

# Psalm 79:13

*So we, your people and sheep of your pasture, will give you thanks forever; we will show forth your praise to all generations. NKJV*

## **People:**

ʾam-a people (as a congregated unit); specifically, a tribe (as those of Israel); hence (collectively) troops or attendants; figuratively, a flock

## **Sheep:**

tso'n-migrate; a collective name for a flock (of sheep or goats); also figuratively (of men)

## **Pasture:**

mir`iyth-feeding; pasturage; concretely, a flock

## **Thanks:**

Yada-to use (i.e. hold out) the hand; physically, to throw (a stone, an arrow) at or away; especially to revere or worship (with extended hands)

## **Show forth:**

Caphar-score with a mark as a tally or record, i.e. (by implication) to inscribe, and also to enumerate; intensively, to recount, i.e. celebrate

## **Praise:**

Tehillah-laudation; specifically (concretely) a hymn

## **Generations:**

Dowr-a revolution of time, i.e. an age or generation; also a dwelling

You might read this psalm like this: “So we your flock, the ones who depend on you for a good pasture to feed in, hold out our hands to you in reverence and worship for eternity. We will celebrate you with hymns of spontaneous praise for all generations to hear.”

## **Scripture references:**

Psalm 95:7

*For He is our God, and we are the people of his pasture, and the sheep of his hand. Today, if you will hear his voice...*

Psalm 100:3

*Know that the Lord, he is God; it is he who has made us, and not we ourselves; We are his people and the sheep of his pasture.*

Psalm 51:15

*O Lord, open my lips, and my mouth shall show forth your praise.*

Psalm 45:17

*I will make your name to be remembered in all generations; therefore the people shall praise you forever and ever.*

Psalm 89:1

*I will sing of the mercies of the Lord forever; with my mouth will I make known your faithfulness to all generations.*

Psalm 102:12

*But You, O Lord, shall endure forever, and the remembrance of your name to all generations.*

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