

Psalm 47:1-9 – Loyalty in Christ**Psalm 47****Stanza 1 (v 1-5)**

v 1 ... all the people (from all the nations).

Psalm 46:10 ... YHWH will be exalted among all the nations.

Psalm 47... “clap their hands and shout to God with cries of joy”.

... celebration (applauding) of the kingship of YHWH.

... forming an agreement or bargain with YHWH

Psalm 47:2 FOR YHWH is awesome.

... God is very much worthy of our fear,

v 3 & 4 ... all the YHWH has already done for his covenant people.

v 5 YHWH as king.

Stanza 2 (v 6-9)

...to praise God in song because he is King.

For ... he is king over all the earth. (v7)

v 8 & 9, all the nobles and rulers of all the nations assemble before him... they belong to him.

For us today

1) Good news to all the nations

... we are recipients of the offer from God

...we are to speak of God's offer to others who have not yet heard

“till the end of the age”.

... still his heart's desire for the lost to be saved

... in Revelation people from every nation tribe and tongue are gathered around the throne of God.

2) God is awesome

He is very much worthy of our fear.

... because he loves people.

Romans 5:8-9, God demonstrated his own love for us in this, while we were still sinners Christ died for us. Since we have been justified by his blood how much more will we be saved from God's wrath through him.

3) Jesus as king

Philippians

...Jesus is exalted to the highest place and gave him the name above all names that at the name of Jesus every knee shall bow, in heaven and on earth and every tongue confess that Jesus is Lord to the glory of God the Father.

4) God is to be praised for his great plan of salvation

... reminding us of his great plan of salvation.