

God's Reign Revealed: His Law, His Incomparability, His People

God's Law (v. 1-6)

God's Incomparability (v. 7-9)

God's People (v. 10-12)

Psalm 97 ESV

- ¹The LORD reigns, let the earth rejoice;
let the many coastlands be glad!
- ²Clouds and thick darkness are all around him;
righteousness and justice are the foundation of his throne.
- ³Fire goes before him
and burns up his adversaries all around.
- ⁴His lightnings light up the world;
the earth sees and trembles.
- ⁵The mountains melt like wax before the LORD,
before the Lord of all the earth.
- ⁶The heavens proclaim his righteousness,
and all the peoples see his glory.
- ⁷All worshipers of images are put to shame,
who make their boast in worthless idols;
worship him, all you gods!
- ⁸Zion hears and is glad,
and the daughters of Judah rejoice,
because of your judgments, O LORD.
- ⁹For you, O LORD, are most high over all the earth;
you are exalted far above all gods.
- ¹⁰O you who love the LORD, hate evil!
He preserves the lives of his saints;
he delivers them from the hand of the wicked.
- ¹¹Light is sown for the righteous,
and joy for the upright in heart.
- ¹²Rejoice in the LORD, O you righteous,
and give thanks to his holy name!