

Bible Text New International Version	What does the psalm reveal about God and how we are to approach, address, and respond to God?
<p><b>Psalm 95:1-7</b></p> <p><sup>1</sup> Come, let us sing for joy to the LORD; let us shout aloud to the Rock of our salvation.</p> <p><sup>2</sup> Let us come before him with thanksgiving and extol him with music and song.</p> <p><sup>3</sup> For the LORD is the great God, the great King above all gods.</p> <p><sup>4</sup> In his hand are the depths of the earth, and the mountain peaks belong to him.</p> <p><sup>5</sup> The sea is his, for he made it, and his hands formed the dry land.</p> <p><sup>6</sup> Come, let us bow down in worship, let us kneel before the LORD our Maker;</p> <p><sup>7</sup> for he is our God and we are the people of his pasture, the flock under his care.</p> <p>Today, if only you would hear his voice,</p> <p><b>Psalm 100</b></p> <p><i>A psalm. For giving grateful praise.</i></p> <p><sup>1</sup> Shout for joy to the LORD, all the earth.</p> <p><sup>2</sup> Worship the LORD with gladness; come before him with joyful songs.</p> <p><sup>3</sup> Know that the LORD is God. It is he who made us, and we are his<sup>[a]</sup>; we are his people, the sheep of his pasture.</p> <p><sup>4</sup> Enter his gates with thanksgiving and his courts with praise; give thanks to him and praise his name.</p> <p><sup>5</sup> For the LORD is good and his love endures forever; his faithfulness continues through all generations.</p> <p>a. <i>Or and not we ourselves.</i></p>	

**Reflections**

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In Psalm 95:1-7, the psalmist invites the people to sing for joy to the Lord. What is a favorite song or hymn that encourages you to bow down and kneel before God? How do you best hear God's voice?

As the psalmist reminds us, God is our Creator and we worship Him with gladness. Examine your attitude toward your worship experience this past week. Did you expect to be fed, entertained, encouraged, equipped? How can you develop a heart that truly worships with joy and gladness?



