

Worship In Spirit and in Truth

Main Bible Verse:

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Prayers for the Kingdom Commission:

- Monthly Church Fasting and Prayer will be held every last Saturday after Morning Prayer. We encourage brothers and sisters to attend the Morning Prayer at 8:30 and join us for the Fasting and Prayer afterwards.
Date of Fasting and Prayer in August: 08/29.

Summary:

John 4:24-25 | Philippians 4:13

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- Why do we come to church to lift up our hands and worship in church?
 - So we can let the Holy Spirit enter our hearts and so that we can receive our direction.
- Jesus' plan for the Samaritan woman was to change her, show mercy to her, and heal her.
 - Even though the Samaritan woman sinned, Jesus purposely sought her out to let her know that He is the Messiah and solver her problems.
- No matter how much we sin, God always wants to help us and change us.
 - Jesus was crucified for us and redeemed us from our curses and sicknesses.
 - Jesus wants to create our tomorrow and prepare for us.
- The Samaritan woman continued to search on her own.
 - When we look on our own, we will only find ourselves weary and burdened.
- (Philippians 4:13) I can do all things who through Christ who gives me strength.
 - We are blessed to be Christians because Jesus wants to help us.

- In order for us to succeed, we must first walk out of ourselves and rely on God.
 - When we are self-seeking and rely on ourselves, we will only find emptiness.

John 14:6 | Genesis 41:37-39 | Psalms 103:17-20

- When we follow God's plan He will create for us.
- (John 14:6) Jesus answered. "I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me.
 - The way is the direction.
 - We must worship in Spirit and in truth and allow the Holy Spirit to enter us and give us direction.
 - When we worship, we must earnestly seek the Holy Spirit.
 - The Holy Spirit is gentle and will only enter us when we ask.
 - The truth is our method.
- What does it mean to worship in truth?
 - When we have the Holy Spirit in us we will be able to worship in truth.
- (Genesis 41:37-39) 37 The plan seemed good to Pharaoh and to all his officials. 38 So Pharaoh asked them, "Can we find anyone like this man, one in whom is the spirit of God?" 39 Then Pharaoh said to Joseph, "Since God has made all this known to you, there is no one so discerning and wise as you.
 - When we have the Spirit of God in us, we will receive the plan from God.
- (Psalms 103:17-20) But from everlasting to everlasting the Lord's love is with those who fear him, and his righteousness with their children's children—18 with those who keep his covenant and remember to obey his precepts. 19 The Lord has established his throne in heaven, and his kingdom rules over all. 20 Praise the Lord, you his angels, you mighty ones who do his bidding, who obey his word.
 - God rules over all things
 - When we fear the Lord, God will love us.
- What does it mean to fear the Lord?
 - We must love the church, love the cross, and love those around us.
 - We must not criticize or judge those around us.
 - When others judge us, we must not judge them back but bless them and love them more.
- When we have God's direction and follow it, God will send his angels to watch over us and help us.
- Even when Joseph was betrayed multiple times and sold by his brothers, not a single word of complaint came out of his mouth.
 - Even though Joseph met many trials and hardships, abundant blessings from God followed him and everything he did prospered.
- God will reveal Himself to us, however, we must not get discouraged or doubt but wait upon the Lord.
 - We must know that God will create for us and continue coming to church to worship and praise.

Jude: 20 | John 14:25-27

- God wants us to build ourselves up.
 - (Jude: 20) But you, dear friends, by building yourselves up in your most holy faith and praying in the Holy Spirit,
 - This verse tells us that we must build ourselves up in the truth of God and also pray in the Holy Spirit.
 - When we pray in the Spirit, God will tell us what we ought to do.

- God commanded the disciples to wait in Jerusalem and wait for the gift of the Holy Spirit.
 - When they were praying together, the Holy Spirit came upon them and enabled them to speak in tongues.
 - What were they saying?
 - They were declaring the wonders of God in their own tongues.
- (John 14:25-27) 25 “All this I have spoken while still with you. 26 But the Advocate, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you all things and will remind you of everything I have said to you. 27 Peace I leave with you; my peace I give you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled and do not be afraid.
 - When we have the Holy Spirit in us, we will be taught all things.
- When the Samaritan woman walked of herself, all of her problems were solved.
 - As long as we walk out of ourselves and follow what God says, all things will go well for us.
- When we are filled with the Holy Spirit, we will receive power and our troubles, fears, and worries will depart from us.
 - We will become a new creation in Christ and be renewed.

Verse

Nǐ shì wǒ xǐlè quányuán nǐ shǐ wǒ huānxīn tiàoyuè
nǐ shǐ wǒ zìyóu fēixiáng bù zài bèi zuì'è kǔnbǎng
nǐ shì wǒ yǒngshēng pànwàng nǐ ài yǒuwú bǐ lìliàng
cóng jīnshí zhídào yǒngyuǎn nǐ yīngxǔ bù huì gǎibiàn

Pre-Chorus

Nǐ de bǎo xuè yǒu nénglì
néng yīzhì yīqiè de shāngkǒu
nǐ de fùhuó néng gǎibiàn
yīqiè de zhòu zǔ chéngwéi zhùfú

Chorus

Wǒmen yào gāojǔ nǐ shèngmíng
nǐ pèi dé suǒyǒu zuìdà de zànměi
wǒmen yào yòng quán xīn hé quán yì lái jìng bài nǐ
wǒmen yào huānyíng nǐ lái lín
yuàn nǐ lái shèlì bǎozuò zài zhèlǐ
wǒmen yào zhāng kāikǒu bù tíng zànměi nǐ

Verse

Yēsū nǐ shì píng'ān jūnwáng
yēsū nǐ cì yǒnghéng pànwàng
fán zài wǒ lǐmiàn dōu bù zhù zànměi
yēsū wǒ jìng bài nǐ

Chorus

Nǐ shì héděng róngměi
nǐ shì qímiào jiù zhǔ zài lái jūnwáng
nǐ shì héděng shèngjié měilì
yēsū wǒ jìng bài nǐ

Qíyì ēndiǎn, héděng gāntián
wǒ zuì sì dé shèmiǎn

Qián wǒ shī sàng, jīn bèi xún huí,
xiāyǎn jīn dé kànjiàn

Amazing grace, how sweet the sound
that saved a wretch like me

I once was lost, but now am found,

Chorus was blind, but now I see

Bù zài yǒu kǔnbǎng, wǒ yǐ dé shìfàng

Wǒ jiù zhǔ yēsū, yǐ fù dàijià

Fēngfù ēndiǎn, jīn chōngmǎn wǒ

Yǒnghéng de ài, qíyì ēndiǎn

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

Yuànzhu de ēnhuì cí'ài yǔ nǐ tóng zài
yuànzhu de líng shí shí wéirào
ēndiǎn jiàngxià cì fú yǔ nǐ
píng'ān xǐlè tiāntiān chōngmǎn nǐ
ēndiǎn jiàngxià cì fú yǔ nǐ
píng'ān xǐlè tiāntiān chōngmǎn nǐ

Chorus

Cì fú yǔ nǐ cì fú yǔ nǐ
píng'ān xǐlè tiāntiān chōngmǎn nǐ
cì fú yǔ nǐ cì fú yǔ nǐ
píng'ān xǐlè tiāntiān chōngmǎn nǐ

Verse

You are my fountain of joy You set my feet to dancing
You let me soar like eagles You gave me perfect freedom
Your promise never changes, from now
You are the hope of my life
Your love is great beyond words to forevermore

Pre-Chorus

It was Your blood that gave me pow'r,
to heal the sickness and disease
It was Your life that lets me live
the life of blessing free from the curse

Chorus

We lift Your holy name on high
You're worthy to receive our highest praise
With all my heart and soul, mind and strength,
we worship You We lift Your holy name on high
Your name is lifted high above all names
So come and build Your throne,
You're the King of kings

Verse

Jesus, You are the Prince of Peace
Jesus, my Hope eternally
Every breath I take, I worship Jesus
my King, my everything

Chorus

Lord of heaven and earth
all creation bow down and worship You
There is no one compares to You
Jesus, my everything

Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)

Lyrics & Music: John Newton
Chris Tomlin / Louie Giglio

Verse 1

Amazing grace, how sweet the
sound that saved a wretch like me
I once was lost, but now am found,
was blind, but now I see

Verse 2

‘Twas grace that taught my heart to
fear, and grace my fear relieved
How precious did that grace appear
the hour I first believed

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Chorus

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

May Father's love and His grace be with you

May Holy Spirit cover you

Grace upon grace, granted to you

May His peace and joy flow over you

Grace upon grace, granted to you

May His peace and joy flow over you

Chorus

Grace upon grace, granted to you

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