WORSHIP RESOURCE May 6-7, 2017 | Fourth Weekend of Easter

WORSHIP SONGS

MAY THE PEOPLES PRAISE YOU Words and Music Keith and Kristyn Getty, Stuart Townend, Ed Cash, and David Zimmer, 2016

You have called us out of darkest night into Your glorious light. That we may sing the wonders of the risen Christ. May our every breath retell the grace that broke into our strife. With boundless love and deepest joy with endless life.

May the peoples praise You, let the nations be glad. All Your blessing comes that we may praise, may praise the name of Jesus.

All the earth is Yours and all within, each harvest is Your own. And from Your hand we give to You to make Christ known. May the seeds of mercy grow in us for those who have not heard. May songs of praise build lives of grace to spread Your Word.

This is our holy privilege to declare Your praises and Your Name. To every nation, tribe, and tongue, Your church proclaims.

Holy, holy is the Lord Almighty. Worthy, worthy is the Lamb who was slain. Holy, holy is the Lord Almighty. All creation praise Your glorious Name.

LAY ME DOWN

Words and Music by Chris Tomlin, Jason Ingram, Jonas Myrin, and Matt Redman, 2012

With this heart open wide from the depths from the heights I will bring a sacrifice. With these hands lifted high hear my song hear my cry. I will bring a sacrifice; I will bring a sacrifice.

I lay down me down I'm not my own , I belong to you alone Lay me down Lay me down. Oh, hand on my heart this much is true There's no life apart from You; lay me down Lay me down.

Letting go of my pride giving up all my rights Take this life and let it shine Take this life and let it shine

It will be my joy to say Your will Your way Always (3x)

FOREVER (WE SING HALLELUJAH)

Words and Music by Brian Johnson, Christa Black Gifford, Gabriel Wilson, Jenn Johnson, Joel Taylor and Kari Jobe, 2013

The moon and stars, they wept, the morning sun was dead; the Savior of the world was fallen. His body on the cross, his blood poured out for us; the weight of every curse upon Him.

One final breath he gave as heaven looked away; the Son of god was laid in darkness. A battle in the grave, the war on death was waged; the power of hell forever broken! The ground began to shake, the stone was rolled away; his perfect love could not be overcome. Now death where is your sting? Our resurrected King has rendered you defeated.

Forever he is glorified, forever he is lifted high, and Forever he is risen, he is alive, he is alive!

A THOUSAND GENERATIONS Words and Music by Brenton Brown, 2014

You have been faithful to a thousand generations, slow to anger, swift to bless. Your hand has guided us through every situation. Your lovingkindness hasn't failed us yet.

God, you are my God; I will live to sing your praises. God, joy of my heart; you are my rock. You are faithful through the ages.

The day will come when every eye on earth will see you, when every heart and every voice will say that you are perfect in your wisdom and your justice. Oh, how we long to see that glorious day!

You're God of heaven's armies, you're God of galaxies; valleys rise up to meet you, the mountains bow their knees. Creation stands in wonder at all that you've achieved and you have set your love on me.

DAILY READINGS | BOOK OF COMMON WORSHIP

SUNDAY | Ps. 93; Genesis 18:22-33; I Peter 5:1-11; Matthew 7:15-29 MONDAY | Ps. 124; Jeremiah 30:1-9; Colossians 1:1-14; Luke 6:1-11 TUESDAY | Ps. 146; Jeremiah 30:10-17; Col. 1:15-23; Luke 6:12-26 WEDNESDAY | Ps. 9; Jeremiah 30:18-22; Col. 1:24-2:7; Luke 6:27-38 THURSDAY | Ps. 68; Jeremiah 31:1-14; Col. 2:8-23; Luke 6:39-49 FRIDAY | Ps. 49; Jeremiah 31:15-22; Col. 3:1-11; Luke 7:1-17 SATURDAY | Ps. 23; Jeremiah 31:23-25; Col. 3:12-17; Luke 7:18-35

PRAYER OF RENEWAL

Shepherd of all, by laying down your life for your flock you reveal your love for all. Lead us from the place of death to the place of abundant life, that guided by your care for us, we may rightly offer our lives in love for you and our neighbors. Amen.



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