

# Songs for Summer

THE BOOK OF PSALMS

## Psalm 105

*Oh give thanks to the LORD; call upon his name; make known his deeds among the peoples! <sup>2</sup> Sing to him, sing praises to him; tell of all his wondrous works! <sup>3</sup> Glory in his holy name; let the hearts of those who seek the LORD rejoice! <sup>4</sup> Seek the LORD and his strength; seek his presence continually! <sup>5</sup> Remember the wondrous works that he has done, his miracles, and the judgments he uttered, <sup>6</sup> O offspring of Abraham, his servant, children of Jacob, his chosen ones! <sup>7</sup> He is the LORD our God; his judgments are in all the earth. <sup>8</sup> He remembers his covenant forever, the word that he commanded, for a thousand generations, <sup>9</sup> the covenant that he made with Abraham, his sworn promise to Isaac, <sup>10</sup> which he confirmed to Jacob as a statute, to Israel as an everlasting covenant, <sup>11</sup> saying, "To you I will give the land of Canaan as your portion for an inheritance..."*

*Next Week: Psalm 106*

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## TALK SHEET

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1. 1 Chronicles 16:1-22 indicates Psalm 105 was first sung for a specific event. How does this historical context help you understand this psalm?
2. There is one tiny difference between Psalm 105:1-15 and 1 Chronicles 16:8-22. What is it and what difference does it make? (hint: 105:8 & 16:15)
3. Why does Psalm 105 rehearse the history of Israel? What is the author trying to demonstrate by the long history?
4. What are your favorite stories in Biblical history that help your trust the Lord? Do you have your own stories?
5. Pray that God would give us a history with him that encourages our faith!