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The Book of  
**PSALMS**

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## Old Testament

Psalms 98: 1-9 NKJV

1 Oh, sing to the Lord a new song! For He has done marvelous things; His right hand and His holy arm have gained Him the victory.

2 The Lord has made known His salvation; His righteousness His righteousness He has revealed in the sight of the nations.

3 He has remembered His mercy and His faithfulness to the house of Israel; All the ends of the earth have seen the salvation of our God.

4 Shout joyfully to the Lord, all the earth; Break forth in song, rejoice, and sing praises.

5 Sing to the Lord with the harp, With the harp and the sound of a psalm,

6 With trumpets and the sound of a horn; Shout joyfully before the Lord, the King.

7 Let the sea roar, and all its fullness, The world and those who dwell in it;

8 Let the rivers clap their hands; Let the hills be joyful together before the Lord,

9 For He is coming to judge the earth. With righteousness He shall judge the world, And the peoples with equity.

## *New Testament*

John 20: 19-23 NKJV

19 Then, the same day at evening, being the first day of the week, when the doors were shut where the disciples were assembled, for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood in the midst, and said to them, “Peace be with you .”

20 When he said this, He showed them His hands and His side. Then the disciples were glad when they saw the Lord.

21 So Jesus said to them again, “Peace to you! As the Father has sent Me, I also send you.”

22 And when He had said this, He breathed on them, and said to them, “Receive the Holy Spirit.

23 If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven them; if you retain the sins of any, they are retained.”

# Weekly Devotional Thoughts

Week One - April 7, 2026

Scripture: Luke 24: 6-7

*He is not here, but has risen! Remember how he told you, while He was still in Galilee, that the Son of Man must be delivered into the hands of sinful men and be crucified, and on the third day rise,'*

## Devotional Thought

The resurrection is the cornerstone of our faith; proof that Jesus conquered death and offers us new life. Even when things seem hopeless, remember that Jesus' victory gives us reason to hope and live boldly

Week Two - April 14, 2026

Scripture: 1 Peter 1:3

*Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! According to His great mercy, he has caused us to be born again to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead*

## Devotional Thought

Through Jesus' Resurrection, we are given new birth and a living hope; something that never fades. This hope sustains us through trials, reminding us that no matter what, God's mercy and life-transforming power are always at work

# Weekly Devotional Thoughts

Week Three - April 21, 2026

Scripture : Romans 6:9

*“We know that Christ, being raised from the dead, will never die again, death no longer has dominion over Him.”*

## Devotional Thought

Because Jesus was raised from the dead, He defeated death forever, we can live free from fear and despair. His resurrection guarantees that death and darkness do not have the last word, for us or for all creation

Week Four - April 27, 2026

Scripture: John 11:25

*“ I am the resurrection and the life. The one who believes in me will live, even though they die.”*

## Devotional Thought

Jesus speaks these words as an invitation. to trust Him fully. He offers eternal life to everyone who believes in Him. A life that begins now and last forever.

## Thank You for Worshiping With Us Today

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