

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־שִׁמְךָ עַל־חַסְדֶּךָ וְעַל־אַמְתָּךְ כִּי־הִגְדַּלְתָּ עַל־כָּל־שִׁמְךָ אֲמַרְתָּ:

בַּיּוֹם קָרָאתִי וַתַּעֲנֵנִי תִרְהַבְנִי בְּנִפְשִׁי עוֹ:

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

וַיִּשְׁירוּ בְּדַרְכֵי יְהוָה כִּי גָדוֹל כְּבוֹד יְהוָה:

כִּי־רַם יְהוָה וְשָׁפַל יִרְאֶה וְגִבָּה מִמָּרְחָק יִידָע:

אִם־אֵלֶּה בְּקֶרֶב צָרָה תַּחֲיֶנִּי עַל אֵף אִיבִי תִשְׁלַח יָדְךָ וְתוֹשִׁיעֵנִי יְמִינְךָ:

יְהוָה יִגְמַר בְּעַדִּי יְהוָה חַסְדְּךָ לְעוֹלָם מַעֲשֵׂי יְדִידֶךָ אֶל־תִּרָּה: