

firstbaptistchurch

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CHURCH ●

MISSION

January 3, 2021

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God, The Uncreated One

All Creatures of Our God and King

Verse 1

All creatures of our God and King
Lift up your voice and with us sing

Oh praise Him
Alleluia

Thou burning sun with golden beam
Thou silver moon with softer gleam
Oh praise Him Oh praise Him
Alleluia alleluia alleluia

Verse 2

Let all things their Creator bless
And worship Him in humbleness
Oh praise Him

Alleluia

Praise praise the Father praise the Son
And praise the Spirit Three-in-One
Oh praise Him Oh praise Him
Alleluia alleluia alleluia

Verse 3

All the redeemed washed by His blood
Come and rejoice in His great love

Oh praise Him
Alleluia

Christ has defeated every sin
Cast all your burdens now on Him
Oh praise Him Oh praise Him
Alleluia alleluia alleluia

Verse 4

He shall return in pow'r to reign
Heaven and earth will join to say

Oh praise Him
Alleluia

Then who shall fall on bended knee
All creatures of our God and King
Oh praise Him Oh praise Him
Alleluia alleluia alleluia

Tag

Oh praise Him Oh praise Him
Alleluia alleluia alleluia

CCLI Song # 6529800

Verse 1

God the uncreated One
The Author of salvation
Wrote the laws of space and time
And fashioned worlds to His design
The One whom angel hosts revere
Hung the stars like chandeliers
Numbered every grain of sand
Knows the heart of every man
He is King forever He is King forever
He is King forevermore

Verse 2

God our fortress and our strength
The Rock on which we can depend
Matchless in His majesty
His power and authority
Unshaken by the schemes of man
Never changing Great I am
Kingdoms rise and kingdoms fall
He is faithful through it all
Crown Him King forever
Crown Him King forever
Crown Him King forevermore

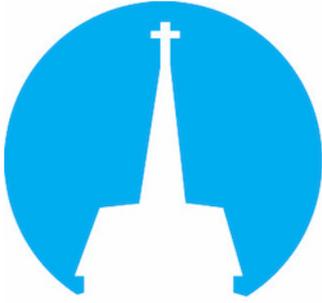
Verse 3

Mighty God in mortal flesh
Forsaken by a traitor's kiss
The curse of sin and centuries
Did pierce the lowly Prince of Peace
Lifted high the sinless man
Crucified the spotless Lamb
Buried by the sons of man
Rescued by the Father's hand
To reign as King forever
Reign as King forever
Reign as King forevermore

Verse 4

King eternal God of grace
We crown You with the highest praise
Heaven shouts and saints adore
You're holy holy holy Lord
What joy in everlasting life
All is love and faith is sight
Justice rolls and praises rise
At the name of Jesus Christ
King of kings forever King of kings forever
King of kings forevermore
King of kings forever King of kings forever
King of kings forevermore

CCLI Song # 7057478



Not What My Hands Have Done

Verse 1

Not what my hands have done
can save my guilty soul
not what my toiling flesh has borne
can make my spirit whole
Not what I feel or do
can give me peace with God
not all my prayers and sighs and tears
can bear my awful load

Verse 2

Thy work alone O Christ
Can ease this weight of sin
Thy blood alone O Lamb of God
Can give me peace within
Thy love to me O God
Not mine O Lord to Thee
Can rid me of this dark unrest
And set my spirit free

Verse 3

Thy grace alone O God
To me can pardon speak
Thy power alone O Son of God
Can this sore bondage break
No other work save thine
No other blood will do
No strength save that which is divine
Can bear me safely through

Verse 4

I bless the Christ of God
I rest on love divine
And with unfaltering lip and heart
I call this Savior mine
His cross dispels each doubt
I bury in His tomb
Each thought of unbelief and fear
Each ling'ring shade of gloom

Verse 5

I praise the God of grace
I trust His truth and might
He calls me His I call Him mine
My God my joy my light
Tis He who saveth me
and freely pardon gives
I love because He loveth me
I live because He lives

CCLI Song # 3503788

O Lord, My Rock and My Redeemer

Verse 1

O Lord, my Rock and my Redeemer
Greatest treasure of my longing soul
My God, like You there is no other
True delight is found in You alone
Your grace, a well too deep to fathom
Your love exceeds the heavens' reach
Your truth, a fount of perfect wisdom
My highest good and my unending need

Verse 2

O Lord, my Rock and my Redeemer
Strong defender of my weary heart
My sword to fight the cruel deceiver
And my shield against his hateful darts
My song when enemies surround me
My hope when tides of sorrow rise
My joy when trials are abounding
Your faithfulness, my refuge in the night

Verse 3

O Lord, my Rock and my Redeemer
Gracious Savior of my ruined life
My guilt and cross laid on Your shoulders
In my place You suffered bled and died
You rose, the grave and death are conquered
You broke my bonds of sin and shame
You rose, the grave and death are conquered
You broke my bonds of sin and shame

Tag

O Lord, my Rock and my Redeemer
May all my days bring glory to Your Name
May all my days bring glory to Your Name

CCLI #7096627

His Mercy is More

Verse 1

What love could remember
no wrongs we have done
Omniscient all-knowing
He counts not their sum
Thrown into a sea
without bottom or shore
Our sins they are many
His mercy is more

Chorus

Praise the Lord
His mercy is more
Stronger than darkness
new every morn
Our sins they are many
His mercy is more

Verse 2

What patience would wait
as we constantly roam
What Father so tender
is calling us home
He welcomes the weakest
the vilest the poor
Our sins they are many
His mercy is more

Chorus

Verse 3

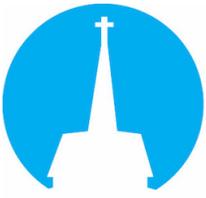
What riches of kindness
He lavished on us
His blood was the payment
His life was the cost
We stood 'neath a debt
We could never afford
Our sins they are many
His mercy is more

Chorus (Repeat)

Tag

Our sins they are many
His mercy is more

CCLI Song # 7065053

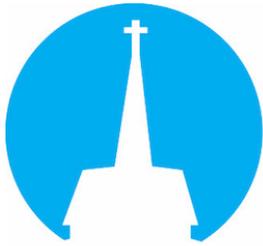


He Who Sits On The Throne **Revelation 4:1-11**

Main Idea: John is brought to the heavenly throne where he sees the heavenly host glorifying God as the holy, omnipotent, eternal God of creation.

I. The vision of the one who sits on the throne (vv. 1-7)

II. The praise of the one who sits on the throne (vv. 8-11)



Reformation Song

Verse 1

Your Word alone is solid ground
The mighty rock on which we build
In every line the truth is found
And every page with glory filled

Verse 2

Through faith alone we come to You
We have no merit we can claim
Sure that Your promises are true
We place our hope in Jesus' name

Chorus

Gloria gloria
Glory to God alone
Gloria gloria
Glory to God alone

Verse 3

In Christ alone we're justified
His righteousness is all our plea
Your law's demands are satisfied
His perfect work has set us free

Chorus

Gloria gloria
Glory to God alone
Gloria gloria
Glory to God alone

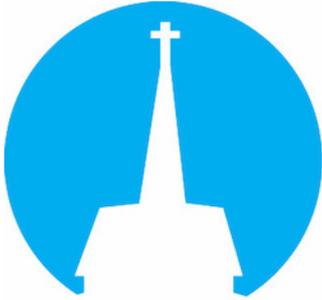
Verse 4

By grace alone we have been saved
All that we are has come from You
Hearts that were once by sin enslaved
Now by Your pow'r have been made new

Chorus

Gloria gloria glory to God alone
Gloria gloria glory to God alone
(Repeat)

CCLI Song # 7088632



Prayer

Our Church Family: Andrew & Sarah Jones; Drew & JP

Our Leaders: Eric Holcomb, Governor of Indiana

Our Missionaries: Lloyd and Marty Larkin/Utah

Our Partners in the Gospel: College Park Church, Carmel

Questions for Study and Discussion

1. What are the descriptions of God in vv. 1-7 meant to teach us about God? Who are these twenty-four elders and four living creatures in the text? What is the Old Testament background to these verses? What caution do we need to exercise when interpreting this vision? What does the symbolism in these verses teach us about our ability to know God?
2. What does the praise of the four living creatures tell us about God in v. 8? What is the doctrine about God that we learned and why does it matter? What is the substance of the praise given to God by the twenty-four elders in v. 11? What encouragement would this bring to these seven churches? What encouragement does this bring to you? What will you do this week to know and worship God?

We are a gospel family committed to being and making disciples
of Jesus for the glory of God.