Welcome

Canyon Bible Church



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You Are Worthy Of My Praise

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I will worship (echo)

With all of my heart, (echo)

I will praise You (echo)

With all of my strength. (echo)

(Echo follows each line)

I will seek You

All of my days,

I will follow

All Your ways.

I will give You all my worship,

I will give You all my praise;

You alone I long to worship,

You alone are worthy of my praise.

(Echo follows each line)

I will bow down,

Hail You as King,

I will serve You,

Give You everything.

(Echo follows each line)

I will lift up

My eyes to Your throne,

And I will trust You,

Trust You alone.

I will give You all my worship,

I will give You all my praise;

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Protector Of My Soul

Oh Protector of my soul

You will stand against the foe

In the dark You'll be a light for me

Oh Protector of my soul

You who created the ends of the earth

Guided me unto Your throne

Offered Your healing hand to me

Mercif'lly made me Your own

Oh gracious God above

I could never earn Your love

I'm amazed to see all You've given me

Oh gracious God above

Oh Holy Spirit come

Show the world where life comes from

May they always see You alive in me

Oh Holy Spirit come

You who created the ends of the earth

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Mercif'lly made me Your own

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Shout To The Lord

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My Jesus, my Savior,

Lord, there is none like You;

All of my days, I want to praise

The wonders of Your mighty love.

My comfort, my Shelter,

Tower of refuge and strength;

Let every breath, all that I am

Never cease to worship You.

Shout to the Lord,

All the earth, let us sing,

Power and majesty,

Praise to the King;

Mountains bow down And the seas will roar

At the sound of Your name,

I sing for joy

At the work of Your hands,

Forever I'll love You,

Forever I'll stand,

Nothing compares To the promise I have

In You.

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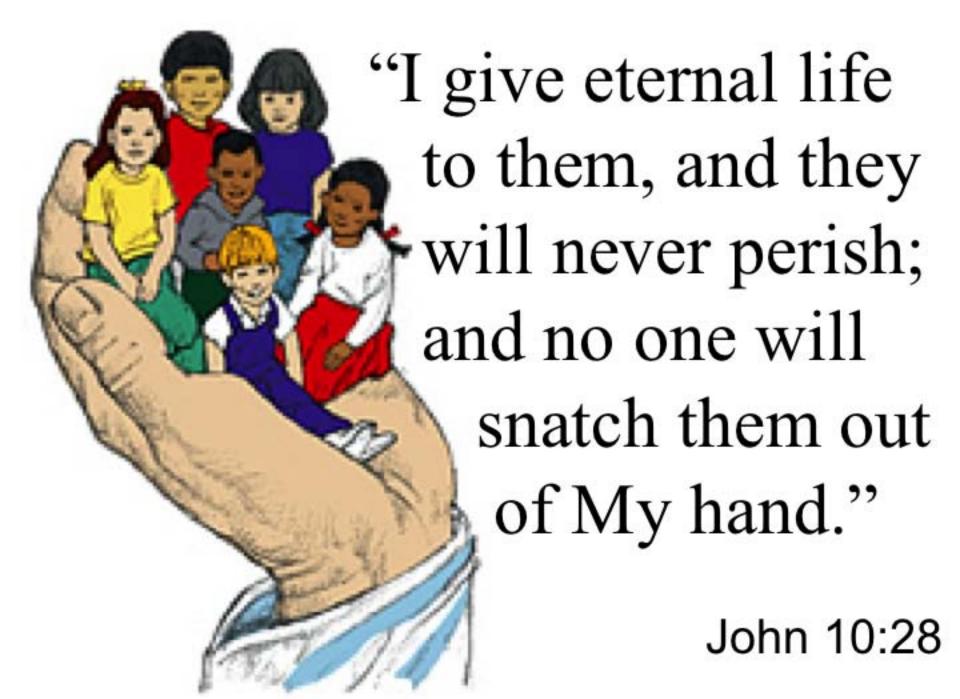
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To the promise I have
In You.

ANNOUNCEMENTS and GREETING

Prayer







WORSHIP THE LORD WITH TITHES & OFFERINGS

So let each one give as he purposes in his heart, not grudgingly or of necessity; for God loves a cheerful giver.

2 Corinthians 9:7

Doxology

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow: Praise Him, all creatures here below. Praise Him above, ye heav' nly host; Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.



Worthy Is The Lamb

Thank You for the cross Lord Thank You for the price You paid Bearing all my sin and shame In love You came And gave amazing grace

Thank You for this love Lord

Thank You for

the nail-pierced hands

Washed me in Your cleansing flow

Now all I know

Your forgiveness and embrace

Worthy is the Lamb
Seated on the throne
Crown You now with many crowns

You reign victorious

High and lifted up

Jesus Son of God

The darling of heaven crucified

Worthy is the Lamb

Worthy is the Lamb



Now I Belong To Jesus

Jesus my Lord will love me forever,

From Him no power of evil can sever,

He gave His life to ransom my soul,

Now I belong to Him;

Now I belong to Jesus

Jesus belongs to me,

Not for the years of time alone,

But for eternity.

Once I was lost in sin's degradation,

Jesus came down to bring me salvation,

Lifted me up from sorrow and shame,

Now I belong to Him;

Now I belong to Jesus

Jesus belongs to me,

Not for the years of time alone,

But for eternity.

Joy floods my soul for Jesus has saved me,

Freed me from sin

That long had enslaved me,

His precious blood He gave to redeem,

Now I belong to Him;

Now I belong to Jesus

Jesus belongs to me,

Not for the years of time alone,

But for eternity.



Amazing Grace/My Chains are Gone

Amazing grace how sweet the sound

That saved a wretch like me

I once was lost but now I'm found

Was blind but now I see

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear

And grace my fears relieved

How precious did that grace appear

The hour I first believed

My chains are gone I've been set free

My God my Savior has ransomed me

And like a flood His mercy reigns

Unending love amazing grace

The Lord has promised good to me

His word my hope secures

He will my shield and portion be

As long as life endures

My chains are gone I've been set free

My God my Savior has ransomed me

And like a flood His mercy reigns

Unending love amazing grace

The earth shall soon dissolve like snow

The sun forbear to shine

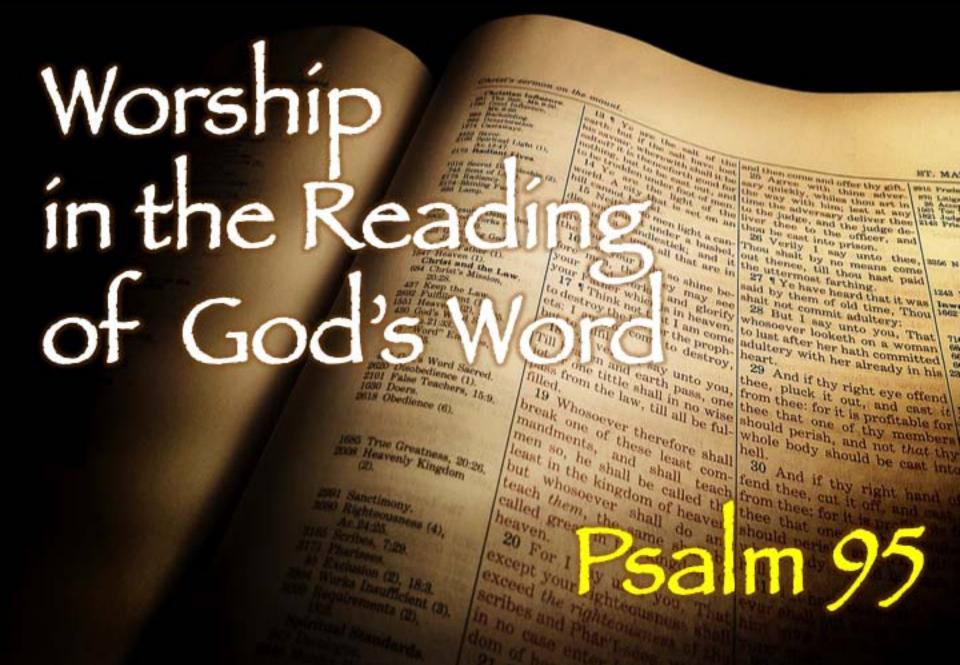
But God who called me here below

Will be forever mine

Will be forever mine

You are forever mine





True Words from the True Christ

For more than three years Jesus had traveled throughout Israel preaching the gospel, calling people to repent and return to God, and confronting the Jewish religion that had become a false religion.

Jesus' teachings, works, healings and miracles clearly demonstrated that He was the Christ and as Jesus said, "that the Father is in Me, and I in the Father.

Thus says the LORD, the Redeemer of Israel and its Holy One, to the despised One, to the One abhorred by the nation, to the Servant of rulers

I gave My back to those who strike Me, and My cheeks to those who pluck out the beard; I did not cover My face from humiliation and spitting

He was despised and forsaken of men, a man of sorrows and acquainted with grief; and like one from whom men hide their face He was despised, and we did not esteem Him.

Confrontation Claim Charge Challenge Consequences

Act 1

The

Confrontation

At that time the Feast of the Dedication took place at Jerusalem; it was winter, and Jesus was walking in the temple in the portico of Solomon.

The Jews then gathered around Him, and were saying to Him, "How long will You keep us in suspense? If You are the Christ, tell us plainly."

Judas Maccabeus defeated the Syrian king Antiochus Epiphanes in 167 B.C.

Three years earlier Antiochus had captured Jerusalem and desecrated the temple by sacrificing a pig on the altar and erecting a statue of Zeus.

Feast of Dedication

Hanukkah or Feast of Lights

Jewish Calendar April – Passover Commemorating the final plague in Egypt

May - Pentecost

Celebrating the giving of the Law on

Mt. Sinai

Jewish Calendar October - Feast of Trumpets Day of Atonement followed five days later by the Feast of Tabernacles

December - Feast of Lights or Hanukkah

Jewish Calendar

March - Feast of Purim

Celebrating the deliverance wrought by Esther





John is also using, winter as a metaphor for the Jewish leaders spiritual state it represents their spiritual coldness and death.

How long will You keep us in suspense? If You are the Christ, tell us plainly.

Act 2

The Claim

I told you, and you do not believe; the works that I do in My Father's name, these testify of Me. But you do not believe because you are not of My sheep. My sheep hear My voice, and I know them, and they follow Me ...

... and I give eternal life to them, and they will never perish; and no one will snatch them out of My hand. My Father, who has given them to Me, is greater than all; and no one is able to snatch them out of the Father's hand. I and the Father are one.

Jesus had spent the last three years teaching and telling everyone who He was, He had performed miracles to verify what He said about Himself was true - He was the Messiah, He was the Son of God, He was God come in the flesh.

Jesus says, "you do not believe" twice showing that the problem with their lack of belief was not due to lack clarity of the truth He presented, but that they were spiritual blind and dead and they had not been called by God.

You do not believe because you are not of My sheep.

The truth of divine sovereignty and human responsibility is beyond human reasoning and understanding.

The Bible nor God tries to bring these two tensions together or explain them so people will understand.

Judas Iscariot's treachery is a perfect example. He lived and was taught by the Son of God for over three years, yet he did not believe.

Living in faith and obedience is the reality for true believers. Believers are Jesus' sheep and the Good Shepherd protects His flock.

This is the will of Him who sent Me, that of all that He has given Me I lose nothing, but raise it up on the last day.

John 6:39

Christ's sheep hear only His voice and follow only Him in living their lives.

A stranger they simply will not follow, but will flee from him, because they do not know the voice of strangers

John 10:5

Christ's sheep have eternal life.

For God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him shall not perish, but have eternal life

John 3:16

A true believer cannot lost their salvation

It is Christ who gives eternal life to His sheep. Believers were spiritually dead and were unable to do anything to aid their salvation.

For by grace you have been saved through faith; and that not of yourselves, it is the gift of God; not as a result of works, so that no one may boast.

No one will snatch them (Christ's sheep) out of My (Jesus') hand.

John 10:28

Not false prophets or preachers and not even Satan or demons are powerful enough to take Jesus' sheep.

Christ's sheep are held in the hands of both God the Son and God the Father.

My Father, who has given them to Me, is greater than all; and no one is able to snatch them out of the Father's hand.

John 10:29

and the Father are one

John 10:30

The Jews picked up stones again to stone Him.

Act 3

The Charge

Jesus answered them, "I showed you many good works from the Father; for which of them are you stoning Me?"

The Jews answered Him, "For a good work we do not stone You, but for blasphemy; and because You, being a man, make Yourself out to be God."

Jesus does not change His claim to equal with God; instead Jesus forces them to deal with the miracles that only God has the power to perform. The "good works" gave visible and tangible proof of Christ's oneness with God.

The evidence showed that it was not Jesus who was a blasphemer, but the Jewish leaders were the true blasphemers of the holy God.

John 10:33

You, being a man, make Yourself out to be God.

Have this attitude in yourselves which was also in Christ Jesus, who, although He existed in the form of God, did not regard equality with God a thing to be grasped, but emptied Himself, taking the form of a slave, and being made in the likeness of men.

Being found in appearance as a man, He humbled Himself by becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross. For this reason also, God highly exalted Him, and bestowed on Him the name which is above every name ...

Philippians 2:10-11

... so that at the name of Jesus EVERY KNEE WILL BOW, of those who are in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and that every tongue will confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

Son of man, you live in the midst of the rebellious house, who have eyes to see but do not see, ears to hear but do not hear; for they are a rebellious house.

Act 4

The Challenge

Jesus answered them, "Has it not been written in your Law, "I SAID, YOU ARE GODS"? If he called them gods, to whom the word of God came (and the Scripture cannot be broken) ...

... do you say of Him, whom the Father sanctified and sent into the world, 'You are blaspheming,' because I said, 'I am the Son of God'? If I do not do the works of My Father, do not believe Me ...

... but if I do them, though you do not believe Me, believe the works, so that you may know and understand that the Father is in Me, and I in the Father.

Jesus at this point does not say, "Wait a minute you misunderstood me, put down the stones."

and the Father are one

Jesus speaks of the "Law" which is referring to the entire Old Testament, which these men were so proud of their ability to know. Jesus reminded them that God referred to others as "gods" which was a rebuke to Israel's' unjust judges because they ruled as His representatives.

They do not know nor do they understand; they walk about in darkness; all the foundations of the earth are shaken. I said, "You are gods, and all of you are sons of the Most High. Nevertheless you will die like men and fall like any one of the princes."

The Jewish leaders could not dispute that the judges had been called "gods" because "the Scripture cannot be broken."

Jesus was arguing that if unjust and evil judges could be referred to as "gods" how then could the Pharisees think if was inappropriate for Jesus to say, "I am the Son of God."

The scriptures and the history of His ministry prove that Jesus was the One "whom the Father sanctified and sent into the world." Jesus had proven He was the Messiah.

The Jewish leaders then and as most people today are not willing to accept the truth of Jesus as the Christ because they are spiritually blind and enslaved to their sin.

Act 5

The

Consequences

Therefore they were seeking again to seize Him, and He eluded their grasp. And He went away again beyond the Jordan to the place where John was first baptizing, and He was staying there. Many came to Him and were saying, "While John performed no sign, yet everything John said about this man was true." Many believed in Him there.

Jesus walked out of their midst and went "beyond the Jordan to the place where John was first baptizing." While Jesus was there many came to see and hear His teaching.

"While John performed no sign, yet everything John said about this man was true." John the Baptist did not perform any miracles, but they knew what he preached was true. John spoke truth concerning Jesus and what John spoke came to be proven true.

Those who traveled beyond the Jordan were seekers of truth and they found it in Jesus. So, "Many believed in Him there."

Jesus' public ministry ends with many coming to know that He was the Christ. At the same time the stonehearted Jewish leaders had no desire for the truth and were condemned.

Just as it is written, "GOD GAVE THEM A SPIRIT OF STUPOR, EYES TO SEE NOT AND EARS TO HEAR NOT, DOWN TO THIS VERY DAY,"

Only those who are drawn to Jesus in repentance and faith will come to know the truth of who Jesus is. These will be given the "right to become children of God." (John 1:12)

My beloved, as children of the living God are you living faithful to Him who saved you and sharing the gospel with anyone who has ears to hear?

I have chosen to spend my life to "LOVE THE LORD MY GOD WITH ALL MY HEART, AND WITH ALL MY SOUL, AND WITH ALL MY MIND, AND WITH ALL MY STRENGTH and to LOVE MY NEIGHBOR MORE THAN MYSELF." Mark 12:30-31 (Translation by Bill)

Jesus "gives eternal life to believers, and they will never perish; and no one will snatch them out of My hand. My Father, who has given them to Me, is greater than all; and no one is able to snatch them out of the Father's hand."



God Will Take Care of You

Be not dismayed whate'er betide

God will take care of you

Beneath His wings of love abide

God will take care of you

God will take care of you Thro' every day o'er all the way He will take care of you God will take care of you

All you may need He will provide God will take care of you Nothing you ask will be denied God will take care of you

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No matter what may be the test God will take care of you Lean weary one upon His breast God will take care of you

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