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# Glory to God Forever

*“Now to the King eternal, immortal, invisible, the only God, be honor and glory for ever and ever. Amen.” 1 Tim. 1:17*

Steve Fee

Before the world was made  
Before You spoke it to be  
You were the King of kings  
Yes, You were, yeah, You were  
And now You're reigning still  
Enthroned above all things  
Angels and saints cry out  
We join them as we sing

Glory to God! Glory to God!  
Glory to God forever!  
Glory to God! Glory to God!  
Glory to God forever!

Creator God, You gave  
Me breath so I could praise  
Your great and matchless Name  
All my days, all my days  
So let my whole life be  
A blazing offering  
A life that shouts and sings  
The greatness of our King!

Glory to God! Glory to God!  
Glory to God forever!  
Glory to God! Glory to God!  
Glory to God forever!

Take my life and let it be  
All for You and for Your glory  
Take my life and let it be Yours!  
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# Love the Lord

*“Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind and with all your strength” Mk. 12:30*

Lincoln Brewster

Love the Lord, your God, with all your heart  
With all your soul, with all your mind  
And with all your strength  
Love the Lord, your God, with all your heart  
With all your soul, with all your mind  
And with all your strength

With all your heart, with all your soul  
With all your mind, with all your strength  
Love the Lord, your God, with all your heart  
With all your soul, with all your mind  
And with all your strength

I will serve the Lord with all my heart  
With all my soul, with all my mind  
And with all my strength  
I will serve the Lord with all my heart  
With all my soul, with all my mind  
And with all my strength

With all my heart, with all my soul  
With all my mind, with all my strength  
I will serve You, Lord with all my heart  
With all my soul, with all my mind  
And with all my strength

I will love You (I will love You)  
I will praise You (I will praise You)  
I will serve You, Lord (I will serve You)  
I will trust You, Lord (I will trust You)

With all my heart, with all my soul  
With all my mind, with all my strength  
With all my heart, with all my soul  
With all my mind, with all my strength  
I will love You, Lord, with all my heart  
With all my soul, with all my mind, And  
with all my strength

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## Matthew 5:1-16 (ESV)

<sup>1</sup> *Seeing the crowds, he went up on the mountain, and when he sat down, his disciples came to him.*

<sup>2</sup> *And he opened his mouth and taught them, saying:*

<sup>3</sup> *“Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.*

<sup>4</sup> *“Blessed are those who mourn, for they shall be comforted.*

<sup>5</sup> *“Blessed are the meek, for they shall inherit the earth.*

<sup>6</sup> *“Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they shall be satisfied.*

<sup>7</sup> *“Blessed are the merciful, for they shall receive mercy.*

<sup>8</sup> *“Blessed are the pure in heart, for they shall see God.*

<sup>9</sup> *“Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called sons of God.*

<sup>10</sup> *“Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.*

<sup>11</sup> *“Blessed are you when others revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account.*

*<sup>12</sup> Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for so they persecuted the prophets who were before you.*

*<sup>13</sup> “You are the salt of the earth, but if salt has lost its taste, how shall its saltiness be restored? It is no longer good for anything except to be thrown out and trampled under people's feet.*

*<sup>14</sup> “You are the light of the world. A city set on a hill cannot be hidden. <sup>15</sup> Nor do people light a lamp and put it under a basket, but on a stand, and it gives light to all in the house. <sup>16</sup> In the same way, let your light shine before others, so that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father who is in heaven.*

# Shout to the Lord

*“Shout for joy to the LORD, all the earth,  
burst into jubilant song with music” Psalm 98:4*

Darlene Zschech

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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# Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)

*"One thing I do know. I was blind but now I see!" John 9:25*

John Newton and Chris Tomlin/Louie Giglio

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

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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

# Offering: Good and Gracious King

*"...Holy, holy, holy is the LORD Almighty;  
The whole earth is full of His glory!" Is. 6:3*

Jonny Robinson, James Ferguson, Michael Farren

I approach the throne of glory  
Nothing in my hands I bring  
But the promise of acceptance  
From a good and gracious King

I will give to You my burden  
As You give to me Your strength  
Come and fill me with Your Spirit  
As I sing to You this praise

You deserve the greater glory  
Overcome, I lift my voice  
To the King in need of nothing  
Empty handed I rejoice  
You deserve the greater glory  
Overcome with joy I sing  
By Your love I am accepted  
You're a good and gracious King

O what grace that You would see me  
As Your child and as Your friend  
Safe, secure in You forever  
I pour out my praise again

You deserve the greater glory  
Overcome, I lift my voice

To the King in need of nothing  
Empty handed I rejoice  
You deserve the greater glory  
Overcome with joy I sing  
By Your love I am accepted  
You're a good and gracious King

Holy, holy, Lord Almighty  
Good and gracious  
Good and gracious  
Holy, holy, Lord Almighty  
Good and gracious King  
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# James

humbled to glorify

(chapter 4, verses 1-10)

"The life of faith... It is the life of active consecration seen in the obedience which holds nothing back from God, and the concern which holds nothing back from human need."

**The Message of James by Alec Motyer**

We are to reflect Christ in all things...

Chapter 1: endure through trials, withstanding outside influences

Rejected by His own family and religious leaders

Chapter 2: display impartial love, rejecting interior prejudice

Reached out to all kinds of people

Chapter 3: speak life renewal, denying selfish ambition

"Father, forgive them for they know not what they are doing!"

"First (3:13-18), there is a God-given wisdom and it is our personal responsibility to seek it, to put it at the centre of our beings and to live by it. Secondly (4:1-10), this God-given wisdom cannot be had if our lives are not constantly being kept in a right relationship with God himself, in which we are daily nourished with grace and more grace (4:6-10)."

**The Message of James by Alec Motyer**

When we live as if we can be both friend with the world and follower of Christ, then we deceive ourselves and disrupt our worship.

Do not be unequally yoked with unbelievers. For what partnership has righteousness with lawlessness? Or what fellowship has light with darkness? ...



... let us cleanse ourselves from every defilement of body and spirit, bringing holiness to completion in the fear of God.

2 Corinthians 6:14-7:1

"... James here is reminding us that God's grace is completely adequate to meet the requirements imposed on us by that jealousy. Our God is 'a consuming fire,' [Hebrews 12:29] and his demand for our exclusive allegiance may seem terrifying. But our God is also merciful, gracious, all loving, and willingly supplies all that we need to meet his all-encompassing demands. As Augustine has said, 'God gives what he demands.'"

**The Letter of James by Douglas Moo**





We who are strong have an obligation to bear with the failings of the weak, and not to please ourselves.... For Christ did not please Himself, but as it is written, "The reproaches of those who reproached you fell on Me."

Romans 15:1-3



For you know the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, that though He was rich, yet for your sake He became poor, so that you by His poverty might become rich.

2 Corinthians 8:9

# Yet Not I, But Through Christ in Me

*"He is the One we proclaim, admonishing and teaching everyone with all wisdom, so that we may present everyone fully mature in Christ. To this end, I strenuously contend with all the energy Christ so powerfully works in me" Col. 1:28-29*

Jonny Robinson, Rich Thompson, Michael Farren

What gift of grace is Jesus my redeemer  
There is no more for heaven now to give  
He is my joy, my righteousness, and freedom  
My steadfast love, my deep and boundless  
peace

To this I hold, my hope is only Jesus  
For my life is wholly bound to His  
Oh how strange and divine  
I can sing, "All is mine"  
Yet not I, but through Christ in me

The night is dark but I am not forsaken  
For by my side, the Savior He will stay  
I labor on, in weakness and rejoicing  
For in my need, His power is displayed

To this I hold, my Shepherd will defend me  
Through the deepest valley He will lead  
Oh the night has been won  
And I shall overcome  
Yet not I, but through Christ in me

No fate I dread, I know I am forgiven  
The future sure, the price it has been paid  
For Jesus bled and suffered for my pardon  
And He was raised to overthrow the grave

To this I hold, my sin has been defeated  
Jesus now and ever is my plea  
Oh the chains are released  
I can sing, "I am free"  
Yet not I, but through Christ in me

With every breath I long to follow Jesus  
For He has said that He will bring me home  
And day by day, I know He will renew me  
Until I stand, with joy before the throne

To this I hold, my hope is only Jesus  
All the glory evermore to Him  
When the race is complete  
Still my lips shall repeat  
Yet not I, but through Christ in me

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