



Introduction

We are encouraged to appreciate God's blessings.



Questions

1. What does the psalmist want God to do for us?
2. Why should the nations be glad and sing for joy?
3. What will the ends of the earth do?



Summary Points

- **v 1** The psalmist asks God to continue his blessings
- **v 2 to 4** We are encouraged to praise God (see theme) for his work among the nations
- **v 5 to 7** We should praise God for harvests and his blessing

Timeline 970 BC (see below)



Theme

We should praise God

The Israelites are encouraged to praise God for what he has done for them:

Deuteronomy 10 verses 20 and 21

David, in one of his Psalms, expresses the same sentiments:

Psalm 9 verses 1 and 2

In another Psalm David encourages everyone to praise God at all times:

Psalm 34 verses 1 to 3

The prophet Daniel praises God when he shows him the king's dream:

Daniel 2 verse 23

On more than one occasion, the people praise God after they have seen the miracles that Jesus has done:

Luke 18 verses 42 and 43, 19 verse 37

The apostle Peter says believers should praise God for being called out of darkness:

1 Peter 2 verses 9 and 10



Answers to questions

Verses which answer the questions:

Q 1: v 1, Q 2: v 4, Q 3: v 7



Bible timeline

