

Proclaim the Greatness of God. It Works!
Theme: God's Greatness is the Remedy for Our Needs Past and Present
Psalm 40:1-17

Introduction: *"There's too much food here!"*

A Messianic Psalm (Heb. 10:5-7)

A Typological Psalm

A Davidic Psalm

A Psalm for the Nation of Israel

A Psalm of Encouragement for Today

Praising God is demanded but it's not what you think.

A. God's Greatness in the Past and Our Response v. 1-10

1. Salvation Experienced 1-3
 - a. What I did.
 - b. What He did.
 - c. What others do
2. Protection Extended. 4-5
 - a. What we do.
 - b. What we don't do.
3. Commitment Expressed. 6-8
 - a. What God desires.
 - b. What I desire.
4. Perfection Exalted. 9-10
 - a. What I do.

- b. What God is.
- c. What others hear.

B. God's Greatness in the Present and Our Response v. 11-17

1. Our Prayer for God's Perfections. 11
 - a. His mercy
 - b. His love
 - c. His truth
2. Our Confession of Sin. 12
 - a. Trouble from without
 - b. Trouble from within
3. Our Prayer for God's Protection. 13-16
 - a. _____ me.
 - b. _____ them.
 - c. _____ us (to Shout, "The LORD be exalted!".)
4. Our Salvation Experience. 17
 - a. Remember who we are.
 - b. Believe what God will do.
 - c. Wait patiently.

C. Camp Illustration: God's Greatness Orchestrated to Perfection

Conclusion: Have you _____ God's greatness in meeting past needs?
Are you _____ in the God's greatness to meet your needs today?

He's done it before.
He'll do it today.
He'll do it tomorrow.