

# Psalm 138

**This Psalm is about the Psalmist's confidence in the Creator God.**

The Psalmist faces other existing forces in this world and then proclaims how superior the Creator God is.

**Psalms 138:1-3** [New King James] *“I will praise You with my whole heart; before the gods I will sing praises to You. I will worship toward Your holy temple, and praise Your name for Your lovingkindness and Your truth; for You have magnified Your word above all Your name. In the day when I cried out, You answered me, and made me bold with strength in my soul.”*

**The Psalmist speaks of the goodness and faithfulness of the Creator God.**

**Psalms 138:4-5** [New King James] *“All the kings of the earth shall praise You, O LORD, when they hear the words of Your mouth. Yes, they shall sing of the ways of the LORD, for great is the glory of the LORD.”*

**Eventually all the human rulers of the earth will be forced to join the Psalmist in praising the Creator God.**

This is a prophetic statement that will only be fulfilled after the Second Coming of Jesus Christ, this time as *“King of kings,”* [Revelation 17:14; Revelation 19:11-16].

**The Creator God that the Psalmist worships gives the poor and humble priority over the high and proud, [verse 6].**

Rescues the Psalmist from his enemies and gives him abiding security because of his faithfulness, [verse 7].

**Psalms 138:8** [New King James] *“The LORD will perfect that which concerns me; Your mercy, O LORD, endures forever; do not forsake the works of Your hands.”*

This same confidence in the Creator God is found in Paul's letter to the Christians in Philippi.

**Philippians 1:6** [New King James] *“being confident of this very thing, that He who has begun a good work in you will complete it until the day of Jesus Christ;”*

**Tells of the confidence we all as true Christians should have in the Creator God, when coupled with the prayer of Philippians 1:9-11 which tells what our part in the work that the Creator God is doing in our lives.**