Ps 148

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| Fr. Lazarus | Edited | UC | Psalter according 70 | Psalter for prayer | NETS | Brenton | OSB |
| 1 (Alleluia. By Haggai and Zachariah) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Praise the Lord in Heaven,  praise Him in the heights. |  | Praise the Lord from the heavens: Alleluia.  Praise Him in the highest! |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2 Praise Him, all you Angels of His;  praise Him, all His Hosts. |  | Praise Him, all His angels: Alleluia.  Praise Him, all His hosts! |  |  |  |  |  |
| 3 Praise Him, sun and moon;  praise Him, all you stars and light. |  | Praise Him, sun and moon: Alleluia.  Praise Him all stars of light! |  |  |  |  |  |
| 4 Praise Him, you heaven of heavens,  and you waters above the heavens. |  | Praise Him you heavens of heavens: Alleluia.  And you water above the heavens! |  |  |  |  |  |
| 5 Let them praise the name of the Lord;  for He spoke and they were made,  He commanded and they were created. |  | Let them praise the Name of the Lord: Alleluia.  For He spoke and they came to be! |  |  |  |  |  |
| 6 He has set them there throughout the ages;  He has made a law, and it cannot be bypassed.[[1]](#footnote-1) |  | For He commanded and they were created. Alleluia.  He established them forever and ever! |  |  |  |  |  |
| 7 Praise the Lord on earth,  you monsters and all deeps. |  | He has made a decree that will not pass away. Alleulia.  Praise the Lord from the earth! |  |  |  |  |  |
| 8 Fire, hail, snow and ice,  the storm-wind, all obeying His word. |  | You dragons and all deeps: Alleluia.  Fire and hail, snow and ice, stormy wind, fulfilling His word! |  |  |  |  |  |
| 9 All you mountains and hills,  all you fruit-trees and cedars. |  | High mountains and all hills: Alleluia.  Fruitful trees and all cedars! |  |  |  |  |  |
| 10 All you wild beasts and cattle,  reptiles and winged birds. |  | The wild animals and all the cattle: Alleluia.  Creeping things and winged birds! |  |  |  |  |  |
| 11 All you kings and peoples of the earth,  all you rulers and judges. |  | Kings of the earth and all people: Alleluia.  Rulers and all judges of the earth! |  |  |  |  |  |
| 12 Young men and virgins,  old men and children; |  | Both young men and maidens: Alleluia.  Elders and children! |  |  |  |  |  |
| 13 Let them praise the name of the Lord,  for His name only is supreme.  His praise is above heaven and earth. |  | Let them praise the Name of the Lord: Alleluia.  For His Name alone is exalted! |  |  |  |  |  |
| 14 He will raise His people to power.  A song for all His saints,  for the children of Israel,  for a people drawing near to Him. |  | His glory is above the earth and heaven: Alleluia.  He also exalts the horn of His people. |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | The praise of all His saints: Alleluia.  The children of Israel, a people near to Him. |  |  |  |  |  |

1. ‘a law’. Cp. Jeremiah 31 (38):36,37. Break Life’s laws and you strike and break yourself with an iron rod (Rev. 19:15; Ps. 2:9; Jer. 2:9; Prov. 3:10-19). [↑](#footnote-ref-1)