

“Sing A Song of Praise”  
1 Samuel 2:1-11

**I. The confidence that leads to Hannah’s arises from her faith in God (vs. 1).**

**II. Hannah praises God’s holiness (v. 2).**

(Exodus 15:11; Leviticus 19:1-2;)

**III. Hannah praises God’s knowledge (v. 3).**

(1 Samuel 16:7; Job 36:4; Psalm 147:4-5; Proverbs 16:2; 1 Corinthians 4:5)

**IV. Hannah praises God’s sovereignty (v. 4-8).**

(Job 42:2; Isaiah 46:10)

**V. Hannah praises God’s rule (vs. 9-10).**

(Psalm 2:1-7)

**VI. Motherhood is the reason Hannah praises God (v. 11).**

**Application:** Being a mother is a gift from God, and it should result in Him being praised.

**Scripture References and Notes**

קֹדֶשׁ (qodesh)

- Set apart, consecrated, apartness, sacredness

ἅγιος (hagios)

- Unlike other things

Leviticus 19:1-2

<sup>1</sup> Then the Lord spoke to Moses, saying: <sup>2</sup> Speak to all the congregation of the sons of Israel and say to them, You shall be holy, for I the Lord your God am holy.

Exodus 15:11

Who is like You among the gods, O Lord? Who is like You, majestic in holiness, awesome in praises, working wonders?

Job 36:4

“For truly my words are not false; One who is perfect in knowledge is with you.

Psalms 147:4-5

<sup>4</sup> He counts the number of the stars; He gives names to all of them. <sup>5</sup> Great is our Lord and abundant in strength; His understanding is infinite.

Proverbs 16:2

All the ways of a man are clean in his own sight, but the Lord weighs the motives.

1 Corinthians 4:5

Therefore do not go on passing judgment before the time, but wait until the Lord comes who will bring to light the things hidden in the darkness and disclose the motives of men’s hearts; and then each man’s praise will come to him from God.

1 Samuel 16:7

But the Lord said to Samuel, “Do not look at his appearance or at the height of his stature, because I have rejected him; for God sees not as man sees, for man looks at the outward appearance, but the Lord looks at the heart.”

Isaiah 46:10

Declaring the end from the beginning, And from ancient times things which have not been done, Saying, ‘My purpose will be established, And I will accomplish all My good pleasure’;

Job 42:2

I know that You can do all things, and that no purpose of Yours can be thwarted.

Psalms 2:1-7

<sup>1</sup> Why are the nations in an uproar And the peoples devising a vain thing? <sup>2</sup> The kings of the earth take their stand And the rulers take counsel together Against the LORD and against His Anointed, saying, <sup>3</sup> “Let us tear their fetters apart And cast away their cords from us!” <sup>4</sup> He who sits in the heavens laughs, The Lord scoffs at them. <sup>5</sup> Then He will speak to them in His anger And terrify them in His fury, saying, <sup>6</sup> “But as for Me, I have installed My King Upon Zion, My holy mountain.” <sup>7</sup> “I will surely tell of the decree of the LORD: He said to Me, ‘You are My Son, Today I have begotten You.

“Mother”

- μήτηρ (mētér)
- one who bears the relation of a mother
- The word “mother”, in Biblical contexts referring to physical human reproduction, always refers to one who has procreated or formed another human individual, a separate and distinct individual from the mother herself. A woman who has conceived, even if the child is not yet born and even if it dies before birth, is a “mother.”