Psalms 104-105 (Week 34)

Mike Minear · Psalm 104 · Series: **A Year in the Psalms**

1 Bless the Lord: God's Relation to Creation

Psalm 104; Psalm 103; Genesis 1

- Bless the Lord, O my soul. O Lord my God, you are very great. You are clothed with honor and majesty.
- O Lord, how manifold are your works in wisdom you have made them all. The earth is full of your possessions.
- You send forth your spirit, they are created, and you renew the face of the earth. May the glory of the Lord endure forever.
- I will sing to the Lord as long as I live I will sing praise to my God while I have my being.
- While the previous hymn in Psalm 103 emphasize God's relation to history, this one pictures God's relation to creation.

2 Remember His Marvelous Works and His Covenant

- Oh, give thanks to the Lord, call upon his name, make known his deeds among the peoples.
- Seek the Lord and His strength, seek His face evermore. Remember His marvelous works which He has done.
- He remembers his covenant forever, the word which he commandeth for a thousand generations.
- He sent a man before them, Joseph, who was sold as a slave. The word of the Lord tested him.

3 He Sent Moses His Servant

- He sent Moses his servant and Aaron whom he had chosen. They performed his signs among them and wonders in the land of Ham.
- He also brought them out with silver and gold, and there was none feeble among his tribes.
- He spread a cloud for a covering and fire to give light in the night.
- Again the Psalmist sings a hymn of praise, this time emphasizing the wondrous act of God within the covenant relations.
- In the former God's acts were emphasized, in the latter Israel's acts of disobedience was recited.

MY NOTES