<u>Series</u>: March For Missions <u>Title</u>: A Missionary's Psalm Psalm 67

Psalm 67, a missionary's psalm.

1) Jew and Gentile come together to praise and fear God.

- 2) "The nations" are mentioned 3 times.
- 3) "The earth" is mentioned 4 times.
- 4) "The peoples" are mentioned 5 times.

I. God's salvation must be known among the nations.

(Ps 67:1-3)

- Jesus said in Luke 19:10, "for the Son of Man has come to seek and to save that which was lost."

A) We must tell of His mercy. (67:1) (Num 6:24-26)

1) Be merciful,

2) Bless

3) Cause your face to shine upon us.

- His grace is the source of all benefits and is underserved and unmerited. No works salvation here! (Proverbs 16:15)

B) We must instruct in His ways. 67:2

C) We must lead in His praise. 67:3

II. God's righteousness must be known among the nations (Ps 67:4-5)

A) Tell them He is a God of justice. 67:4

- 1) You judge the people righteously
- 2) [You] govern the nations on earth.

B) Tell them He is a God of joy. 67:5

III. God's goodness must be known among the nations. (Ps 67:6-7)

A) God desires to bless us. (Ps 67:6)

B) God expects that we honor Him. (Ps 67:7)

- 1) God will bless the Christian,
- 2) God will bless the Church that seeks His blessing for the salvation of the unreached peoples of the world.
- 3) Psalm 67 teaches us that God- centered authentic worship is the fuel that energizes and drives a global missions passion, a global missions focus.

(Psalm 86:8-10)