

WORKSHEET 10: EXODUS PSALMS

- 1) Which exodus psalm mentions the Ephraimites, and what did they do wrong [2]

Psalms 78 mentions the Ephraimites. The Ephraimites did not keep God's covenant and did not want to live by his law which was why they found trouble with God.

- 2) Why is it important to retell history [2]

It is important to retell history because it shows past trials and how they were overcome. It shows who you can put your trust in and who you can't. Retelling history allows people to learn from mistakes and how to avoid making new ones. It also allows people to recognize and appreciate history.

- 3) Is being chosen by God simply an honor and a privilege? Explain your answer [2]¹

Personally, I think being chosen by God is an honor but not a privilege. Privilege insinuates that it is a special right, or something that we are deserving of which we aren't. God loves us, yes, and He is merciful but that doesn't mean we deserve it. It's an honor to be chosen by God because it's like, "He chose me because He saw something in me", but God sees something in all of us. Everybody has a seed of potential greatness planted within them but it's all about what we are willing to put in, in order to achieve that.

- 4) Psalm 105 is a song of thanksgiving [True/False] [1]

True!

- 5) According to McMillion, which is the most complete exodus psalm [1]

Psalm 105 is said to be the most complete exodus Psalm.

- 6) What is the hyperbole used for manna in Psalm 78 [2]

The hyperbole used for manna in Psalm 78 is rained. It says in verse 24, "He rained down manna for the people to eat, He gave them the grain of heaven..."

(side note serious question → Manna didn't really rain down, did it?)

- 7) In your own words, what does antiphonal mean? [2]

¹ You will need to have read the articles to answer this question.

Antiphonal or antiphon to me is basically a piece of Scripture that is turned into some type of musical thing. For example, Isaiah 40:31b is a bible verse that Travis Greene used in his song 'While I'm Waiting', which is now referred to as lyrics.

8) Which psalm was intended for antiphonal use [1]

Psalm 105

9) Is it possible for an Exodus psalm to be Lament? Explain, providing an example [2]

Yes, it is possible for an Exodus psalm to be Lamented. That is shown Psalm 105 :1 because it is showing a passionate expression for help.

10) What is the exact genre of Psalm 95 [2]

Thanksgiving and worship?

11) Which of the Exodus psalms mentions the sons of Aaron [1]

Psalm 135.....

12) The majority of Exodus psalms are concentrated in which two books of the Psalter [2]

The majority of the Exodus psalms are concentrated on Psalm 105 and 106.

13) Name 2 exodus psalms that portray a negative image of the Israelites' desert wandering period [2]

Psalms 106:14 and 106:19

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14) Find and cite an example of a terraced pattern from the Exodus psalms [3]

I think one example of a terraced pattern is when the people of Israel kept murmuring about in the wilderness but then would ask for mercy when God was angry with them, The back and forth relationship they had with God to me would be a terraced pattern.

15) Is it fair to say that psalmists are basically just arrangers of ancient sources [3]²

Yes, I think it is fair to say that the psalmist are basically arrangers of ancient sources because everything is somewhat in order. Whether it be naming the story in the first on and then explaining the story in the next, the psalmist makes sure that everything is placed in an order that people will understand.

² You will need to have read all of the required articles to answer this question

16) What does it mean to adopt a diachronic approach to biblical allusion? Explain and provide an example [3]

I guess this means just changing the way in which you might approach reading the bible. Like some people approach the bible with the mindset of it being an ordinary man book so, they would read it like any other book. Whereas those who approach it with the mindset that it is a power filled book, inspired by the Holy Spirit are more likely to have a revelation while reading it.