



O FOR A THOUSAND TONGUES TO SING

O for a thousand tongues to sing My great Redeemer's praise The glories of my God and King The triumphs of His Grace!

Jesus, the name that charms our fears
That bids our sorrows cease
'Tis music in the sinner's ears
'Tis life and health and peace

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He breaks the pow'r of canceled sin
He sets the prisoner free
His blood can make the foulest clean
His blood availed for me!

Hear Him, ye deaf; His praise, ye dumb, Your loosened tongues employ; Ye blind, behold your Savior come; And leap, ye lame for joy!

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My gracious Master and my God
Assist me to proclaim
To spread thro' all the earth abroad
The honors of Thy name

What ALL THINGS?

Pt. 2

Ephesians 1:10

- 1. Eph. 1:10: What are the "all things" to be centered in Christ?
 - a. Eph. 1:20-21 tells us: Principality, power, might, dominion and name.
 - b. Col. 1:16 tells us explicitly: Thrones, dominions, principalities, powers—the stories of creation (Amos 9:6)—levels of authority.
 - c. God's plan for the universe is to bring every sort of governmental authority that now claims power apart from God under the rule of Christ and His people united with God.

- 2. On Earth that will be Christ and the IN-CHRIST redeemed humanity that makes up the Nation of Israel. In the Heavenlies that will be Christ and the IN-CHRIST redeemed humanity that makes up the Body of Christ.
 - --We see a glimpse of this in Rev. 4:10-11 where ruling kings surrender their crowns of authority to Jesus Christ.
 - --Earthly reclamation of the powers—Ps. 2; Is. 60:1-12
 - --Heavenly reclamation of the powers—Eph. 1:22; 2:7; 3:10; Phil. 3:20-21; Col. 2:15.

- 3. It gave God GOOD pleasure to come up with "witty inventions" (Prov. 8:12), dispensing ways of benefitting others in Love and defeating Satan and his evil plan through His wisdom and prudence unto His praise (Eph. 1:9-10).
 - --Today, God is now "foolishly" taking idol-worshipping sinners
 —Jews and Gentiles alike, ungodly sinners on enemy status
 before Him, and through His wise plan carried out by His Son
 on the Cross makes them His co-rulers of Creation by re
 -creating them to be the dazzling reflectors of His Glory
 throughout all time and eternity—AS A FREE GIFT
 RECEIVED BY FAITH!

- 4. The key to the Christian life and walk then is to do right now what God is going to do in the future with all creation as ones already belong to the new IN-CHRIST creation wherein Christ's Life is our life (Gal. 2:20):
 - a. God is going to center the whole universe in Christ in the future.
 - b. But we can participate in this right now by keeping our hearts and minds focused solely on Him as revealed in Pauline Grace Mystery Truth (PGMT).

- 5. Everything centers on Christ:
 - a. The Scriptures center on Him—Lk. 24:27; Jn. 5:39.
 - b. The universe was created centered on Him (Is. 40:22; 45:18).
 - c. God's eternal plan centers on Him—Rom. 11:34-36—it originated from Him, was accomplished by Him and was designed for His good pleasure (Col. 1:16).
 - d. We operate according to our sonship position when we understand and appreciate, rejoice, praise and delight in Him, thereby fulfilling our created purpose, enjoying our IN CHRIST position with Him. That is what Ephesians is trying to create within us.
 - --Through the riches of His Grace, God gives us the wisdom and prudence we need to live lives already centered in/on Christ.

Love Lifted Me

I was sinking deep in sin, Far from the peaceful shore, Very deeply stained within, Sinking to rise no more, But the Master of the sea heard my despairing cry, From the waters lifted me – Now safe am I.

Love lifted me, Love Lifted me, When nothing else could help, Love lifted me; Love lifted me.

Love Lifted Me

All my heart to Him I give, Ever to Him I'll cling,
In His blessed presence live, Ever His praises sing.
Love so mighty and so true – Merits my soul's best songs;
Faithful, loving service too – To Him belongs.

Love lifted me, Love Lifted me, When nothing else could help, Love lifted me; Love lifted me.

Love Lifted Me

Sold in danger, look above, Jesus completely saves; He will lift you by His love – Out of the angry waves. He's the Master of the sea, Billows His will obey; He you Savior wants to be – Be saved today.

Love lifted me, Love Lifted me, When nothing else could help, Love lifted me; Love lifted me.