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Charles Spurgeon wrote: We do not know who wrote this Psalm, perhaps it was composed by David, and given to the Levites to sing every day (1Chronicles 16): but we do know that it was sung in Solomon's temple (2 Chronicles 7), and by the armies of Jehoshaphat when they sang themselves into victory in the wilderness of Tekoa.

In the time of Constantine, when Athanasius was assaulted by night in the church at Alexandria by Syrianus and his troops, when many were wounded and murdered, the Bishop of Alexandria sat still in his chair and ordered the deacon to begin this Psalm, and the people answered in prompt alternation, "For His mercy endures forever" – Christopher Wordsworth, 1807-1885.



¹O give thanks to the LORD; for He is good: for His mercy endures forever.

²O give thanks to the God of gods: for His mercy endures forever.

³O give thanks to the LORD of lords. for His mercy endures forever.

⁴To Him who alone does great wonders: for His mercy endures forever.

⁵ To Him who by wisdom made the heavens: for His mercy endures forever.

⁶ To Him who stretched out the earth above the waters: for His mercy endures forever.

⁷To Him who made great lights: for His mercy endures forever:

⁸ the sun to rule by day: for His mercy endures forever:

⁹ the moon and stars to rule by night. for His mercy endures forever.

¹⁰ To Him who smote Egypt in their firstborn: for His mercy endures forever:

¹¹ and brought **Israel** from among them: for His mercy endures forever:

¹² with a strong hand, and with a stretched-out arm: for His mercy endures forever.

¹³ To Him who divided the Red Sea into parts: for His mercy endures forever:

¹⁴ and made **Israel** to pass through its midst: for His mercy endures forever:

¹⁵ but overthrew Pharaoh and his host in the Red Sea: for His mercy endures forever.

¹⁶ To Him who led His people through the wilderness. for His mercy endures forever.

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¹⁷ To Him who struck great kings: for His mercy endures forever:

¹⁸ and killed famous kings: for His mercy endures forever:

¹⁹ Sihon king of the Amorites: for His mercy endures forever:

²⁰ and Og the king of Bashan: for His mercy endures forever:

²¹ and gave their land for a heritage: for His mercy endures forever:

²² even a heritage to <mark>Israel</mark> His servant. for His mercy endures forever.

²³ He remembered us in our low estate: for His mercy endures forever:

²⁴ and redeemed us from our enemies: for His mercy endures forever.

²⁵ He gives food to all flesh: for His mercy endures forever.

²⁶O give thanks to the God of heaven: for His mercy endures forever.

For His mercy endures forever, it is the sweetest stanza that a man can sing. What joy that there is mercy, we live in a heartless, merciless generation, led by copious criminals and fearmongers in seats of power, who slaughter hundreds of thousands of Christians... in foreign countries whose communities are being destroyed with our tax-payer dollars; thieving leaders in countries who put no trust in God, but solely in their weapons. Thank God... His mercy endures forever. Mercy = getting what we do not deserve.

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