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Greetings to all my Friends,

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Recently it occurred to me that God deserves to be worshiped in grandiose style like that recorded in Revelation 4:1-11: **Behold, a throne set in heaven, ... And He who sat there was like a jasper and a sardius stone in appearance; ... And from the throne proceeded lightnings, thunderings, and voices. ... And in the midst of the throne, and around the throne, were four living creatures, ... And they do not rest day or night, saying: "Holy, holy, holy, Lord God Almighty, who was and is and is to come!" Whenever the living creatures give glory and honor and thanks to Him who sits on the throne, ... the twenty-four elders fall down before Him, ... 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."** (Revelation 4:2b-11)

However, a majority of the eight billion people alive today are ignorant of the privilege we all have of worshiping and enjoying God. WMP's mission is to increase the number of worshipers on earth.

I believe God rejoices when He hears the quiet thank you's and praise you's from the prayer closet. That small prayer groups lifting hands in praise make Him smile. That He looks forward to the church services that happen weekly. **The Lord is high above all nations, His glory above the heavens. Who is like the Lord our God, who dwells on high, who humbles Himself to behold the things that are in the heavens and in the earth? (Psalm 113:4-6)**

On the Lord's behalf, thank you for talking to the Lord, for letting the Father know you love Him, and sharing your life with Him.

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Prayer and Praise

- 1 PRAISE** the Lord shipments have arrived in Nigeria, Honduras, Mexico, South Africa, Zimbabwe, and Costa Rica.
*(Pray for the Nangjere speaking people of South Chad.)
You shall love the LORD your God with all your heart,
with all your soul, and with all your strength.
— Deuteronomy 6:5*
- 2 ASK THE LORD** for Christians living in Niger, Turkmenistan, Nicaragua, and Mexico to remain faithful under oppression.
*(Pray for the Naga people in Northern Myanmar and other South Asian countries who speak Naga.)
Who is a God like You, pardoning iniquity ... Because He delights in mercy. — Micah 7:18*
- 3 ASK THE LORD** to release the containers in customs in Liberia, Côte d'Ivoire, Ghana, and South Asia.
*(Pray for the 170,000 Americans who speak Navajo.)
How precious is Your lovingkindness, O God!
— Psalm 36:7a*
- 4 ASK THE LORD** to help, protect and bless Henry M. our Coordinator in Kenya.
*(Pray for the Bassari people living in Senegal, Gambia, Guinea and Guinea-Bissau who speak Ncam.)
But the people who know their God shall be strong,
and carry out great exploits. — Daniel 11:32b*
- 5 PRAISE THE LORD** that the remaining 2025 Scripture-Text Datebooks have been shipped to new prison ministries in the USA.
*(Pray for the 1,400,000 people who speak Ndau in Zimbabwe and the Zambezi Valley of Mozambique.)
I love those who love me, and those who seek me diligently will find me. — Proverbs 8:17*
- 6 ASK THE LORD** to give Mike A. and Joseph wisdom as they update WMP's IT systems.
*(Pray for the half a million people who speak Ndebele in South Africa.)
The LORD is near to all who call upon Him, to all who call upon Him in truth. — Psalms 145:18*
- 7 ASK THE LORD** to use the *How to Know God* booklet to bring many into a personal relationship with Jesus.
*(Pray for the Ndonga language spoken by the Ovambo people in Namibia and parts of Angola.)
"No one is holy like the LORD, for there is none besides You, nor is there any rock like our God." — 1 Samuel 2:2*

- 8 ASK THE LORD** to watch over the shipments in route to Tanzania, South Sudan, Chile, Nigeria, Philippines, Uganda, Dominican Republic, Southeast Asia, Venezuela, Côte d'Ivoire, and Ethiopia.

(Pray for the people in the Indonesian New Guinea Highlands who speak Nduga.)

Pursue peace with all people, and holiness, without which no one will see the Lord. — Hebrews 12:14

- 9 ASK THE LORD** for the salvation of the 10 million Catalan speaking people of Spain and Andorra through the *Help from Above* booklet.

(Pray for the Ixil people who speak Nebaj Ixil, a Mayan language spoken in Mexico and Guatemala.)

And what does the LORD require of you but to do justly, to love mercy, and to walk humbly with your God?

— Micah 6:8b

- 10 ASK THE LORD** to be merciful to the one million Christian Sudanese refugees in the Nuba Mountains.

(Pray for the Nembe speaking people of Nigeria.)

Whoever does not practice righteousness is not of God, nor is he who does not love his brother.

— 1 John 3:10b

- 11 THANK THE LORD** for the individuals, businesses, foundations, and churches that contribute financially to WMP.

(Pray for the 32 million people who speak Nepali in the country of Nepal.)

But we are all like an unclean thing, and all our righteousnesses are like filthy rags. — Isaiah 64:6a

- 12 ASK THE LORD** to ordain a person to be president of WMP who has spiritual wisdom and insight, along with managerial skills.

(Pray for the Karamojong people in Uganda, South Sudan, and Kenya who speak Ngakarimojong.)

The LORD is slow to anger and great in power, and will not at all acquit the wicked. — Nahum 1:3a

- 13 ASK THE LORD** to bless the president's administrative secretary, Angelee.

(Pray for the one million Sara people in Chad, Nigeria, and Cameroon who speak Ngambai.)

And as it is appointed for men to die once, but after this the judgment. — Hebrews 9:27

14 PRAISE THE LORD for Donna, Tara, Ciara, Terri, Scarlet, Joyce and Keith who work with all our chaplains, partners and volunteers.

(Pray for the Achang people in China and Myanmar who speak Ngo-Chang.)

"For the LORD does not see as man sees; for man looks at the outward appearance, but the LORD looks at the heart." — 1 Samuel 16:7b

15 PRAISE THE LORD for the hundreds of volunteers who come together to produce Scripture booklets for the world.

(Pray for the Norwegian speaking people of Norway.)

He who covers his sins will not prosper, but whoever confesses and forsakes them will have mercy.

— Proverbs 28:13

16 ASK THE LORD to continue to provide the necessary funds to meet the growing demand for booklets.

(Pray for the Nupe people living in the Niger Basin of Nigeria who speak the language of the same name.)

If we confess our sins, He is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness. — 1 John 1:9

17 ASK THE LORD to bless the skills of Brian B., Nolan, Greg, Jacob, and Steve W. who operate the King Web Press, which prints the booklet inside pages.

(Pray for the Nyaneka speaking people of Angola.)

And according to the law almost all things are purified with blood, and without shedding of blood there is no remission. — Hebrews 9:22

18 ASK THE LORD to bless Immanuel and Helen as they work out the shipping details for containers traveling to different countries.
(Pray for the Nzebi speaking people of Gabon and the Republic of Congo.)

The next day John saw Jesus coming toward him, and said, "Behold! The Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world!" — John 1:29

19 ASK THE LORD to bless Novella, Cathy, Jan, and Kathi as they integrate new bookkeeping software into our financial procedures.

(Pray for the Nzema speaking people of Ghana and Côte d'Ivoire.)

"By this My Father is glorified, that you bear much fruit; so you will be My disciples." — John 15:8

20 THANK THE LORD for Andrew, Nate, and Kaitlyn our expert artists, social media, and brochure Development Team.

(Pray for the Odia speaking people in Odisha.)

In Him we have redemption through His blood, the forgiveness of sins, according to the riches of His grace. — Ephesians 1:7

21 THANK THE LORD for the production scheduler, Twila, who schedules booklets to be completed through the presses and binderies.

(Pray for the 2 million Kurukh and Kisan people who speak Oraon in Southeast Asia and Bangladesh)

"And without controversy great is the mystery of godliness: God was manifested in the flesh."

— 1 Timothy 3:16a

22 ASK THE LORD to move obstacles blocking the production of booklets in new languages.

(Pray for the Oromo people in Ethiopia and Northern Kenya who speak the Oromiffa language.)

For there is one God and one Mediator between God and men, the Man Christ Jesus, who gave Himself a ransom for all. — 1 Timothy 2:5, 6a

23 ASK THE LORD to expedite the packages sent out daily to both foreign and domestic distributors by Dale, Nick, and the volunteers who work in the Small Orders Department.

(Pray for the Tetela people of the DRC who speak Otetela.)

"And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and receive you to Myself; that where I am, there you may be also." — John 14:3

24 ASK THE LORD to make Muslims curious about the prophet Isa (Jesus).

(Pray for the Paite people of Southeast Asia and Myanmar who speak the Paite language.)

For it is the God who commanded light to shine out of darkness, who has shone in our hearts to give the light of the knowledge of the glory of God in the face of Jesus Christ. — 2 Corinthians 4:6

25 THANK THE LORD for Jerry who has oversight of all facilities as the Vice President of Operations.

(Pray for the Pampango speaking people of the Philippines.)

The entrance of Your words gives light; it gives understanding to the simple. — Psalm 119:130

26 ASK THE LORD to bless Brian L. and Nathan who operate the six color Press that produces our four color covers.

(Pray for the Pangasinan speaking people on the island of Luzon in the Philippines.)

"The grass withers, the flower fades, but the word of our God stands forever." — Isaiah 40:8

27 ASK THE LORD to give Mike B. patience and grace as he daily trims thousands of covers to the correct size for the binderies.

(Papiamento is a creole language spoken in Aruba, Curaçao, and Bonaire. Pray for their salvation.)

"But those things which God foretold by the mouth of all His prophets, that the Christ would suffer, He has thus fulfilled." — Acts 3:18

28 ASK GOD to give wisdom, discernment, and grace to Steve Chupp, Interim President.

(Pray for the Pare people of Tanzania who speak the Pare language.)

Knowing that Christ, having been raised from the dead, dies no more. Death no longer has dominion over Him. — Romans 6:9

29 ASK THE LORD to strengthen and bless the bindery operators who produce thousands of booklets each day — Abby, Ben, Aaron, Devon, Jeremy, Lucas, Scott, and Zach.

(Pray for the people of Iran, Afghanistan, and Tajikistan who speak Persian also known as Farsi.)

"I am He who lives, and was dead, and behold, I am alive forevermore. Amen. And I have the keys of Hades and of Death." — Revelation 1:18

30 ASK THE LORD to bless Roger our maintenance man.

(Plautdietsch is spoken by about 400,000 Russian Mennonites, most notably in Mexico, Peru, Bolivia, Paraguay, Belize, Brazil, Argentina, and Uruguay.)

"I will be a Father to you, and you shall be My sons and daughters, says the LORD Almighty."

— 2 Corinthians 6:18

31 THANK THE LORD for Kristi, Lucas, and Nolan who keep our facilities clean and tidy.
(Pray for the Pökoot people of Kenya and Uganda who speak Pokot.)

Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation; old things have passed away; behold, all things have become new. — 2 Corinthians 5:17

[Daily Scripture references come from the pages of the English version of How to Know God].