

This is dedicated to my kindergarten students from New Life Tabernacle Church School for it was they who started me on the road to writing - a lot of songs. You see each week they had a Bible verse to memorize. Although short and simple, they were still hard for little kids to commit to memory and recite. However, I noticed that they could sing for hours all of the songs they learned during worship services. It occurred to me that if I put their memory verses to music, they would learn them easier and faster and would be the envy of the school! I did, and now many of the choruses on this CD resulted from that exercise.

I also envy the songwriter who had his/her song on Israel's national music charts for hundreds of years! 😊

**OH GIVE THANKS UNTO THE LORD FOR HE IS GOOD
HIS MERCY ENDURETH FOREVER**

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CHORUS:

C G/C F/C C
OH GIVE THANKS UNTO THE LORD FOR HE IS GOOD
F G C
HIS MERCY ENDURETH FOREVER (repeat)

I Chronicles 16:34 C G F C
All Israel brought up the Ark of God
 F G C
and set it in the midst of David's tent
 C G F C
With sacrifices and burnt offerings
 F G C
the people praised the Lord and said . . .

CHORUS:

C G/C F/C C
OH GIVE THANKS UNTO THE LOBD FOR HE IS GOOD
F G C
HIS MERCY ENDURETH FOREVER (repeat)

It Chronicles 5:13 &7:3 C G F C
The priests could not minister in Solomon's Temple
 F G C
by reason of the Cloud
 C G F C
For the glory of the Lord filled the house
 F G C
As the musicians made one sound . . .

CHORUS:

C **G/C** **F/C** **C**
OH GIVE THANKS UNTO THE LORD FOR HE IS GOOD

F **G** **C**
HIS MERCY ENDURETH FOREVER (repeat)

Chronicles 20:21&22 **C** **G** **F** **C**
Enemies came against Jehosaphat

F **G** **C**
But God said, "Be not afraid".

C **G** **F** **G**
In faith send forth the musicians to go

F **G** **C**
before the army and say ..."

CHORUS:

C **G/C** **F/C** **C**
OH GIVE THANKS UNTO THE LORD FOR HE IS GOOD

F **G** **C**
HIS MERCY ENDURETH FOREVER (repeat)

Jeremiah chapters 27 - 32 **C** **G** **F** **C**
(My favorite verse!) Jeremiah prophesied restoration

F **G** **C**
that the sacrifice of praise

G **F** **C**
that the voice of joy and gladness would return

F **G** **C**
and again Zion shall say . . .

CHORUS:

C **G/C** **F/C** **C**
OH GIVE THANKS UNTO THE LORD FOR HE IS GOOD

F **G** **C**
HIS MERCY ENDURETH FOREVER (repeat)

(Repeat Chorus completely to end song)