

Refrain Entrance Praise

Writer not named · Book IV

"A Psalm of thanksgiving."

PICTURE WORD

Pasture

IN ONE SENTENCE



Enter his gates with thanks and joy, for the LORD is God, we are his sheep, and his kindness lasts forever.

Remember it: One hundred: we're his sheep, so enter his gates with thanks.

MEMORY VERSE

Know that Yahweh, he is God. It is he who has made us, and we are his. We are his people, and the sheep of his pasture.

Psalm 100:3 · World English Bible

HEBREW WORD

צֹאן

"flock" · verse 3

In the Psalms: sixteen times, in 13 psalms

צֹאן is the Hebrew word for a flock, sheep and goats together, the small animals a shepherd leads and feeds. Israel often called itself the flock of God's pasture. We did not make ourselves; we belong to the Shepherd who made us, and that is the reason for the joy.

HOW THE PSALM MOVES

- 1-2 Shout for joy and serve the LORD gladly.
- 3 Know the LORD is God; we are his sheep.
- 4-5 Enter his gates with thanks; his love endures forever.

MY NOTES



Listen. Hear Psalm 100 sung in the **Psalm Song** app, or free at ispress.de/psalms/100.

Cantillated. Sung: chanted back and forth between a leader and the people.

Praise & Thanksgiving

The LORD Reigns

FILL IN THE BLANKS

Enter his _____ with thanks and joy, for the LORD is God, we are his
_____, and his _____ lasts forever.

CHECK YOURSELF

1. How are we to serve the LORD?

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| ☐ (A) With fear | ☐ (B) With gladness |
| ☐ (C) With sacrifice | ☐ (D) With silence |

2. Who made us, according to verse 3?

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| ☐ (A) Our fathers | ☐ (B) The LORD |
| ☐ (C) The earth | ☐ (D) The king |

3. What endures to all generations?

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| ☐ (A) His faithfulness | ☐ (B) The temple |
| ☐ (C) The kingdom | ☐ (D) The law of Moses |

TALK IT OVER

1. What commands does this short psalm give, and what reasons follow them?

2. What does it mean that "we are his" and not our own?

3. How could you "enter his gates with thanksgiving" at church or home this week?

IN YOUR OWN WORDS: WHAT DOES PSALM 100 TEACH?

- ☐ I listened to the song
☐ I can say verse 3 by heart

- ☐ I can say what it teaches
☐ I know the picture word