THE GREATNESS OF OUR GOD

PSALM 145

Introduction:

Why should all flesh praise the Lord? Why should they do it every day? Why should they do it with words and deeds? The answer is simple—the unsearchable greatness of our God.

He is worthy to be praised. The Psalmist gave to Israel a song of praise that would be easy to remember. He put it in the form of an acrostic—beginning each line with a different letter of the Hebrew alphabet. The only letter that is missing is nun, and many modern scholars think they have found it and that it speaks of the faithfulness of our God.

But David does not speak of the greatness of God theoretically, rather he points to specific things about our God that illustrate His greatness.

I. GOD IS GREAT IN HIS WONDROUS WORKS.
   1. His works reveal His power.
   2. His works reveal His glory.

II. GOD IS GREAT IN HIS MANIFEST GOODNESS.
   1. His goodness reveals the core of His being.
   2. His goodness blesses all of His creation.

III. GOD IS GREAT IN HIS ETERNAL RULE.
1. His kingdom is universal.
2. His kingdom is eternal.

IV. GOD IS GREAT IN HIS MIGHTY GRACE.
   1. His grace lifts the fallen.
   2. His grace feeds the hungry.
   3. His grace answers our prayers.
   4. His grace preserves His people.