WORSHIP HYMNS IN THE BOOK OF REVELATION

1. John's thanksgiving to Jesus for such great love that makes us kings and priests unto God.

To Him who loved us and washed us from our sins in His own blood, and has made us kings and priests to His God and Father, to Him be glory and dominion forever and ever. Amen. (Rev. 1:5,6)

2. The seraphim's song magnifying the Father's transcendent beauty.

The four living creatures... do not rest day or night, saying: "HOLY, HOLY, HOLY, LORD GOD ALMIGHTY, who was and is and is to come!" (Rev. 4:8)

3. The 24 elders sing to the Father - this is the 1 st "worthy song". (Note 3 themes in their praise.)

The 24 elders fall down...saying: "YOU ARE WORTHY, O LORD, to receive glory and honor and power; for You created all things and by Your will they exist and were created." (Rev. 4:10-11)

4. The seraphim and the 24 elders before the Throne sing to Jesus – this is the 2 nd "worthy song". (Note the 5 verbs that describe Jesus' activity in redemption.)

...the four living creatures and the twenty-four elders...sang a new song, saying: "YOU ARE WORTHY to take the scroll, and to open its seals; for You were slain, and have redeemed us to God by Your blood out of every tribe and tongue and people and nation, And have made us KINGS AND PRIESTS TO OUR GOD; And we shall reign on the earth." (Rev. 5:8-10)

5. The angelic host, the seraphim and the 24 elders sing to Jesus as the scroll is about to be opened – This is the 3 rd and final "worthy song" in the New Testament. (Note 7 themes in their praise.)

...many angels around the throne, the living creatures, and the elders; and the number of them was ten thousand times ten thousand...saying with a loud voice: "WORTHY IS THE LAMB who was slain to receive power and riches and wisdom, and strength and honor and glory and blessing!" (Rev. 5:11-12)

6. The Song of all creation before the Throne as the scroll is opened. Note the only 3 times that ALL the saints worship together before the Throne. (Rev. 5:11-14; 7:9-12; 19:1-7)

And EVERY CREATURE which is in heaven and on the earth and under the earth and such as are in the sea, and all that are in them, I heard saying: "Blessing and honor and glory and power be to Him who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb, forever and ever!" (Rev. 5:13)

7. Worship from all nations as result of the Great Harvest at the end of the age.

...a great multitude...of all nations...standing before the throne...saying, "SALVATION BELONGS TO OUR GOD WHO SITS ON THE THRONE, AND TO THE LAMB!" (Rev. 7:9-10)

8. The angelic host responds seeing people from all nations worship God. (Note 7 themes in their praise.)

All the angels...and the elders and the four living creatures...worshiped God, saying: "Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom, thanksgiving and honor and power and might, be to our God forever and ever. Amen." (Rev. 7:11-12)

9. The tribulation saints worship in context to the end time judgments.

I saw...a sea of glass mingled with fire...standing...having harps of God they sing the song of Moses and the song of the Lamb, saying, "Great and marvelous are Your works, LORD GOD ALMIGHTY! Just and true are Your ways, O KING OF SAINTS! Who shall not fear You, O Lord, and glorify Your name? FOR YOU ALONE ARE HOLY. For all nations shall come and worship before You, for Your judgments have been manifested." (Rev. 15:2-4).

10. God's righteousness is declared in light of His end time judgments.

...the angel of the waters saying: "YOU ARE RIGHTEOUS, O LORD, the One who is and who was and who is to be, BECAUSE YOU HAVE JUDGED THESE THINGS. For they have shed the blood of saints and prophets, and You have given them blood to drink. For it is their just due." (Rev. 16:4-5)

11. A voice from God's altar of incense before the Throne.

I heard another from the altar saying, "Even SO, LORD GOD ALMIGHTY, TRUE AND RIGHTEOUS ARE YOUR JUDGMENTS." (Rev. 16:7)

12. The Bride worships God in light of the end time judgments. Note 4 themes in their praise.

...a loud voice of a great multitude...saying, "Alleluia! Salvation and glory and honor and power belong to the Lord our God! FOR TRUE AND RIGHTEOUS ARE HIS JUDGMENTS, BECAUSE HE HAS JUDGED THE GREAT HARLOT who corrupted the earth with her fornication; and He has avenged on her the blood of His servants shed by her." (Rev. 19:1-2)

13. The Bride worships God at the wedding supper of the Lamb.

...the voice of a great multitude...saying, "Alleluia! For the Lord God Omnipotent reigns! Let us be glad and rejoice and give Him glory, for the marriage of the Lamb has come, and His wife has made herself ready." (Rev. 19:5-6)

PRAYERS FOR MORE PERSONAL REVELATION OF GOD

1. An apostolic intercessory benediction to be established with insight into the mystery.

Now to Him who is able TO ESTABLISH YOU according to my gospel...according to the revelation of the mystery kept secret since the world began but now has been made manifest, and by the prophetic Scriptures has been made known to all nations, according to the commandment of the everlasting God, for obedience to the faith-- to God, alone wise, be glory through Jesus Christ forever. (Rom. 16:25-27)

2. Prayers to grow in grace and knowledge of God

GRACE AND PEACE BE MULTIPLIED TO YOU IN THE KNOWLEDGE OF GOD and of Jesus our Lord, as His divine power has given to us all things that pertain to life and godliness, through the knowledge of Him who called us by glory and virtue, (2 Peter 1:2,3)

...grow in the grace and KNOWLEDGE OF OUR LORD and Savior Jesus Christ. (2 Peter 3:18)

3. The Bride's prayer for Jesus' Coming.

And the Spirit and the bride say, "Come!"...He who testifies to these things says, "Surely I am coming quickly. Amen. EVEN SO, COME, LORD JESUS! (Rev. 22:17, 20)

NEW TESTAMENT DOXOLOGIES

1. Worship prayers to God by Paul in 1 Timothy.

Now to the King eternal, immortal, invisible, to God who alone is wise, be honor and glory forever and ever. Amen. (1Tim. 1:17)

He who is the blessed and only Potentate, the King of kings and Lord of lords, who alone has immortality, dwelling in unapproachable light, whom no man has seen or can see, to whom be honor and everlasting power. Amen. (1Tim. 6:15-16)

2. A worship prayer esteeming God's power in creation.

And: "You, Lord, in the beginning laid the foundation of the earth, and the heavens are the work of Your hands. They will perish, but You remain; and they will all grow old like a garment; Like a cloak You will fold them up, and they will be changed. But You are the same, and Your years will not fail." (Heb. 1:10-12)

3. Worshipping God for the joy of salvation

Now to Him who is able to keep you from stumbling, and to present you faultless before the presence of His glory with exceeding joy, (Jude 24)

4. Proclamation of our blessing in the heavenly realm.

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly places in Christ, (Eph. 1:3).

GOD's BEAUTY

- One thing I have desired of the LORD, That will I seek: That I may dwell in the house of the LORD All the days of my life, To behold the beauty of the LORD, And to inquire in His temple. Psalm 27:4
- 2. Give unto the LORD the glory due to His name; Worship the LORD in the beauty of holiness. Psalm 29:2
- 3. Out of Zion, **the perfection of beauty**, God will shine forth. Psalm 50:2
- 4. And **let the beauty of the LORD our God be upon us**, And **establish** the work of our hands for us; Yes, establish the work of our hands. Psalm 90:17
- 5. Honor and majesty are before Him; Strength and beauty are in His sanctuary. Psalm 96:6
- 6. Oh, worship the LORD in the **beauty of holiness!** Tremble before Him, all the earth. Psalm 96:9
- 7. For **He** shall grow up before Him as a tender plant, And as a root out of dry ground. He has no form or comeliness; And when we see Him, **There is no beauty** [from man's natural understanding and carnal viewpoint] **that we should desire Him.** Isaiah 53:2
- 8. The wicked wait for me to destroy me, But I will consider Your testimonies. **I have seen the consummation of all perfection**, But Your commandment is exceedingly broad. Oh, how I love Your law! It is my meditation all the day. Psalm 119:95-97
- 9. "Who is like You, O LORD, among the gods? Who is like You, glorious in holiness, Fearful in praises, doing wonders? Exodus 15:11