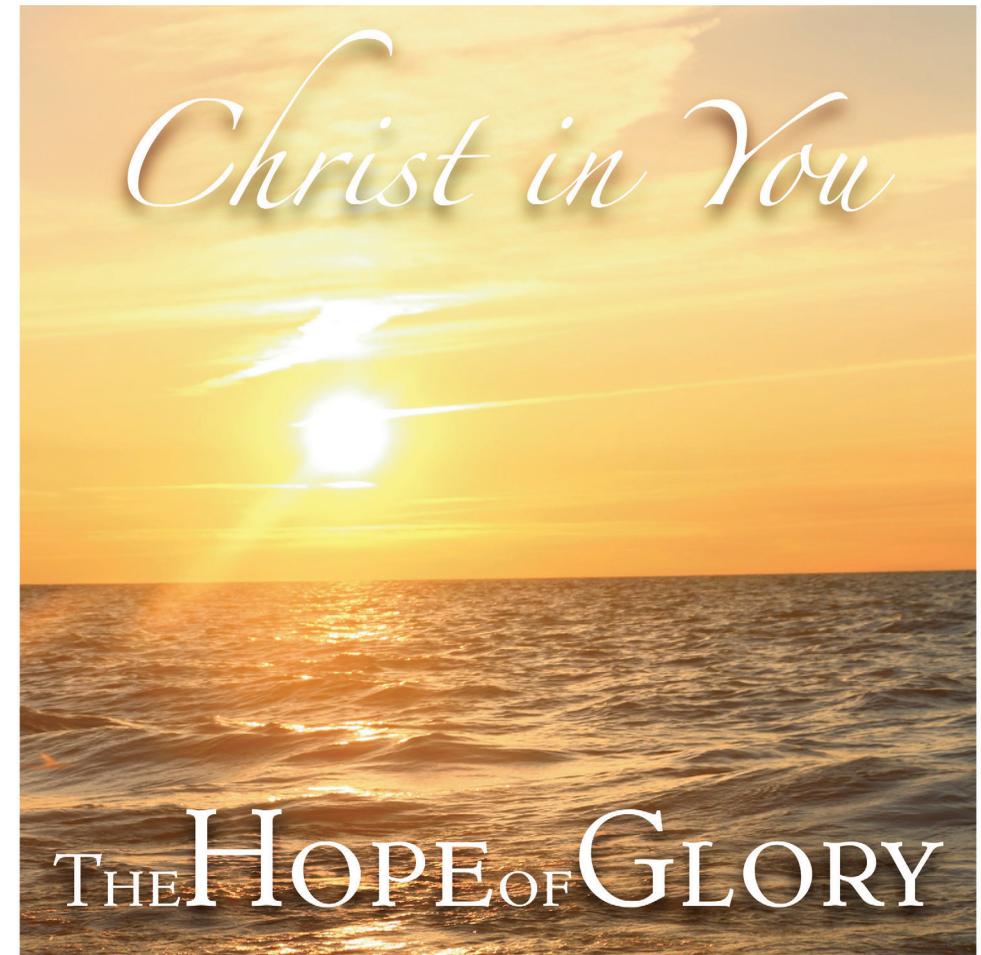


WELCOME TO THIS EVENING'S PRESENTATION...



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We Give Thanks to the Father – Col.1

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We give thanks to our God and the Father of Christ,
Praying always for you since the day
That we heard of your faith
and love which you have for all saints.
For the hope which is laid up for you in the heavens;
Which ye heard in the word of His truth;
Which is come unto you, as it has come to all the world.

We give thanks to the Father, who has made us meet to be
Partakers of the inheritance of saints in light;
Delivering us from the power of the darkness of this world,
Translating us into the Kingdom of His own dear son.

For this cause, we desire that His word fill your hearts;
With the knowledge and wisdom of God;
With the spiritual understanding that makes us to grow.
That your walk might be pleasing to Him who has called,
Being fruitful in every good work;
Strengthened with all might, according to His glorious power.

In whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of our sins;
For we have been buried and are risen up with him.
For God has made known the riches of His glory,
which is Christ in you, the hope of glory.

Thanks Be To God – Gen 13-15; Heb 11

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Called out from the world, our garments washed in his dear blood,
Though brought from many nations now in Christ
We are united by our faith in promises made long ago,
We walk together in the light of truth and righteousness.

Thanks be to God who calls us from this world of sin
Giving us the hope of living in His Kingdom!
By grace we have been given life, in Christ we'll overcome all strife;
Looking unto him in everything: our Lord Jesus Christ.

Dying once to sin our Lord laid down his life for men,
And now exalted to his Father's side
The law of works is done away, for grace and truth by Jesus came,
That we might find salvation through a new and living way.

Looking to that day when we as one will bow the knee
and sing the song of Moses and the lamb
before our saviour and the king,
who mounts us up as eagles wings,
when finally we'll be made like unto him and free from sin!

Risen With Him – Col. 2 & 3

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We are buried with him in baptism,
We are risen with him through faith in God;
Now our life has been hid with Christ in God;
We've been raised to sit in the heavenly places with him.

We look to him who is our head,
Our saviour risen from the dead.
We put to death the old man,
We put on the new man,
Renewed in the knowledge and image of our saviour.

As elect of the Lord, holy, beloved,
Set your mind on those things which are above.
Let the peace of our God rule in your hearts;
In what'ere you do giving glory and honour to God.

Bowels of mercy, and longsuffering,
Kindness, meekness, humbleness, forbearance,
Forgiving one another as Christ has forgiving you;
And above all these things put on love.

In Glory – Col. 3:1-4

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We are crucified with Christ,
set your minds on things above,
not on things upon the earth;
your life is hid with Christ in God.

When Christ, who is our life,
shall appear, will we be there?
Will we appear with him in glory?

In all things we do,
do all as unto the LORD our God;
For we know that of the LORD
we shall receive the reward.

Psalms, Hymns & Spiritual Songs – Col. 3:16-17

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Let the word of Christ dwell in you.
Teaching and admonishing one another.

In psalms and hymns and spiritual songs
we'll sing with grace in our hearts to the Lord.

Whatever you do in word or deed
Do all in the name of the Lord Jesus.

Redeem The Time – Col. 4

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Each day before us there is a path that we must choose;
Christ went before us, the ways of sin he did refuse;
We must follow his example in seeking God's way

We will lift our heads up towards the sky
Knowing our redemption draweth nigh,
we'll redeem the time.

With fellow-workers we walk towards our God's Kingdom;
Each other comfort, that we may stand complete in God.
Watching we'll pray with thanksgiving, we'll walk in wisdom

We will pray for each other along life's way;
Comforting one another until Christ comes again.

The Firstborn Son – Col. 1&2; Eph. 1&5:30; Rom. 12:5; Phil. 2;
Heb. 2&12:23; Rev. 5; Gen. 49:3 (Incorporating Hymn 380 from the 2002
Christadelphian Hymn Book)

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He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of every creature.
By him all things were created in the heavens,
and in the earth, visible, invisible.

Thrones, realms, dominions, principalities and powers,
All things were created by him and for him:
He is the head of the body;
The beginning, the firstborn to rise from the dead.
That he might have the pre-eminence;
The excellence of dignity, the excellency of power.
For it pleased our God that in him should all His fullness dwell.
And making peace through his shed blood,
He's reconciled us to God.

As members of his one body, we
Partake in the firstborn blessings;
Reigning as kings and as priests immortally,
Upon the earth, with our Lord and Christ as King.

He's been raised up higher than the angels,
Raised up far above all principalities, power, might, dominion,
And every name that's named, that at the name of Jesus,
all things on earth and things above will bow the knee.

Blessing, honour, glory and power to the lamb who sits on the throne.
Thou hast created all things for by thy blood we're redeemed out of
every nation.

When Jesus comes again the faithful saints to raise,
With him they'll live and reign in joy for endless days.
Then every tongue on him will call,
The hope of glory, Christ in all.

Sowing & Growing – Luke 8:5-15

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The seed of God's Word has been planted in our hearts,
But what are we doing to play our part?
Our foundations must be deep and strong, our hearts rich fertile ground,
So the Master will be pleased that in us good fruit is found.

Preach the Word, Share the news, the gospel has the power to save,
With Christ at the door we must redeem the time.
Others are still waiting... will we be faithful and brave,
Reaching out with love and care, helping them true life to find?

The seed of God's Word is ours that we may sow,
But what are we doing to let them know?
There are many different types of ground, we know not who will hear,
But we must preach and by example draw others near.

Now that we know the Word, we all must sow the seed,
Seeking those that are in darkness, helping those that are in need.
We must never be afraid to let our light shine,
We have the gospel message... true hope for all mankind.

Let Us Walk In Him – Col. 2

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May our hearts be encouraged being knit together;
Attaining to the riches of a full understanding.
God's mystery has been revealed;
Hid treasures in Christ unveiled.

As we have received Christ Jesus the Lord,
Let us walk in him, rooted and built up in him.
Established in the faith as we've been taught;
Steadfast in the faith, abounding with thanksgiving.

Let no man beguile you with deceitful reasoning.
So look to Christ in all things, he's our head and he's our King.
Many will try to deceive; we'll stay faithful and believe.

For we are complete in him.