

Psalm 107:1-3, 17-22ⁱⁱⁱ

¹Give thanks to the LORD, for he is good, *
and his mercy endures for ever.

²Let all those whom the LORD has redeemed proclaim *
that he redeemed them from the hand of the foe.

³He gathered them out of the lands; *
from the east and from the west, from the north and from the south.

¹⁷Some were fools and took to rebellious ways; *
they were afflicted because of their sins.

¹⁸They abhorred all manner of food *
and drew near to death's door.

¹⁹Then they cried to the LORD in their trouble, *
and he delivered them from their distress.

²⁰He sent forth his word and healed them *
and saved them from the grave.

²¹Let them give thanks to the LORD for his mercy *
and the wonders he does for his children.

²²Let them offer a sacrifice of thanksgiving *
and tell of his acts with shouts of joy.

ⁱⁱⁱ About the Psalm: Psalm 107:1-3, 17-22

This psalm encourages those whom God has rescued to give praise (vv. 1-3). Verses 17-22 recall God's healing in time of illness.