PSALM 115

- 1. We glory not in our own selves, O Lord but in Your name; we glory in your lovingkindness, true ever the same.
- 2. Why should nations question, and ask us with a taunt, "Where now is that God of yours, that you've so often sought?"
- 3. Our God dwells in heaven, above the realms of men; and He will do what ere He pleases, time and time again.
- 4. Their images and idols, are merely shiny gold; and silver fashioned by a smith, a statue dead and cold.
- 5. Mouths they have that cannot speak, nor utter forth a word; eyes have they that never see, before them what's occurred.
- 6. They have ears that never hear, the sounds of music sweet; they have nostrils on each face, yet odors can't perceive.
- 7. They have hands that cannot feel, and feet that never walk; no real chords within their throats, so that they cannot talk.
- 8. Those that make them are as they, (perceiving not God's heart); and all who go for refuge to them, ("Worthless too thou art!").
- 9. O Israel trust in the Lord, and rely on His might; only He is our true aid, a shield amidst the fight.
- 10. House of Aaron go to Him, for refuge in the Lord; He is their shield and buckler, and rescue from alarm.
- 11. Those who reverence the Lord, go to the Lord for aid; a helper and a shield is He; faithful every day.
- 12. The Lord has kept His eye on us, and blesses us with grace; He blesses all of Israel's house, and those of Aaron's race.
- 13. He'll bless all those who honor Him, the Lord with awe and love; from least to greatest He will bless, with kindness from above.
- 14. The Lord will add to your increase, and prosper evermore; abound to you and to your sons, from His unending store.
- 15. You are blessed by the true Lord, (eternal One so wise); for it is He Who made the earth, and fashioned all the skies.
- 16. The heaven and the heavens, are the Lord's to dwell therein; He gave the world unto the sons of Adam, home for men.
- 17. Those who have died can never praise, unto the Lord to shine; nor those who descend to the grave, in silence to abide.
- 18. We ourselves will kneel before, the Lord now at this time; and evermore we'll praise the Lord, to boast of Him and shine.