

May 29, 2022

Psalm 47

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**Shout to God with loud songs of joy!**

<sup>2</sup> For the LORD, the Most High, is to be feared,

**a great Ruler over all the earth,**

<sup>3</sup> who subdued peoples under us,  
and nations under our feet,

**<sup>4</sup> who chose our heritage for us,  
the pride of Jacob whom God loves.**

<sup>5</sup> God has gone up with a shout,  
**the LORD with the sound of a trumpet.**

<sup>6</sup> Sing praises to God, sing praises!

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<sup>7</sup> For God is the Ruler of all the earth;

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**God sits on his holy throne.**

<sup>9</sup> The princes of the people gather  
as the people of the God of Abraham.

**For the shields of the earth belong to God;  
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<sup>4</sup> And being assembled together with *them*, He commanded them not to depart from Jerusalem, but to wait for the Promise of the Father, “which,” *He said*, “you have heard from Me; <sup>5</sup> for John truly baptized with water, but you shall be baptized with the Holy Spirit not many days from now.” <sup>6</sup> Therefore, when they had come together, they asked Him, “Lord, will You at this time restore the kingdom to

Israel?” <sup>7</sup> And He said to them, “It is not for you to know times or seasons which the Father has put in His own authority. <sup>8</sup> But you shall receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you shall be <sup>[e]</sup>witnesses to Me in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the end of the earth.”

<sup>9</sup> Now when He had spoken these things, while they watched, He was taken up, and a cloud received Him out of their sight. <sup>10</sup> And while they looked steadfastly toward heaven as He went up, behold, two men stood by them in white apparel, <sup>11</sup> who also said, “Men of Galilee, why do you stand gazing up into heaven? This *same* Jesus, who was taken up from you into heaven, will so come in like manner as you saw Him go into heaven.”

Eternal Father, Strong to Save

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Whose arm has bound the restless wave  
Who bid the mighty ocean deep  
Its own appointed limits keep;  
Oh, hear us when we cry to Thee  
For those in peril on the sea!

O Savior, whose almighty word the wind  
and waves submissive heard,  
Who walked upon the foaming deep  
And calm amidst its rage did sleep;  
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O Holy Spirit, Who did brood  
Upon the chaos wild and rude  
And bid its angry tumult cease  
And gave, for fierce confusion, peace;  
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O Trinity of love and power!  
All travelers guard in danger's hour;  
From rock and tempest, fire and foe  
Protect them where so e'er they go;  
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