

## Psalm 145 - The Responsibilities of the Tzadik

1. **I will extol** You, my G-d, O King, and **I will bless** Your name forever and ever.
2. **Every day I will bless** You, and **I will praise** Your name forever and ever.
3. Great is HASHEM, and highly to be praised, and His greatness is unsearchable.
4. One generation shall **praise Your works** to another, and shall **declare Your mighty acts**.
5. On the **glorious splendor of Your majesty** and on **Your wonderful works**, **I will meditate**.
6. Men shall **speak of the power of Your awesome acts**, and **I will tell** of Your greatness.
7. They shall **eagerly utter the memory of Your abundant goodness** and will **shout joyfully** of Your righteousness.
8. Hashem is gracious and merciful; slow to anger and great in lovingkindness.
9. Hashem is good to all, and His mercies are over all His works.
10. All Your works shall give thanks to You, O HASHEM, and **Your godly ones shall bless** You.
11. **They shall speak of the glory of Your kingdom** and **talk of Your power**;
12. To **make known to the sons of men Your mighty acts** and **the glory of the majesty of Your kingdom**.
13. Your kingdom is an everlasting kingdom, and Your dominion endures throughout all generations.
14. Hashem sustains all who fall and raises up all who are bowed down.
15. The eyes of all look to You, and You give them their food in due time.
16. You open Your hand and satisfy the desire of every living thing.
17. HASHEM is righteous in all His ways and kind in all His deeds.
18. HASHEM is near to **all who call upon Him**, to **all who call upon Him in truth**.
19. He will fulfill the desire of **those who fear Him**; He will also hear their cry and will save them.
20. HASHEM keeps **all who love Him**, but all the wicked He will destroy.
21. **My mouth will speak the praise of HASHEM**, and **all flesh will bless His holy name** forever and ever.

Commands: extol (praise enthusiastically), bless *and* praise (express admiration, respect and gratitude), declare (formally announce), speak *and* eagerly utter (convey an opinion), tell (reveal), shout joyfully (unequivocally indicate), make known.