

תהלים • פרק קל"ח

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CHAPTER PREVIEW

In this beautiful kapitel, Dovid HaMelech pours out his heart in gratitude, promising to thank Hashem with all his heart and sing His praises even in the presence of rulers and judges. He recalls how Hashem answered him on the very day he called out, strengthening his neshama with inner courage and saving him from the hands of his enemies. Dovid HaMelech reminds us of Hashem's great midah of humility, showing that although He is exalted on high, He looks after the lowly and downtrodden, and we pray that He will complete His kindness for us forever.

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לְדוֹד אֹדָה בְּכָל־לֵב נִגַּד אֱלֹהִים אֲזַמְּרָה:

אֲשַׁתְּחֶה אֱלֹהִים כְּדָשָׁה וְאֹדָה אֶת־שְׁמָהּ עַל־חַסְדֶּיהָ וְעַל־אַמְתָּהּ כִּי־הִגְדִּילָהּ עַל־כָּל־שְׁמָהּ אֲמַרְתָּהּ:

בַּיּוֹם קָרָאתִי וַתַּעֲנֵנִי תִרְהַבְנִי בְּנִפְשִׁי עוֹ:

יְהוָה יְהוָה כָּל־מַלְכֵי־אֶרֶץ כִּי שָׁמְעוּ אֲמַר־יִפְיָהּ:

וַיִּשְׁירוּ בְּדַרְכֵי יְהוָה כִּי גָדוֹל כְּבוֹד יְהוָה:

כִּי־רָם יְהוָה וְשָׁפֵל יִרְאֶה וְגִבּוֹה מִמָּרְחָק יִידָע:

אִם־אֵלֶּה בְּקֶרֶב צָרָה תַּחֲיֶנִּי עַל אֵף אִיבִי תִשְׁלַח יָדָהּ וְתוֹשִׁיעֵנִי יִמְיָנָהּ:

יְהוָה יִגְמַר בְּעַדִּי יְהוָה חַסְדֶּיהָ לְעוֹלָם מַעֲשֵׂי יְדִידָהּ אֶל־תִּתְּרָהּ: