



## **Read Psalm 65**

### **Discussion Questions:**

1. How can we cultivate a heart that is close to God in the mundane moments of our daily lives, similar to how David developed his musical talents while tending sheep?

In what ways does the paradox of silence and praise in Psalm 65 challenge our understanding of how to worship God?

How might recognizing God's role in the ordinary aspects of life, like farming and food production, change our perspective on His providence?

What are some practical ways we can develop a sense of awe for God's creation and character in our increasingly distracted and digital world?

How does the psalmist's description of God's power over nature (forming mountains, stilling seas) relate to His ability to calm the 'tumult of nations' in our lives today?

In what ways does Jesus' fulfillment of the promises in Psalm 65 deepen our understanding of God's character and His desire for relationship with us?

How can we balance the twin aspects of worship - awe and obedience - in our daily lives as followers of Christ?

What does it mean for us to be 'human in a new way' as a result of Christ's work, and how does this relate to being 'fully alive' as mentioned by Irenaeus?

How might viewing ourselves and others as 'the glory of God' impact our relationships and interactions in daily life?

In what ways can we cultivate a perspective that sees God's hand in 'every truly good thing in life,' especially during challenging times?