

Congregational Singing: "The Power of the Cross" Grace Hymn 272

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VERSE 1

Oh, to see the dawn of the darkest day,
Christ on the road to Calvary.
Tried by sinful men, torn and beaten, then
Nailed to a cross of wood.

CHORUS A

This the power of the cross:
Christ became sin for us.
Took the blame, bore the wrath.
We stand forgiven at the cross.

VERSE 2

Oh, to see the pain written on Your face,
Bearing the awesome weight of sin.
Every bitter thought, every evil deed
Crowning Your blood-stained brow.

[sing CHORUS A]

VERSE 3

Now the daylight flees, now the ground beneath
Quakes as its Maker bows His head.
Curtain torn in two, dead are raised to life,
"Finished!" the victory cry.

[sing CHORUS A]

VERSE 4

Oh, to see my name written in the wounds,
For through Your suff'ring I am free.
Death is crushed to death, life is mine to live,
Won through Your selfless love.

FINAL CHORUS

This, the power of the cross: Son of God slain for us.
What a love! What a cost! We stand forgiven at the cross.

Closing Thoughts and Benediction



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Welcome and Call to Worship

Jason Fiedler

Congregational Singing: "All Praise to Him"

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VERSE 1

All praise to Him, the God of light
Who formed the mountains by His might.
All praise to Him who names the stars
That sing His fame in skies afar.
All praise to Him who reigns in love,
Who guides the galaxies above
Yet bends to hear our every prayer
With sovereign pow'r and tender care.

VERSE 2

All praise to Him whose love is seen
In Christ the Son, the Servant King,
Who left behind His glorious throne
To pay the ransom for His own.
All praise to Him who humbly came
To bear our sorrow, sin, and shame,
Who lived to die, who died to rise,
The all-sufficient sacrifice.

VERSE 3

All praise to Him whose pow'r imparts
The love of God within our hearts –
The Spirit of all truth and peace,
The fount of joy and holiness.
To Father, Son, and Spirit now
Our souls we lift, our wills we bow,
To You, the Triune God, we raise,
With loving hearts, our song of praise!

Congregational Singing: “Because He Lives” Hymn 358

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VERSE 1

God sent His Son – they called Him Jesus;
He came to love, heal, and forgive.
He lived and died to buy my pardon.
An empty grave is there to prove my Savior lives.

CHORUS

Because He lives I can face tomorrow.
Because He lives all fear is gone,
Because I know He holds the future
And life is worth the living just because He lives.

VERSE 2

How sweet to hold a newborn baby
And feel the pride and joy he gives,
But greater still the calm assurance
This child can face uncertain days because He lives.

[sing CHORUS]

VERSE 3

And then one day I’ll cross the river,
I’ll fight life’s final war with pain,
And then, as death gives way to victory,
I’ll see the lights of glory and I’ll know He reigns.

[sing CHORUS]

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And life is worth the living just because He lives.

Scripture Reading — Luke 7:44 – 8:3

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Pastoral Prayer

Dave DeGear

Offertory — *Congregational Singing: “Still, My Soul Be Still” Grace Hymn 67*

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VERSE 1

Still, my soul be still, and do not fear
Though winds of change may rage tomorrow.
God is at your side. No longer dread
The fires of unexpected sorrow.

CHORUS

God, You are my God,
And I will trust in You and not be shaken.
LORD of peace, renew a steadfast spirit within me
To rest in You alone, to rest in You alone.

VERSE 2

Still, my soul be still. Do not be moved
By lesser lights and fleeting shadows.
Hold onto His ways with shield of faith
Against temptation’s flaming arrows.

[sing CHORUS]

VERSE 3

Still, my soul be still. Do not forsake
The truth you learned in the beginning.
Wait upon the LORD, and hope will rise
As stars appear when day is dimming.

[sing CHORUS]

Message

Pastor Jerry Birkholz

BIBLICAL WOMANHOOD

Selected Scriptures

We seek to understand God’s design for Biblical Womanhood,
in contrast to the cultural lie.

1. Sarah and Abraham

2. Rebekah and Isaac

3. Mother of Rufus

4. Deborah

5. Abigail and David; Euodia and Syntyche