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October 4, 2020

Call to Worship

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Philemon 25

Behold Our God

Verse 1

Who has held the oceans in His hands
Who has numbered every grain of sand
Kings and nations tremble at His voice
All creation rises to rejoice

Verse 2

Who has given counsel to the Lord
Who can question any of His words
Who can teach the One
who knows all things
Who can fathom
all His wondrous deeds

Chorus

Behold our God
seated on His throne
Come let us adore Him
Behold our King
nothing can compare
Come let us adore Him

Verse 3

Who has felt the nails upon His hands
Bearing all the guilt of sinful man
God eternal humbled to the grave
Jesus Savior risen now to reign
God eternal humbled to the grave
Jesus Savior risen now to reign

Chorus

Bridge

You will reign forever
(Let Your glory fill the earth)
You will reign forever
(Let Your glory fill the earth)
You will reign forever
(Let Your glory fill the earth)
You will reign forever
(Let Your glory fill the earth)

(Repeat)

Chorus

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God Moves in a Mysterious Way

Verse 1

God moves in a mysterious way
His wonders to perform
He plants His footsteps in the sea
And rides upon the storm

Verse 2

Deep in unfathomable mines
Of never-failing skill
He treasures up His bright designs
And works His sovereign will

Chorus

God of mercy
God of grace
Give us eyes to see
Eyes to see Your smiling face
within the mystery
within the mystery

Verse 3

Ye fearful saints fresh courage take
The clouds ye so much dread
Are big with mercy and shall break
In blessings on your head

Verse 4

Judge not the Lord by feeble sense
But trust Him for His grace
Behind a frowning providence
He hides a smiling face

Chorus

Verse 5

His purposes will ripen fast
Unfolding every hour
The bud may have a bitter taste
But sweet will be the flower

Verse 6

Blind unbelief is sure to err
And scan His work in vain
God is His own interpreter
And He will make it plain

Chorus

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God Has Decided

Verse 1

God has decided to save my lost soul
God has decided to save my lost soul
God has decided to save my lost soul
No turning back, no turning back

Verse 2

Christ has decided to die in my place
Christ has decided to die in my place
Christ has decided to die in my place
No turning back, no turning back

Verse 3

The Holy Spirit now lives inside me
The Holy Spirit now lives inside me
The Holy Spirit now lives inside me
No turning back, no turning back

Verse 4

The love of God will forever hold me
The love of God will forever hold me
The love of God will forever hold me
He won't let go, He won't let go
No turning back, no turning back

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Come Behold the Wondrous Mystery

Verse 1

Come behold the wondrous myst'ry
In the dawning of the King
He the theme of heaven's praises
Robed in frail humanity
In our longing in our darkness
Now the light of life has come
Look to Christ who condescended
Took on flesh to ransom us

Verse 2

Come behold the wondrous myst'ry
He the perfect Son of Man
In His living in His suffering
Never trace nor stain of sin
See the true and better Adam
Come to save the hell-bound man
Christ the great and sure fulfillment
Of the law in Him we stand

Verse 3

Come behold the wondrous myst'ry
Christ the Lord upon the tree
In the stead of ruined sinners
Hangs the Lamb in victory
See the price of our redemption
See the Father's plan unfold
Bringing many sons to glory
Grace unmeasured love untold

Verse 4

Come behold the wondrous myst'ry
Slain by death the God of life
But no grave could e'er restrain Him
Praise the Lord He is alive
What a foretaste of deliv'rance
How unwavering our hope
Christ in power resurrected
As we will be when He comes

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Show Us Christ

Verse 1

Prepare our hearts O God
Help us to receive
Break the hard and stony ground
Help our unbelief
Plant Your Word down deep in us
'Cause it to bear fruit
Open up our ears to hear
Lead us in Your truth

Chorus

Show us Christ show us Christ
O God reveal Your glory
Through the preaching of Your Word
Until every heart confesses
Christ is Lord

Verse 2

Your Word is living light
Upon our darkened eyes
Guards us through temptations
Makes the simple wise
Your Word is food for famished ones
Freedom for the slave
Riches for the needy soul
Come speak to us today

Chorus

Show us Christ show us Christ
O God reveal Your glory
Through the preaching of Your Word
Until every heart confesses
Christ is Lord

Bridge

Where else can we go Lord
Where else can we go
You have the words of eternal life
Where else can we go Lord
Where else can we go
You have the words of eternal life

(Repeat)

Chorus

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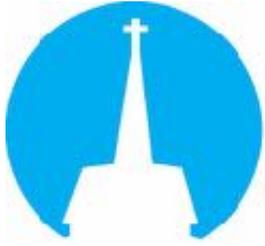
The Vision of the Son of Man Revelation 1:9-20

MAIN IDEA: John is called by Jesus to write to the seven churches of Asia and gives them a vision of himself as the Sovereign, Living Lord over his church and the universe.

I. Jesus calls John (vv. 9-11)

II. Jesus in the midst of his churches (vv. 12-16)

III. Jesus is the Sovereign, Living Lord (vv. 17-20)



All Glory Be to Christ

Verse 1

Should nothing of our efforts stand
No legacy survive
Unless the Lord does raise the house
In vain its builders strive
To you who boast tomorrow's gain
Tell me what is your life
A mist that vanishes at dawn
All glory be to Christ

Chorus

All glory be to Christ our king
All glory be to Christ
His rule and reign we'll ever sing
All glory be to Christ

Verse 2

His will be done His kingdom come
On earth as is above
Who is Himself our daily bread
Praise Him the Lord of love
Let living water satisfy
The thirsty without price
We'll take a cup of kindness yet
All glory be to Christ

Chorus

All glory be to Christ our king
All glory be to Christ
His rule and reign we'll ever sing
All glory be to Christ

Verse 3

When on the day the great I Am
The faithful and the true
The Lamb who was for sinners slain
Is making all things new
Behold our God shall live with us
And be our steadfast light
And we shall e'er his people be
All glory be to Christ

Chorus

(Repeat)

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Prayer

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Our Missionaries: Lloyd & Marty Larkin/Trinity Baptist Church, Utah

Our Partners in the Gospel: The District Church, Indianapolis

Questions for Study and Discussion

1. According to v.9, what are the present realities for John and his audience? What does this teach us as Christians today? What is the meaning of “a loud voice like a trumpet” in v. 10? What is the significance of that for us as a church?
2. Why are the churches of God described as lampstands? What is the significance of Jesus in the midst of these lampstands? What is Jesus like according to vv. 12-16? What ideas or images do you have of Jesus that are incorrect? What ways are you challenged or encouraged according to John’s vision of Jesus in vv. 12-16?
3. How does Jesus comfort John in vv. 17-18? What comfort does this bring you? What is the meaning of the mystery in v. 20? How does this encourage you as the church? How does this challenge you as the church? Read ahead this next week in Revelation 2-3, and ask yourself how Jesus’ message to those churches corrects and encourages you.

Next Week: Revelation 2:1-7

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