

Sabbath Psalm

- 1 It is good to give thanks to the LORD,
to sing praises to your name, O Most High;*
- 2 to declare your steadfast love in the morning,
and your faithfulness by night,*
- 3 to the music of the lute and the harp,
to the melody of the lyre.*
- 4 For you, O LORD, have made me glad by your work;
at the works of your hands I sing for joy.*
- 5 How great are your works, O LORD!
Your thoughts are very deep!*

Life As Gift

Exodus 16:29 *Bear in mind that the LORD has given you the Sabbath*

Still and Known

Exodus 31:13 Say to the Israelites, 'You must observe my Sabbaths. This will be a sign between me and you for the generations to come, so you may know that I am the LORD, who makes you holy.'

Dispelling Creation as Utility

Leviticus 23:32 It is a day of sabbath rest for you, and you must deny yourselves.

Deuteronomy 5

12"Observe the Sabbath day, to keep it holy, as the LORD your God commanded you. 13Six days you shall labor and do all your work, 14but the seventh day is a Sabbath to the LORD your God. On it you shall not do any work, you or your son or your daughter or your male servant or your female servant, or your ox or your donkey or any of your livestock, or the sojourner who is within your gates, that your male servant and your female servant may rest as well as you.

15 You shall remember that you were a slave in the land of Egypt, and the LORD your God brought you out from there with a mighty hand and an outstretched arm. Therefore the LORD your God commanded you to keep the Sabbath day.

Looking back _ reinforcing God's reality in the present



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Luke 13

10 On a Sabbath Jesus was teaching in one of the synagogues, 11 and a woman was there who had been crippled by a spirit for 18 years. She was bent over and could not straighten up at all. 12 When Jesus saw her, he called her forward and said to her, "Woman, you are set free from your infirmity." 13 Then he put his hands on her, and immediately she straightened up and praised God

Luke 13

14 Indignant because Jesus had healed on the Sabbath, the synagogue leader said to the people, “There are six days for work. So come and be healed on those days, not on the Sabbath.” 15 The Lord answered him, “You hypocrites! Doesn’t each of you on the Sabbath untie your ox or donkey from the stall and lead it out to give it water? 16 Then should not this woman, a daughter of Abraham, whom Satan has kept bound for 18 long years, be set free on the Sabbath day from what bound her?”

Looking forward _ re-imagining God’s power in the present