

Psalm 97

(To the tune of Hail Sovereign Love)

Verse 1

The Lord Yah-weh, yes He does reign
Let all the earth now come, re-joice
The many coast-lands now be glad
Clouds and thick dark-ness all a-round

Right-eous-ness and just-ice they are
The great found-a-tions of His throne
The Fi-re goes be-fore Him and
Burns up all of His en-e-mies

Verse 2

His light-nings light up all the world
The earth sees O and it tremb-les
The moun-tains melt like wax be-fore
Be-fore the Lord of all the earth

The heav-ens pro-claim His Just-ice
And all peo-ples see His glor-y
All wor-ship-ers of im-a-ges
They are o-pen-ly put to shame

Verse 3

All those who wor-ship im-a-ges
They make their boast in their i-dols
But Yah-weh calls to all you “gods”
O bow before Him and wor-ship

Now Zi-on hears and it is glad
The daugh-ters of Ju-dah re-joice
Be-cause of Your judg-ments O Lord
Ya-weh You’re most high o-ver all

Verse 4

O You Yah-weh are ex-al-ted
Far a-bove all the o-ther “gods”
Those who love Yah-weh hate evil
He keeps the lives of all His saints

He re-scues them from wi-cked hands
And the light dawns for right-eous man
And joy for the up-right in heart
Re-joice in Yah-weh and give thanks