

# **Holy Matrimony**

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM  
OPTIONS  
(Choose One)**

## 9. Psalm 33

***Refrain:* The earth is full of the steadfast love of the Lord.**

Blessed is the nation whose God is the Lord,  
the people whom he has chosen as his heritage.  
Truly the eye of the Lord is on those who fear him,  
on those who hope in his steadfast love.

***Refrain:* The earth is full of the steadfast love of the Lord.**

Our soul waits for the Lord;  
he is our help and shield.  
Our heart is glad in him,  
because we trust in his holy name.

***Refrain:* The earth is full of the steadfast love of the Lord.**

Let your steadfast love, O Lord, be upon us,  
even as we hope in you.

***Refrain:* The earth is full of the steadfast love of the Lord.**

## 10. Psalm 34

***Refrain:* I will bless the Lord at all times.**

I will bless the Lord at all times;  
his praise shall continually be in my mouth.  
My soul makes its boast in the Lord;  
let the humble hear and be glad.

***Refrain:* I will bless the Lord at all times.**

O magnify the Lord with me,  
and let us exalt his name together.  
I sought the Lord, and he answered me,  
And delivered me from all my fears.

***Refrain:* I will bless the Lord at all times.**

Look to him, and be radiant;  
so your faces shall never be ashamed.  
The poor one called, and the Lord heard,  
and saved that person from every trouble.

***Refrain:* I will bless the Lord at all times.**

The Angel of the Lord encamps  
around those who fear him, and delivers them.  
O taste and see that the Lord is good;  
blessed are those who take refuge in him

***Refrain:* I will bless the Lord at all times.**

## 11. Psalm 103

***Refrain:* The Lord is merciful and gracious.**

Bless the Lord, O my soul,  
and all that is within me, bless his holy name.  
Bless the Lord, O my soul,  
and do not forget all his benefits.

***Refrain:* The Lord is merciful and gracious.**

The Lord is merciful and gracious,  
slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.  
As a father has compassion for his children,  
so the Lord has compassion for those who fear him.

***Refrain:* The Lord is merciful and gracious.**

The steadfast love of the Lord  
is from everlasting to everlasting  
on those who fear him,  
and his righteousness to children's children,  
to those who keep his covenant.

***Refrain:* The Lord is merciful and gracious.**

## 12. Psalm 112

**Refrain: Blessed is the one who greatly delights in the Lord's commandments.**

Blessed is the one who fears the Lord,  
who greatly delights in his commandments.  
Their descendants will be mighty in the land;  
the generation of the upright will be blessed.

**Refrain: Blessed is the one who greatly delights in the Lord's commandments.**

Wealth and riches are in their house,  
and their righteousness endures forever.  
Light rises in the darkness for the upright:  
gracious, merciful and righteous.

**Refrain: Blessed is the one who greatly delights in the Lord's commandments.**

It is well with the person who deals generously and lends,  
who conducts their affairs with justice.  
For the righteous person will never be moved;  
they will be remembered forever, unafraid of evil tidings.

**Refrain: Blessed is the one who greatly delights in the Lord's commandments.**

Their heart is firm, secure in the Lord.  
That person's heart is steady and will not be afraid;  
In the end they will look in triumph on their foes.

**Refrain: Blessed is the one who greatly delights in the Lord's commandments.**

One who has distributed freely, who has given to the poor,  
their righteousness endures forever:  
their name is exalted in honour.

**Refrain: Blessed is the one who greatly delights in the Lord's commandments.**

### 13. Psalm 128

***Refrain:* Blessed is everyone who fears the Lord.**

Blessed is everyone who fears the Lord,  
who walks in his ways.  
You shall eat the fruit of the labour of your hands;  
you shall be happy, and it shall go well with you.

***Refrain:* Blessed is everyone who fears the Lord.**

Your wife will be like a fruitful vine  
within your house;  
your children will be like olive shoots  
around your table.

***Refrain:* Blessed is everyone who fears the Lord.**

Thus shall the man be blessed who fears the Lord.  
The Lord bless you from Zion.  
May you see the prosperity of Jerusalem  
all the days of your life.

***Refrain:* Blessed is everyone who fears the Lord.**

## 14. Psalm 145

***Refrain:* The Lord is good to all.**

The Lord is gracious and merciful,  
slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.  
The Lord is good to all,  
and his compassion is over all that he has made.

***Refrain:* The Lord is good to all.**

All your works shall give thanks to you, O Lord,  
and all your faithful shall bless you.  
The eyes of all look to you,  
and you give them their food in due season.

***Refrain:* The Lord is good to all.**

The Lord is just in all his ways,  
and kind in all his doings.  
The Lord is near to all who call on him,  
to all who call on him in truth.

***Refrain:* The Lord is good to all.**

## 15. Psalm 148

**Refrain: Let them praise the name of the Lord.**

Praise the Lord from the heavens;  
praise him in the heights!  
Praise him, all his angels;  
praise him, all his host!

**Refrain: Let them praise the name of the Lord.**

Praise him, sun and moon;  
praise him, all you shining stars!  
Praise him, you highest heavens,  
and you waters above the heavens!

**Refrain: Let them praise the name of the Lord.**

Mountains and all hills,  
fruit trees and all cedars!  
Wild animals and all cattle,  
creeping things and flying birds!

**Refrain: Let them praise the name of the Lord.**

Kings of the earth and all peoples,  
princes and all rulers of the earth!  
Young men and women alike,  
old and young together!

**Refrain: Let them praise the name of the Lord.**

Let them praise the name of the Lord,  
for his name alone is exalted.  
His glory is above earth and heaven.  
He has raised up a horn for his people.

**Refrain: Let them praise the name of the Lord.**