



The Transformative Power of Praise

Psalm 34:1-3 NIV

- 1 I will extol the LORD at all times;
his praise will always be on my lips.
- 2 I will glory in the LORD;
let the afflicted hear and rejoice.
- 3 Glorify the LORD with me;
let us exalt his name together.



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Psalm 34 Title

Of David. When he pretended to be insane before Abimelek, who drove him away, and he left.



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1 Samuel 21:13-15 NIV

¹³ So he pretended to be insane in their presence; and while he was in their hands he acted like a madman, making marks on the doors of the gate and letting saliva run down his beard. ¹⁴ Achish said to his servants, “Look at the man! He is insane! Why bring him to me? ¹⁵ Am I so short of madmen that you have to bring this fellow here to carry on like this in front of me? Must this man come into my house?”



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Philippians 2:9-11 NIV

- 9 Therefore God exalted him to the highest place
and gave him the name that is above every name,
10 that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow,
in heaven and on earth and under the earth,
11 and every tongue acknowledge that Jesus Christ is Lord,
to the glory of God the Father.



I. Let The Praise Be Continuous

Psalm 34:1 NIV

I will extol the LORD at all times;
his praise will always be on my lips.



I. Let The Praise Be Continuous

Psalm 34:1 KJV



I will bless the LORD at all times:

His praise shall continually be in my mouth.



I. Let The Praise Be Continuous

Matthew 26:30 NIV

When they had sung a
hymn, they went out to the
Mount of Olives.



I. Let The Praise Be Continuous

Psalm 150:1-3 NIV

¹ Praise the LORD.

Praise God in his sanctuary;

praise him in his mighty heavens.

² Praise him for his acts of power;

praise him for his surpassing greatness.

³ Praise him with the sounding of the trumpet,

praise him with the harp and lyre,



I. Let The Praise Be Continuous

Psalm 150:4-6 NIV

- ⁴ praise him with timbrel and dancing,
praise him with the strings and pipe,
⁵ praise him with the clash of cymbals,
praise him with resounding cymbals.
⁶ Let everything that has breath praise the LORD.
Praise the LORD.



I. Let The Praise Be Continuous

Acts 16:23-26 NIV

²³ After they had been severely flogged, they were thrown into prison, and the jailer was commanded to guard them carefully. ²⁴ When he received these orders, he put them in the inner cell and fastened their feet in the stocks. ²⁵ About midnight Paul and Silas were praying and singing hymns to God, and the other prisoners were listening to them. ²⁶ Suddenly there was such a violent earthquake that the foundations of the prison were shaken. At once all the prison doors flew open, and everyone's chains came loose.



I. Let The Praise Be Continuous

1 Thessalonians 5:16-18 NIV

¹⁶ Rejoice always, ¹⁷ pray continually, ¹⁸ give thanks in all circumstances; for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus.



II. Let The Praise Be Joyful

Psalm 34:2 NIV

I will glory in the LORD;
let the afflicted hear and rejoice.



II. Let The Praise Be Joyful

Psalm 146:1-2 NIV

¹ Praise the LORD.

Praise the LORD, my soul.

² I will praise the LORD all my life;

I will sing praise to my God as long as I live.



II. Let The Praise Be Joyful

Psalm 147:1 NIV

Praise the LORD.

How good it is to sing praises to our God,
how pleasant and fitting to praise him!



II. Let The Praise Be Joyful

Jeremiah 9:23-24 NIV

²³ This is what the LORD says:

“Let not the wise boast of their wisdom
or the strong boast of their strength
or the rich boast of their riches,

²⁴ but let the one who boasts boast about this:
that they have the understanding to know me,
that I am the LORD, who exercises kindness,
justice and righteousness on earth,
for in these I delight,”
declares the LORD.



II. Let The Praise Be Joyful

Colossians 3:17 NIV

And whatever you do, whether
in word or deed, do it all in the
name of the Lord Jesus, giving
thanks to God the Father
through him.



II. Let The Praise Be Joyful

Luke 19:39-40 NIV

³⁹ Some of the Pharisees in the crowd said to Jesus, “Teacher, rebuke your disciples!” ⁴⁰ “I tell you,” he replied, “if they keep quiet, the stones will cry out.”



III. Let The Praise Be In Concert Psalm 34:3 NIV



Glorify the LORD with me;
let us exalt his name together.



III. Let The Praise Be In Concert Psalm 8:2 NIV

Through the praise of children and infants
you have established a stronghold against your enemies,
to silence the foe and the avenger.



III. Let The Praise Be In Concert

2 Chronicles 20:14-15 NIV

¹⁴ Then the Spirit of the LORD came on Jahaziel son of Zechariah, the son of Benaiah, the son of Jeiel, the son of Mattaniah, a Levite and descendant of Asaph, as he stood in the assembly. ¹⁵ He said: “Listen, King Jehoshaphat and all who live in Judah and Jerusalem! This is what the LORD says to you: ‘Do not be afraid or discouraged because of this vast army. For the battle is not yours, but God’s.



III. Let The Praise Be In Concert

2 Chronicles 20:16-17 NIV

¹⁶ Tomorrow march down against them. They will be climbing up by the Pass of Ziz, and you will find them at the end of the gorge in the Desert of Jeruel. ¹⁷ You will not have to fight this battle. Take up your positions; stand firm and see the deliverance the LORD will give you, Judah and Jerusalem. Do not be afraid; do not be discouraged. Go out to face them tomorrow, and the LORD will be with you.””



III. Let The Praise Be In Concert 2 Chronicles 20:21-22 NIV

²¹ After consulting the people, Jehoshaphat appointed men to sing to the LORD and to praise him for the splendor of his holiness as they went out at the head of the army, saying:

“Give thanks to the LORD,
for his love endures forever.”

²² As they began to sing and praise, the LORD set ambushes against the men of Ammon and Moab and Mount Seir who were invading Judah, and they were defeated.



III. Let The Praise Be In Concert

1 Peter 2:9 NIV

But you are a chosen people, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, God's special possession, that you may declare the praises of him who called you out of darkness into his wonderful light.