

Psalm 29

v1 – ascribe	(verb)	regard a quality as belonging to someone
v1 – mighty	(adjective)	powerful
v1 – the LORD	(proper noun)	God’s personal name
v1 – glory	(noun)	greatness; fame; beauty
v2 – due	(adjective)	owing to; proper for
v2 – splendour	(noun)	beauty; impressiveness
v2 – holiness	(noun)	perfection; separateness
v3 – thunders	(verb)	makes a loud noise, like thunder in the sky
v4 – majestic	(adjective)	beautiful; dignified; impressive; grand
v5 – cedars	(noun)	a type of tree



v5 – Lebanon	(proper noun)	a country near Israel that was famous for its cedar trees
v6 – calf	(noun)	a young cow
v6 – Sirion	(proper noun)	a mountain range between Lebanon and Syria
v6 – wild	(adjective)	growing in natural surroundings without human intervention
v6 – ox	(noun)	a castrated adult male cow
v7 – strikes	(verb)	hits deliberately
v7 – flashes	(noun)	sudden appearances
v8 – shakes	(verb)	moves quickly back and forth
v8 – Desert of Kadesh	(proper noun)	desert to the south-west of Israel
v9 – twists	(verb)	turns something to make a spiral shape
v9 – oaks	(noun)	a type of tree



v9 – strips	(verb)	takes off in layers
v9 – bare	(adjective)	not covered
v9 – temple	(noun)	the place in Jerusalem where God symbolically dwells

v10 – enthroned	(adjective)	placed on a throne; recognised as ruler
v10 – flood	(noun)	large amount of water covering an area that is usually dry
v11 – blesses	(verb)	shows favour to

Psalms 29 (New International Reader's Version)

A psalm of David

- ¹ Praise the LORD, you angels in heaven.
Praise the LORD for his glory and strength.
- ² Praise the LORD for the glory that belongs to him.
Worship the LORD because of his beauty and holiness.
- ³ The voice of the LORD is heard over the waters.
The God of glory thunders.
The LORD thunders over the mighty waters.
- ⁴ The voice of the LORD is powerful.
The voice of the LORD is majestic.
- ⁵ The voice of the LORD breaks the cedar trees.
The LORD breaks the cedars of Lebanon into pieces.
- ⁶ He makes the mountains of Lebanon leap like a calf.
He makes Mount Hermon jump like a young wild ox.
- ⁷ The voice of the LORD strikes
with flashes of lightning.
- ⁸ The voice of the LORD shakes the desert.
The LORD shakes the Desert of Kadesh.
- ⁹ The voice of the LORD twists the oak trees.
It strips the forests bare.
And in his temple everyone cries out, "Glory!"
- ¹⁰ The LORD on his throne rules over the flood.
The LORD rules from his throne as King forever.
- ¹¹ The LORD gives strength to his people.
The LORD blesses his people with peace.

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