*Goodness and Greatness of God*

Psalm 145

**Psalm 145:1 (ESV)**

I will extol You, my God and King,

 and bless Your name forever and ever.

**Psalm 145:2 (ESV)**

Every day I will bless You

 and praise Your name forever and ever.

**Psalm 145:3 (ESV)**

Great is the Lord, and greatly to be praised,

 and His greatness is unsearchable.

**Psalm 145:4 (ESV)**

One generation shall commend Your works to another,

 and shall declare Your mighty acts.

**Psalm 145:5 (ESV)**

On the glorious splendor of Your majesty,

 and on Your wondrous works, I will meditate.

**Psalm 145:6 (ESV)**

They shall speak of the might of Your awesome deeds,

 and I will declare Your greatness.

**Psalm 145:7 (ESV)**

They shall pour forth the fame of Your abundant goodness

 and shall sing aloud of Your righteousness.

**Psalm 145:8 (ESV)**

The Lord is gracious and merciful,

 slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.

**Psalm 145:9 (ESV)**

The Lord is good to all,

 and His mercy is over all that He has made.

**Psalm 145:10 (ESV)**

All Your works shall give thanks to You, O Lord,

 and all Your saints shall bless You!

**Psalm 145:11 (ESV)**

They shall speak of the glory of Your kingdom

 and tell of Your power,

**Psalm 145:12 (ESV)**

to make known to the children of man Your mighty deeds,

 and the glorious splendor of Your kingdom.

**Psalm 145:13 (ESV)**

Your kingdom is an everlasting kingdom,

 and Your dominion endures throughout all generations.

[The Lord is faithful in all His words

 and kind in all His works.]

**Psalm 145:14 (ESV)**

The Lord upholds all who are falling

 and raises up all who are bowed down.

**Psalm 145:15 (ESV)**

The eyes of all look to You,

 and You give them their food in due season.

**Psalm 145:16 (ESV)**

You open Your hand;

 You satisfy the desire of every living thing.

**Psalm 145:17 (ESV)**

The Lord is righteous in all His ways

 and kind in all His works.

**Psalm 145:18 (ESV)**

The Lord is near to all who call on Him,

 to all who call on Him in truth.

**Psalm 145:19 (ESV)**

He fulfills the desire of those who fear Him;

 He also hears their cry and saves them.

**Psalm 145:20 (ESV)**

The Lord preserves all who love Him,

 but all the wicked He will destroy.

**Psalm 145:21 (ESV)**

My mouth will speak the praise of the Lord,

 and let all flesh bless His holy name forever and ever.