

PSALM 65 -- THANKSGIVING 1000 B.C.



1A. Introduction:

2A. God's Grace as S \_\_\_\_\_: 1-5a (delivers from sin)

- 1b. God is the hearer of prayer: 2
- 2b. God is the pardoner of sin: 3
- 3b. God is the giver of blessings: 4
- 4b. God is the deliverer from enemies: 5

3A. God's Greatness as S \_\_\_\_\_: 5b-8 (delivers from serfdom)

- 1b. God works wonders: 5
- 2b. God inspires confidence: 6
- 3b. God subdues nations: 7-8

4A. God's Goodness as S \_\_\_\_\_: 9-13 (delivers from starvation)

- 1b. God prompts precipitation: 9-10a
  - 1c. Man's responsibility:
  - 2c. Man has done what he could:
    - 1d. The furrows are cut deep:
    - 2d. The ridges stand straight:
    - 3d. The seed is sown:

- 2b. God promotes germination: 10b
- 3b. God provides the harvest: 11
- 4b. God produces joy: 12-13
  - 1c. Joy over flocks: 13a
  - 2c. Joy over fields: 13b



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un \_\_\_\_\_ or un \_\_\_\_\_! (Acts. 14:17; Rom. 2:4)



*In*  
**EVERYTHING**  
*give thanks.*

**Record corn, soybean crops predicted**

Psalms and Hymns of Isaac Watts

**PSALM 65 PART 1**

*A prayer-hearing God, and the Gentiles called.*

Praise waits in Zion, Lord, for thee;  
There shall our vows be paid:  
Thou hast an ear when sinners pray;  
All flesh shall seek thine aid.

Lord, our iniquities prevail,  
But pard'ning grace is thine;  
And thou wilt grant us power and skill  
To conquer every sin.

Blest are the men whom thou wilt choose  
To bring them near thy face,  
Give them a dwelling in thine house,  
To feast upon thy grace.

In ans'ring what thy church requests  
Thy truth and terror shine,  
And works of dreadful righteousness  
Fulfil thy kind design.

Thus shall the wond'ring nations see  
The Lord is good and just;  
And distant islands fly to thee,  
And make thy name their trust.

They dread thy glitt'ring tokens, Lord,  
When signs in heav'n appear;  
But they shall learn thy holy word,  
And love as well as fear.

**PSALM 65 PART 2**

*The providence of God in air, earth, and sea.*

'Tis by thy strength the mountains stand,  
God of eternal power;  
The sea grows calm at thy command,  
And tempests cease to roar.

Thy morning light and ev'ning shade  
Successive comforts bring;  
Thy plenteous fruits make harvest glad,  
Thy flowers adorn the spring.

Seasons and times, and moons and hours,  
Heav'n, earth, and air, are thine;  
When clouds distil in fruitful showers,  
The Author is divine.

Those wand'ring cisterns in the sky,  
Borne by the winds around  
With wat'ry treasures well supply  
The furrows of the ground.

The thirsty ridges drink their fill,  
And ranks of corn appear;  
Thy ways abound with blessings still,  
Thy goodness crowns the year.

**PSALM 65 PART 3**

*The blessings of the spring; or, God gives rain.*

*A Psalm for the husbandman.*

Good is the Lord, the heav'nly King,  
Who makes the earth his care;  
Visits the pastures ev'ry spring,  
And bids the grass appear.

The clouds, like rivers raised on high,  
Pour out at thy command  
Their wat'ry blessings from the sky,  
To cheer the thirsty land.

The softened ridges of the field  
Permit the corn to spring;  
The valleys rich provision yield,  
And the poor lab'ers sing.

The little hills, on every side,  
Rejoice at falling showers;  
The meadows, dressed in all their pride,  
Perfume the air with flowers.

The barren clods, refreshed with rain,  
Promise a joyful crop;  
The parching grounds look green again,  
And raise the reaper's hope.

The various months thy goodness crowns;  
How bounteous are thy ways!  
The bleating flocks spread o'er the downs,  
And shepherds shout thy praise.

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**Iowa farmers to see record corn crop**

**Record Corn, Soybean Harvest  
Expected In U.S. After Ideal  
Summer Growing Conditions**

**USDA ups expected record corn, soybean harvest**

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