

1. Who You Say I Am

Who am I that the highest King
Would welcome me
I was lost but He brought me in
Oh His love for me, oh His love for me

Who the Son sets free, oh is free indeed
I'm a child of God, Yes I am

Free at last, He has ransomed me
His grace runs deep
While I was a slave to sin
Jesus died for me, Yes He died for me

Who the Son sets free, oh is free indeed
I'm a child of God, Yes I am
In my Father's house there's a place for me
I'm a child of God, yes I am

I am chosen not forsaken
I am who You say I am
You are for me not against me
I am who You say I am

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2. Our God

Water You turned into wine
Opened the eyes of the blind
There's no one like You
None like You

Into the darkness You shine
Out of the ashes we rise
There's no one like You
None like You

Our God is greater, our God is stronger
God You are higher than any other
Our God is healer, awesome in power
our God our God

And if our God is for us
Then who could ever stop us
And if our God is with us
Then what could stand against

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3. O Come To The Altar

Are you hurting and broken within
Overwhelmed by the weight of your sin
Jesus is calling
Have you come to the end of yourself
Do you thirst for a drink from the well
Jesus is calling

O come to the altar
The Father's arms are open wide
Forgiveness was bought with
The precious blood of Jesus Christ

Leave behind your regrets and mistakes
Come today there's no reason to wait
Jesus is calling
Bring your sorrows and trade them for joy
From the ashes a new life is born
Jesus is calling

O come to the altar
The Father's arms are open wide
Forgiveness was bought with
The precious blood of Jesus Christ

Oh what a Savior, isn't he wonderful
Sing alleluia Christ is risen
Bow down before him for he is Lord of all
Sing alleluia Christ is risen

O come to the altar
The Father's arms are open wide
Forgiveness was bought with
The precious blood of Jesus Christ

Bear your cross as you wait for the crown
Tell the world of the treasure you've found

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4. Revelation Song

Worthy is the Lamb Who was slain
Holy holy is He
Sing a new song to Him Who sits on
Heaven's mercy seat

Holy holy holy is the Lord God Almighty
Who was and is and is to come
With all creation I sing praise to the King of kings
You are my ev'rything, and I will adore You

Clothed in rainbows of living color
Flashes of lightning rolls of thunder
Blessing and honor strength and glory
And power be to You the only wise King

Holy holy holy is the Lord God Almighty
Who was and is and is to come
With all creation I sing praise to the King of kings
You are my ev'rything, and I will adore You

Filled with wonder awestruck wonder
At the mention of Your name
Jesus Your name is power breath and living water
Such a marv'lous mystery yeah

Holy holy holy is the Lord God Almighty
Who was and is and is to come
With all creation I sing praise to the King of kings
You are my ev'rything, and I will adore You

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5. Even So Come

All of creation all of the earth
Make straight a highway a path for the Lord
Jesus is coming soon

Call back the sinner wake up the saint
Let ev'ry nation shout of Your fame
Jesus is coming soon

Like a bride waiting for her groom
We'll be a Church ready for You
Ev'ry heart longing for our King we sing
Even so come Lord Jesus come
Even so come Lord Jesus come

There will be justice all will be new
Your name forever faithful and true
Jesus is coming soon

Like a bride waiting for her groom
We'll be a Church ready for You
Ev'ry heart longing for our King we sing
Even so come Lord Jesus come
Even so come Lord Jesus come

So we wait we wait for You
God we wait You're coming soon
So we wait we wait for You
God we wait You're coming soon

Like a bride waiting for her groom
We'll be a Church ready for You
Ev'ry heart longing for our King we sing
Even so come Lord Jesus come
Even so come Lord Jesus come

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The Church & Culture Series: Church, Culture & Sex, Gen 1:27; I Cor 6:11
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Logical Plane: Three Cultural Options for Right and Wrong

- *Theonomous* culture- God's law.
- *Heteronomous* culture- The law of others (the powerful).
- *Autonomous* culture- Self law.

Ultimately, we end up in the middle.

Theological Plane: Marriage, just like ethnicity, is sacred

Relational Plane: We must be a light of truth and love to the lost. Ephesians 4:14; I John 3:18; II John 1-3

Our Culture: Saturated with Sex: fornication, adultery, pornography, prostitution, sex slavery, cohabitation, hooking up, pedophilia, clergy sexual abuse, etc.

God's High Purpose for Sex: Marriage.

Genesis 1:27- *So God created man in his own image, in the image of God he created him; male and female he created them.*

Genesis 2:24- *a man shall leave his father and his mother and hold fast to his wife, and they shall become one flesh.*

Ephesians 5:22-33- *...the two shall become one flesh... This mystery is profound, and I am saying that it refers to Christ and the church....*

Cohabitation- the present cultural norm:

Resources: FRC: What Americans think and what social science says about cohabitation: <https://www.frc.org/get.cfm?i=PV19L01>.

[The Ring Makes All the Difference: The Hidden Consequences of Cohabitation and the Strong Benefits of Marriage.](#) Glenn T. Stanton, Moody Publishers

What is the Purpose of our Bodies?

I Corinthians 6:13- *The body is not meant for sexual immorality, but for the Lord, and the Lord for the body.*

The higher purpose of our bodies in sexual intimacy is to build and maintain a relational bond between two of His creatures who make a commitment for life for His glory and their own good. God hates anything that tears that bond apart. Malachi 2:13-16; Proverbs 5:3-20.

The Boundaries to Protect Marriage:

- Prostitution- Lev 19:29; Deut 23:18; Prov 6:25-26;
- Sexual violence- Deut 22:25-27;
- Bestiality- Lev 18:23; 20:15-16;
- Incest- Lev 18:6; I Cor 5:1-2;
- Adultery or any sex outside of marriage- Exod 20:14; Lev 20:10; Prov 6:28-32; Matt 19:7-9; Rom 13:9; Heb 13:4.

Same Sex Relations:

Leviticus 18:22- *...it is an abomination.*

Romans 1:18-32- *... dishonorable passions... [un]natural relations....*

Gender Confusion:

Of course, God created us all *male and female*. Also, this seem an obvious denial of science, (hint: *chromosomes*).

The Spirit of our Response: humility, repentance and obedience.

Just How Do We Respond?

- **Minority response:** Home grown in T-Town. "No hope for sinners."
- **Majority response:** "God is love and nothing else. Anything goes in our church."
- **Biblical response:** **I Corinthians 6:9** *do you not know that the unrighteous will not inherit the kingdom of God? Do not be deceived: neither the sexually immoral, nor idolaters, nor adulterers, nor men who practice homosexuality¹⁰ nor thieves, nor the greedy, nor drunkards, nor revilers, nor swindlers will inherit the kingdom of God. ¹¹ And such were some of you.*

THE GOOD NEWS: **However**, you were washed, you were sanctified, you were justified in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ and by the Spirit of our God.

Our Identity is not "hetero", "homo" or "trans"... But "sinners". **Jesus calls each sinner to deny himself and take up his cross and follow me.** Luke 9:23

Resource: "And Such Were Some of You." <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VKSFPdyH8x4>

Therefore, TAKE HEED: Romans 2:1-5 **It is not our judgment, but God's kindness that leads the lost (and us) to repentance.**

Psalm 145 tells us what we need to know about His love and mercy.



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Our missions partner today is **Lifeline Children's Services** (Harbor Families, Crisis Pregnancy & Domestic Abuse) www.lifelinechild.org



Lifeline exists to equip the body of Christ to manifest the gospel to vulnerable children. We run after this purpose because God's mercy commands us; it is the right thing to do.

This year, as your family takes a socially distant **Stand for Orphans®**, you can help spread the word and share about what Stand for Orphans means to your family. Get out some lemons for The Lemon Challenge or share your talents (serious, silly, or hidden), and showcase your amazing kids (or your amazing self!) on video. Here's how your kids can make an impact and care for orphans this summer:

1. Take a video of a "willing participant" eating a lemon.
2. Post it to social media, tag @standfororphans, and use #TheLemonChallenge
3. Challenge three friends to do the same and donate through stand for orphans.org



1. Take a video of someone performing his or her talent
2. Post it to social media, tag @StandforOrphans, and use #LifelinesGotTalent
3. Challenge three friends to join the fun by posting their own talent on social media and by donating through standfororphans.org



Announcements:

The primary election is THIS Tuesday, August 4th, don't be confused at the voting booth!

- use this link to see your ballot and make informed decisions with your votes- <https://myvoteinfo.voteks.org/voterview/>
- use this link to see who Kansans for Life has endorsed based on their legislative support for life- kflpac.org
- **the KFL voters guide is available in the foyer and can be taken into the voting booth**
- **Leadership is happy to discuss their personal opinions of the individual races**

Men, here's a great opportunity to be encouraged: www.StandCourageous.Com/Live, a live streamed conference for men, AUG 15th; starts 8:00AM. Sponsored by Family Research Council. Cost \$5.

We celebrate the Lord's Supper, also called Communion, on first and third Sundays each month. This memorial is the primary way the Lord Jesus commanded his followers to remember him. The bread/wafer represents Jesus' body, broken on the cross for us; the juice represents Jesus' blood shed for our sins. We invite those who are trusting in Christ's saving work alone for their salvation to join with us in this tribute to Jesus and his great love for us.

Prayer Requests



the upcoming elections, Aug 4th ~ 2 Thessalonians 3:1-18 Finally, brothers, pray for us, that the word of the Lord may speed ahead and be honored, as happened among you, and that we may be delivered from wicked and evil men. For not all have faith. But the Lord is faithful. He will establish you and guard you against the evil one. And we have confidence in the Lord about you, that you are doing and will do the things that we command. May the Lord direct your hearts to the love of God and to the steadfastness of Christ