

AS WITH GLADNESS MEN OF OLD - (G) 358; all 5

As with gladness men of old did the guiding star behold,
as with joy they hailed its light, leading onward, beaming bright;
so, most gracious Lord, may we evermore Your splendor see.

As with joyful steps they sped to that lowly infant bed,
there to bend the knee before Christ, whom heaven and earth adore;
so may we with willing feet ever seek Your mercy seat.

As they offered gifts most rare at that cradle plain and bare,
so may we with holy joy, pure and free from sin's alloy,
all our costliest treasures bring, Christ, to You, our heavenly King.

Holy Jesus, every day keep us in the narrow way,
and when mortal things are past, bring our ransomed lives at last
where they need no star to guide, where no clouds Your glory hide.

In that glorious city bright none shall need created light;
You its light, its joy, its crown, You its sun which goes not down;
there forever may we sing alleluias to our King!

Text: William C. Dix Tune: Conrad Kocher. Church CCLI License #133103

GREAT ARE YOU LORD

You give life, You are love, You bring light to the darkness.
You give hope, You restore ev'ry heart that is broken.
And great are You, Lord.

Chorus: It's Your breath in our lungs,
so we pour out our praise, we pour out our praise.
It's Your breath in our lungs, so we pour out our praise to You only.

You give life, You are love, You bring light to the darkness.
You give hope, You restore ev'ry heart that is broken.
And great are You, Lord. **Chorus 2x**

All the earth will shout Your praise.
Our hearts will cry, these bones will sing,
"Great are You, Lord!" **Repeat 2x**

Chorus 2x

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MIGHTY TO SAVE

Everyone needs compassion, a love that's never failing.
Let mercy fall on me. Everyone needs forgiveness,
the kindness of a Savior, the hope of nations.

Chorus: Savior, He can move the mountains.
My God is mighty to save, He is mighty to save.
Forever, Author of salvation.
He rose and conquered the grave, Jesus conquered the grave.

So take me as You find me, all my fears and failures;
fill my life again. I give my life to follow everything I believe in.
Now I surrender, yes, I surrender. **Chorus**

Shine Your light and let the whole world see.
We're singing for the glory of the risen King.
Jesus, shine Your light and let the whole world see.
We're singing for the glory of the risen King. **Chorus**

You're my Savior, You can move the mountains.
God, You are mighty to save, You are mighty to save.
Forever Author of salvation, You rose and conquered the grave,
yes, You conquered the grave. You were mighty to save.

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JESUS, THE VERY THOUGHT OF YOU - (G) 480; all 4

Jesus, the very thought of You fills us with sweet delight,
but sweeter far Your face to view and rest within Your light.

No voice can sing, no heart can frame, nor can the memory find
a sweeter sound than Your blest name, O Savior of mankind.

O Hope of every contrite heart, O Joy of all the meek,
how kind You are to those who fall, how good to those who seek.

But what to those who Find? Ah, this, no tongue or pen can show;
the love of Jesus, what it is none but His loved ones know.

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MAN OF SORROWS—WHAT A NAME - (G) 482; all 5
Man of Sorrows - what a name for the Son of God, who came
ruined sinners to reclaim: Hallelujah, what a Savior!

Bearing shame and scoffing rude, in my place condemned He stood,
sealed my pardon with His blood: Hallelujah, what a Savior!

Guilty, helpless, lost were we; blameless Lamb of God was He,
sacrificed to set us free: Hallelujah, what a Savior!

He was lifted up to die; “It is finished” was His cry;
now in heaven exalted high: Hallelujah, what a Savior!

When He comes, our glorious King, all His ransomed home to bring,
then anew this song we’ll sing: Hallelujah, what a Savior!

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ALL GLORY BE TO CHRIST

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!

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**

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 2x**

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Welcome to Our Morning Worship Service *Sunday, January 2nd, 2022* *10:00 AM*

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP

Prelude

Welcome

Call to Worship

Opening Prayer

*Opening Song of Praise

“As with Gladness Men of Old” (G) 358; vv. 1, 2, 4 & 5

*God’s Greeting/We Greet One Another

*Song of Praise and Adoration

“Great Are You Lord”

Responsive Reading: Confession & Assurance

Song of Response

“Mighty to Save”

(Children my come forward for Children in Worship and Little Lambs.)

Children’s Message

Offering: Luke Society

Pastoral Prayer

*Song of Preparation

“Jesus, the Very Thought of You” (G) 480; all 4

WE HEAR GOD’S WORD

Text: John 18:1-11 (p. 1074)

Sermon: **“I Am He”**

Prayer of Application

*Song of Application

“Man of Sorrows—What a Name” (G) 482; all 5

WE LEAVE TO SERVE

*Benediction

*Doxology

“All Glory Be to Christ”

*Postlude

Preaching: Pastor Dave Vander Meulen

Organ: Kevin Tazelaar

***Please stand if able** (G) denotes gray hymnal in pew racks
(B) blue songbooks under pews