

**6/27/21 - Speaker: Al Schaap**  
**Psalms for the Summer - Psalm #148**

*Praise the Lord.*

*Praise the Lord from the heavens;  
praise Him in the heights above.*

<sup>2</sup> *Praise Him, all His angels;  
praise Him, all His heavenly hosts.*

<sup>3</sup> *Praise Him, sun and moon;  
praise Him, all you shining stars.*

<sup>4</sup> *Praise Him, you highest heavens  
and you waters above the skies.*

God's 2-Part Praise Team! –

Section 1: A call for \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_  
to praise The LORD! (1-4)

- Angels
- Heavenly Host
- Sun...moon...stars...highest heavens...clouds

<sup>5</sup> *Let them praise the name of the Lord,  
for at His command they were created,*

<sup>6</sup> *and He established them for ever and ever—  
He issued a decree that will never pass away.*

Summary #1 (5-6) to The Heaven Praise Team: You  
were \_\_\_\_\_ (and are kept together)  
by God, so all credit/praise *from you* goes *to Him!*

Section 2: A call for \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_  
to praise The LORD! (7-12) Call to all creation:  
meteorological, geological, botanical, zoological

<sup>7</sup> *Praise the Lord from the earth,  
you great sea creatures and all ocean depths,  
<sup>8</sup> lightning and hail, snow and clouds,  
stormy winds that do His bidding,  
<sup>9</sup> you mountains and all hills,  
fruit trees and all cedars,  
<sup>10</sup> wild animals and all cattle,  
small creatures and flying birds,  
<sup>11</sup> kings of the earth and all nations,  
you princes and all rulers on earth,  
<sup>12</sup> young men and women,  
old men and children.*

- Sea creatures...ocean depths
- Lightning, hail, snow, clouds, stormy winds
- Mountains, hills, fruit trees, cedars
- Wild animals, cattle, creatures, flying birds
- Kings...nations...princes...all rulers
- Men & women...old & young

*Let them praise the name of the Lord,  
for His name alone is exalted;  
His splendor is above the earth and the heavens.*

*And He has raised up for His people a horn,  
the praise of all His faithful servants,  
of Israel, the people close to His heart.*

*Praise the Lord.*

Summary #2 (13-14) to The Earth Praise Team: You  
are \_\_\_\_\_ (and protected by God), so  
all credit/praise *from us* goes *to Him!*

Have \_\_\_\_\_ God's Praise Team?