

Entering the School of Prayer

Psalms 1, 2, 146-50



"The Psalter teaches us not by telling us how to pray but by showing us how to pray.... The Psalms speak from God by showing us how to speak to God."

To paraphrase Athanasius, "Most of Scripture speaks to us; the Psalms speak for us"

-John Goldingay, Psalms (Vol.1) p. 23



Psalm Headings

- "Of David" ???
- "when he did XYZ" ???
- Spiritual life of individual becomes part of spiritual life of the congregation

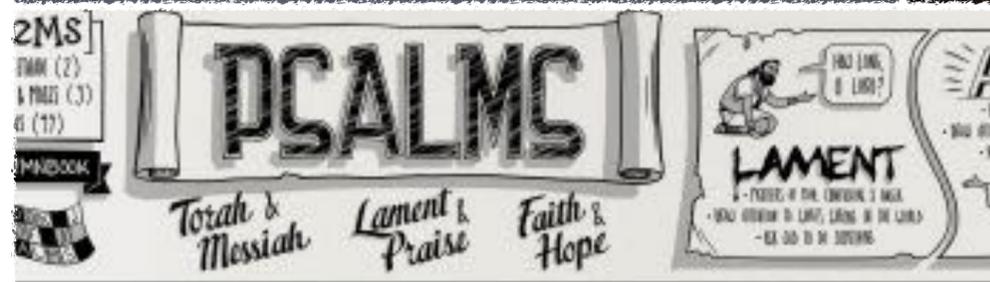
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PART 1
Psalms 1-72

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The Frame:

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Psalms 3-145: Prayers in the Traffic of Life

- Psalms 146-50: Call to Worship

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