# Psalm 113

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## **God Is High Above the Heavens** *Psalm 113:1-4*

• A call to "praise the name of the LORD" (v. 1, Ex. 34:5-7)

There is no limit to God's praise
In time (v. 2)
In space (v. 3)
The eternal one deserves eternal praise (Rev. 4:7-8)

God is highly exalted above...everything!
 All nations (v. 4a)
 The created universe (v. 4b)

## **God Is Helper of the Humble** *Psalm 113:5-9*

"Who is like the LORD..."
 Exalted so high?
 Looking down so low? (Ps. 106:44, 138:6)

God helps the humble

Raising the poor from the dust (v. 7a)
Lifting the hungry from the trash heap (v. 7b)
Giving children to the barren (v. 9, 1 Samuel 2:5,8)

#### God in Psalm 113

God is attracted to the humble of heart *Isaiah 66:1-2* 

God humbled Himself to deliver us from sin *Philippians 2:8* 

God has lifted us up to sit with Christ Ephesians 2:1-6