.

They can't do anything.

But the Lord made the heavens.

⁶Glory and majesty are all around Him.

Strength and glory can be seen in His temple.

⁷Praise the Lord, all you nations.

Praise the Lord for His glory and strength.

⁸Praise the Lord for the glory that belongs to Him.

Bring an offering and come into the courtyards of His temple.

⁹Worship the Lord because of His beauty and holiness.

All you people of the earth, tremble when you are with Him.

¹⁰Say to the nations, "The Lord rules."

The world is firmly set in place. It can't be moved.

The Lord will judge the people of the world fairly.

¹¹Let the heavens be full of joy. Let the earth be glad.

Let the ocean and everything in it roar.

¹²Let the fields and everything in them be glad.

Let all the trees in the forest sing for joy.

¹³Let all creation be full of joy in front of the Lord,

because He is coming to judge the earth.

He will faithfully judge the people of the world

in keeping with what is right.

Questions

- 14 As God's child, are you to keep quiet about the Lord? (Yes/No) _____. I am to _____ to the Lord and _____ Him. I am also to _____ the nations about how the Lord saves me, about His _____, and about the _____ things He has done. (Ps. 96:1-3)
- 15 How worthy is the Lord to be praised? Why? The Lord is _____ worthy to be praised, because He is _____. He is the _____ God of all. (Ps. 96:4)
- 16 What are all the gods of the nations like? All the gods of the nations are like their _____: they _____ do anything. (Ps. 96:5)
- 17 What can be seen all around the Lord in His temple? _____, _____, and _____ can be seen all around the Lord and in His temple. (Ps. 96:6)
- 18 Whom does all glory belong to? All glory belongs to the _____. (Ps. 96:8)
- 19 Why are you to worship the Lord? I am to worship the Lord because of His _____ and _____. (Ps. 96:9)
- 20 Who rules the nations? The _____ rules the nations. (Ps. 96:10)
- 21 Can the world be moved? (Yes/No) _____. The world is _____ set in place. It _____ be moved. (Ps. 96:10)

- 22) How will the Lord judge the people of the world? The Lord will judge the people of the world _____ . (Ps. 96:10)
- 23) What is full of joy in front of the Lord?
- The _____ ,
 - the _____ ,
 - the _____ and everything in it,
 - the _____ and everything in them,
 - all the _____ in the forest, and
 - _____ creation
- are full of joy in front of the Lord. (Ps. 96:11–13)
- 24) Why is all of creation full of joy? All of creation is full of joy because the Lord is _____ to judge the earth. He will _____ judge the people of the world in keeping with what is _____ . (Ps. 96:13)

Psalm 98:1, 4–9 (writer unknown)

¹Sing a new song to the Lord.

He has done wonderful things.

By the power of His right hand and His holy arm

He has saved His people.

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⁴Shout for joy to the Lord, everyone on earth.

Burst into joyful songs and make music.

⁵Make music to the Lord with the harp.

Sing and make music with the harp.

⁶Blow the trumpets. Give a blast on the ram's horn.

Shout for joy to the Lord. He is the King.

⁷Let the ocean and everything in it roar.

Let the world and all who live in it shout.

⁸Let the rivers clap their hands.

Let the mountains sing together with joy.

⁹Let them sing to the Lord,

because He is coming to judge the earth.

He will judge the nations of the world

in keeping with what is right and fair.

Questions

- 25 Why should the ocean and everything in it roar? Why should the world and all who live in it shout? Why should the rivers clap their hands? Why should the mountains sing together with joy? Everything and everybody should make noise, shout, and sing to the Lord because He is _____ to _____ the earth in keeping with what is _____ and _____.
(Ps. 98:7-9)

How did the Holy Spirit speak to you this week as you studied these Bible verses? In other words, what did you learn this week from reading God's Word?
