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A psalm for Asaph

The God of gods the Lord spoke and summoned the earth

From the suns rising to its very setting

[NEXT VERSE] 2 From Zion in beautys splendor

God will come openly

[NEXT VERSE] 3 He is our God and He shall not be silent

A fire shall be kindled before Him

And there shall be a mighty storm round about Him

[NEXT VERSE] 4 He shall summon heaven above

And the earth to judge His people

[NEXT VERSE] 5 Gather His holy ones to Him

Who establish His covenant upon sacrifices

[NEXT VERSE] 6 And the heavens declare His righteousness

For God is Judge Pause

[NEXT VERSE] 7 Hear O my people and I will speak to you

O Israel and I will testify against you

I am God your God

[NEXT VERSE] 8 I will not find fault with your sacrifices

Because your whole burnt offerings are continually before Me

[NEXT VERSE] 9 I will not accept a young bull from your house

Nor hegoats from your flocks

[NEXT VERSE] 10 For all the wild animals of the forest are Mine

The cattle and the oxen in the hills

[NEXT VERSE] 11 I know all the birds of heaven

And the ripe fruit of the field is with Me

[NEXT VERSE] 12 If I were hungry I would not tell you

For the world is Mine and all its fullness

[NEXT VERSE] 13 Will I eat the flesh of bulls

Or drink the blood of goats

[NEXT VERSE] 14 Offer to God a sacrifice of praise

And pay your vows to the Most High

[NEXT VERSE] 15 Call upon Me in the day of affliction

And I will deliver you and you shall glorify Me Pause

[NEXT VERSE] 16 To the sinner God says

Why do you declare My ordinances

And take up My covenant in your mouth

[NEXT VERSE] 17 You hate My instruction

And cast My words behind you

[NEXT VERSE] 18 If you see a thief you run with him

And you keep company with adulterers

[NEXT VERSE] 19 Your mouth is filled with evil

And your tongue weaves deceits

[NEXT VERSE] 20 You sit and speak against your brother

And place a stumbling block before your mothers son

[NEXT VERSE] 21 You do these things and I keep silent

You think I am lawless like you

But I shall rebuke you and contradict you to your face

[NEXT VERSE] 22 Understand these things you who forget God

Lest He snatch you away and there be none to deliver

[NEXT VERSE] 23 A sacrifice of praise shall glorify Me

And there is the way whereby I will show him the salvation of God