

## Our Father

Our Father, Who art in Heaven, hallowed be Thy Name. Thy Kingdom come. Thy Will be done, on earth, as it is in Heaven. Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. Amen.

Psalm 106.1-31

Praise the Lord.  
Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good;  
his love endures forever.

Who can proclaim the mighty acts of the Lord  
or fully declare his praise?

Blessed are they who maintain justice,  
who constantly do what is right.

Remember me, o Lord, when you show favor to your people,  
come to my aid when you save them,

That I may enjoy the prosperity of your chosen ones,  
that I may share in the joy of your nation  
and join your inheritance in giving praise.

We have sinned, even as our fathers did;  
we have done wrong and acted wickedly.

When our fathers were in Egypt,  
they gave no thought to your miracles;  
they did not remember your many kindnesses,  
and they rebelled by the sea, the Red Sea.

Yet he saved them for his name's sake,  
to make his mighty power known.

He rebuked the Red Sea, and it dried up;  
he led them through the depths as through a desert.

He saved them from the hand of the foe;  
from the hand of the enemy he redeemed them.

The waters covered their adversaries;  
not one of them survived.

Then they believed his promises  
and sang his praise.

But they soon forgot what he had done  
and did not wait for his counsel.

In the desert they gave in to their craving;  
in the wasteland they put God to the test.

So he gave them what they asked for,  
but sent a wasting disease upon them.

In the camp they grew envious of Moses  
and of Aaron, who was consecrated to the LORD.

The earth opened up and swallowed Dathan;  
it buried the company of Abiram.

Fire blazed among their followers;  
a flame consumed the wicked.

At Horeb they made a calf  
and worshiped an idol cast from metal.

They exchanged their Glory  
for an image of a bull, which eats grass.

They forgot the God who saved them,  
who had done great things in Egypt,

Miracles in the land of Ham  
and awesome deeds by the Red Sea.

So he said he would destroy them  
had not Moses, his chosen one,  
stood in the breach before him  
to keep his wrath from destroying them.

Then they despised the pleasant land;  
they did not believe his promise.

They grumbled in their tents  
and did not obey the Lord.

So he swore to them with uplifted hand  
that he would make them fall in the desert,

Make their descendants fall among the nations  
and scatter them throughout the lands.

They yoked themselves to the Baal of Peor  
and ate sacrifices offered to lifeless gods;

They provoked the LORD to anger by their wicked deeds,  
and a plague broke out among them.

But Phinehas stood up and intervened,  
and the plague was checked.

This was credited to him as righteousness  
for endless generations to come.

**Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit, as it was in the beginning, is  
now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, Amen, Amen.**

