

# MESSAGE NOTES

**AUGUST 22**



## Temptation

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[Proverbs 1:1-23](#), p. 438

The Word of God consistently talks about the two paths of life (Genesis 3, Psalm 1, Ecclesiastes 12; Matthew 7:24-27). Proverbs describes for us, in practical terms, what it looks like for the everyday journey of life. It is not so much about *where* we are on the journey as it is about *which direction* we are headed. The world we live in constantly tempts us to take the wrong path. Proverbs calls out to us the direction the Lord would have us take. As the Prophet Isaiah (30:21) wrote: *“Whether you turn to the right or to the left, your ears will hear a voice behind you saying, “This is the way; walk in it.”*



### How can we consistently have victory over temptation?

1. Stay teachable ([Proverbs 1:1-9](#)).
2. Recognize the traps ([Proverbs 1:10-19](#)).
3. Run to the call of wisdom ([Proverbs 1:20-23](#)).

## NEXT STEPS

- Memorize [Isaiah 30:21](#).
- Walk the paths by reading all of Proverbs.
- Identify your traps.
- Go public for Jesus—Believers Baptism is August 29.

## DISCOVERY QUESTIONS FOR FAMILY OR GROUP DISCUSSION

*Check-In: Since we last met, how did your “I will...” and sharing go?*

1. What are you thankful for? What challenge or stress are you facing? Do you know anyone who needs help at this time? As a group, how can we help?
2. Read [PROVERBS 19:1-11](#) together (at least twice), and take turns retelling it in your own words as if sharing with a friend who isn't here.
3. What stands out to you and why? What do these verses tell us about God? What do these verses tell us about humanity/about us?
4. If this is God speaking, how will you apply it to your life? (*Share a specific: “I will...”*)
5. Who will you share with before we meet again? (*Name a specific person you plan to **share with.***)

*If you'd like to learn more about the discovery group process, connect with [marcus@oakwoodnow.org](mailto:marcus@oakwoodnow.org)*

THE **ONE THING:** \_\_\_\_\_

## Every Move I Make

### Verse

Every move I make I make in You  
You make me move Jesus  
Every breath I take I breathe in You  
Every step I take I take in You  
You are my way Jesus  
Every breath I take I breathe in You

### Bridge

La la la la la la  
La la la la la la la la

### Chorus

Waves of mercy waves of grace  
Everywhere I look I see Your face  
Your love has captured me  
Oh my God this love how can it be

CCLI Song # 1595726  
David Ruis

## Praise To The Lord (Joyful Joyful)

### Verse 1

Praise to the Lord the Almighty  
The King of creation  
O my soul praise Him  
For He is your health and salvation  
Come all who hear now to His temple draw near  
Join me in glad adoration

### Verse 2

Praise to the Lord  
Above all things so wondrously reigning  
Sheltering you under his wings  
And so gently sustaining  
Have you not seen all that is needful has been  
Sent by his gracious ordaining

### Verse 3

Praise to the Lord  
Who will prosper your work and defend you  
Surely His goodness and mercy shall daily attend you  
Ponder anew what the Almighty can do  
If with His love He befriends you

### Chorus

Joyful joyful we adore Thee  
God of glory Lord of love  
Hearts unfold like flow'rs before Thee  
Op'ning to the Sun above

### Verse 4

Praise to the Lord  
O let all that is in me adore Him  
All that has life and breath  
Come now with praises before Him  
Let the Amen sound from His people again  
Gladly forever adore Him

CCLI Song # 7160189  
Adrian Disch | Shane Barnard

## God So Loved (Live At The Wheelhouse)

### Verse 1

Come all you weary  
Come all you thirsty  
Come to the well that never runs dry  
Drink of the water  
Come and thirst no more

### Verse 2

Come all you sinners  
Come find His mercy  
Come to the table He will satisfy  
Taste of His goodness  
Find what you're looking for

### Chorus 1

For God so loved the world that He gave us  
His one and only Son to save us  
Whoever believes in Him will live forever

### Verse 3

Bring all your failures  
Bring your addictions  
Come lay them down at the foot of the cross  
Jesus is waiting there  
With open arms

### Chorus 2

For God so loved the world that He gave us  
His one and only Son to save us  
Whoever believes in Him will live forever  
The power of hell forever defeated  
Now it is well I'm walking in freedom  
For God so loved God so loved the world

### Bridge

Praise God praise God  
From whom all blessings flow  
Praise Him praise Him  
For the wonders of His love

### Chorus 3

For God so loved the world that He gave us  
His one and only Son to save

### Verse 4

Bring all your failures  
Bring your addictions  
Come lay them down at the foot of the cross  
Jesus is waiting  
God so loved the world

CCLI Song # 7138599  
Andrew Bergthold | Ed Cash | Franni Cash | Martin Cash | Scott Cash



## King Of Kings

### Verse 1

In the darkness we were waiting  
Without hope without light  
Till from Heaven You came running  
There was mercy in Your eyes

To fulfil the law and prophets  
To a virgin came the Word  
From a throne of endless glory  
To a cradle in the dirt

### Chorus

Praise the Father  
Praise the Son  
Praise the Spirit three in one  
God of Glory  
Majesty  
Praise forever to the King of kings

### Verse 2

To reveal the kingdom coming  
And to reconcile the lost  
To redeem the whole creation  
You did not despise the cross

For even in Your suffering  
You saw to the other side  
Knowing this was our salvation  
Jesus for our sake You died

### Verse 3

And the morning that You rose  
All of heaven held its breath  
Till that stone was moved for good  
For the Lamb had conquered death

And the dead rose from their tombs  
And the angels stood in awe  
For the souls of all who'd come  
To the Father are restored

### Verse 4

And the Church of Christ was born  
Then the Spirit lit the flame  
Now this Gospel truth of old  
Shall not kneel shall not faint

By His blood and in His Name  
In His freedom I am free  
For the love of Jesus Christ  
Who has resurrected me

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Brooke Ligertwood | Jason Ingram | Scott Ligertwood

## Yet Not I But Through Christ In Me

### Verse 1

What gift of grace is Jesus my redeemer  
There is no more for heaven now to give  
He is my joy my righteousness and freedom  
My steadfast love my deep and boundless peace

To this I hold my hope is only Jesus  
For my life is wholly bound to his  
Oh how strange and divine I can sing all is mine  
Yet not I but through Christ in me

### Verse 2

The night is dark but I am not forsaken  
For by my side the Saviour he will stay  
I labour on in weakness and rejoicing  
For in my need his power is displayed

To this I hold my Shepherd will defend me  
Through the deepest valley he will lead  
Oh the night has been won and I shall overcome  
Yet not I but through Christ in me

### Verse 3

No fate I dread I know I am forgiven  
The future sure the price it has been paid  
For Jesus bled and suffered for my pardon  
And he was raised to overthrow the grave

To this I hold my sin has been defeated  
Jesus now and ever is my plea  
Oh the chains are released I can sing I am free  
Yet not I but through Christ in me

### Verse 4

With every breath I long to follow Jesus  
For he has said that he will bring me home  
And day by day I know he will renew me  
Until I stand with joy before the throne

To this I hold my hope is only Jesus  
All the glory evermore to him  
When the race is complete still my lips shall repeat  
Yet not I but through Christ in me

### Ending

When the race is complete still my lips shall repeat  
Yet not I but through Christ in me

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CCLI Song # 7121852  
Jonny Robinson | Michael Farren | Rich Thompson

## Great I Am

### Verse 1

I wanna be close close to Your side  
So Heaven is real and death is a lie  
I wanna hear voices of angels above  
Singing as one

### Chorus

Hallelujah holy holy  
God Almighty great I Am  
Who is worthy none beside Thee  
God Almighty great I Am

### Verse 2

I wanna be near near to Your heart  
Loving the world hating the dark  
I wanna see dry bones living again  
Singing as one

### Bridge

The mountains shake before You  
The demons run and flee  
At the mention of Your name King of majesty  
There is no pow'r in hell or any who can stand  
Before the power and the Presence of the great I Am  
The great I Am

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CCLI Song # 5881491  
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