

1 Give thanks to the Lord, for he is gracious, □

for his mercy endures for ever.

2 Give thanks to the God of gods, □

for his mercy endures for ever.

3 Give thanks to the Lord of lords, □

for his mercy endures for ever;

4 Who alone does great wonders, □

for his mercy endures for ever;

5 Who by wisdom made the heavens, □

for his mercy endures for ever;

6 Who laid out the earth upon the waters, □

for his mercy endures for ever;

7 Who made the great lights, □

for his mercy endures for ever;

8 The sun to rule the day, □

for his mercy endures for ever;

9 The moon and the stars to govern the night, □

for his mercy endures for ever;

10 Who smote the firstborn of Egypt, □

for his mercy endures for ever;

11 And brought out Israel from among them, □

for his mercy endures for ever;

12 With a mighty hand and outstretched arm, □

for his mercy endures for ever;

13 Who divided the Red Sea in two, □

for his mercy endures for ever;

14 And made Israel to pass through the midst of it, □

for his mercy endures for ever;

15 But Pharaoh and his host he overthrew in the Red Sea, □

for his mercy endures for ever;

16 Who led his people through the wilderness, □

for his mercy endures for ever;

17 Who smote great kings, □

for his mercy endures for ever;

18 And slew mighty kings, □

for his mercy endures for ever;

19 Sihon, king of the Amorites, □

for his mercy endures for ever;

20 And Og, the king of Bashan, □

for his mercy endures for ever;

21 And gave away their land for a heritage, □

for his mercy endures for ever;

22 A heritage for Israel his servant, □

for his mercy endures for ever;

23 Who remembered us when we were in trouble, □

for his mercy endures for ever;

24 And delivered us from our enemies, ☩

for his mercy endures for ever;

25 Who gives food to all creatures, ☩

for his mercy endures for ever.

26 Give thanks to the God of heaven, ☩

for his mercy endures for ever.

Remember us, O God, and shape our history,

form our inward eyes

to see the shadow of the life-giving cross

in the turbulence of our time;

for his sake who died for all,

Christ our Lord.

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