



Learning To Love The Psalms

Lesson 12 - God Is All!

Psalms 145

Introduction: The last 5 Psalms are the culmination of praise to which the entire book has been leading!

In this lesson, we take a closer look at the last Psalm of Book 5.

A. The Last 5 Psalms Begin & End With: “ _____!”

- They Provide Individual Conclusions To The Five Books Of Psalms:

- 146 - Concludes Book 1 - Praise For God’s _____

- 147 - Concludes Book 2 - Praise For God’s Kingdom

- 148 - Concludes Book 3 - Praise For God’s Promises

- 149 - Concludes Book 4 - Praise For God’s Faithfulness

- 150 - Concludes Book 5 - Praise For God’s _____

B. Psalm 145 Is An _____ Psalm:

- 9 Acrostic Psalms (Psalms 9, 10, 25, 34, 37, 111, 112, 119, 145)

- Sometimes With _____ (145:13c - Not In Every Hebrew Manuscript, But Is Likely Original)

C. The _____ Of The Psalmist In 145 Cannot Be Missed!

- Concerning The Fulness Of God!

- _____ He Is & His Character Of Greatness

- _____ He Is Doing - His Works

- God Is Not Only Great, He Is _____:

- Full Of Steadfast Love For His People & The World!

- The _____ Of Psalm 145 Is Verses 11-12

- The Psalmist Gets More _____ About God’s Works

- God _____ The Desire Of Everyone Who Desires Him!

* We Must Continue To _____ The Psalms!

- Every Effort We Invest Into Learning The Psalms Will Be Richly Rewarded!

- _____ The Psalms Is A Great Way To Learn The Psalms!

Study Questions:

1. What do the last 5 Psalms have in common with the first 2?

- They are centered on the person and work of Christ.
- They each relate to the five books of the Psalter.
- They all begin and end with “Praise the Lord!”
- They are not ascribed to a particular author.

2. Psalm 145 moves back and forth between God’s character and God’s works by praising God’s works before God’s character. (True or False)

3. What is an argument for maintaining the entire Hebrew alphabet in the original text of Psalm 145?

- Allowing for copyist error undermines faith in Inspiration.
- Missing letters in an alphabetical Psalm is nonsensical.
- Important doctrinal points would be lost from the Psalm.
- Copyists did not typically add entire lines to a text.

4. What is the most famous acrostic Psalm in the Psalter?

- 111
- 112
- 119
- 145

6. Psalm 145 concludes with which of the following?

- A celebration of the universality of God’s future love.
- A proclamation of the greatness of God’s character.
- A promise from the Psalmist to praise the Lord.
- A warning to the wicked to repent.