

Reflection on Psalm 117

Our vision of praise tends to be
small,
narrow, and
uniform.

We who call ourselves “Christian”
praise God,
and we praise Him in a certain way.

But every nation,
every people,
every person
was individually fashioned by Him.
Each of us is a unique expression of
His image and of
His goodness and greatness.
Each of us has our own story to tell of
His unfailing love and
His absolute dependability.
Each of us and all of us,
in all our
unity and
wild diversity,
are to offer Him
our one-of-a-kind selves in praise.

As we see Him for who He is and
ourselves for who we are,
His uniquely glorious and dearly loved children,
how can we help but
praise Him?
How can we help but
tell and show
everyone
just how very wonderful He is?

Praise the Lord!
Everyone,
PRAISE THE LORD!

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