



SERMON OUTLINE - SUNDAY, DECEMBER 10, 2017

(LORD'S PRAYER sermon series)

A Return to the Chapel *Relying on God's Power*

*“For Thine is the kingdom, and the power,
and the glory forever. Amen.” – Matthew 6:13*

INTRODUCTION: *The lady who went up a mountain ski slope she should have avoided ☺*

I. IN GOD'S GREAT HOUSE WE RETURN TO THE CHAPEL

- A. We look out the chapel window & see three “mountains” we were never intended to climb: *the kingdom, the power, & the glory*.
- B. In this “tour of the rooms in God's house” (the parts of the Lord's Prayer) we have been to many rooms... & today we return where we began: to worship **in the chapel** (Psalm 23:6)
- C. We began with *Hallowed be Thy name* & end with *For Thine is the kingdom, power, and glory*: worshipping **in the chapel**

- D. **In the chapel**, we look up . . . to worship & magnify God, not ourselves (Colossians 3:1-2; Psalm 34:3) – *For Thine is the kingdom, power, glory*
- E. This Lord's Prayer ends reminding us God is in charge, not us (Ephesians 1:22-23)

II. YES, LORD,

THINE IS THE KINGDOM, POWER, & GLORY

- A. Let's talk about the authority of our Lord Jesus: the storm on the Sea of Galilee (Mark 4:35-41)
- B. Why could He sleep through this storm? He had authority; He was in charge! (Mark 4:39-41; Mark 1:27)
- C. The disciples who were willing to die for Jesus knew His authority & the meaning of *Thine is the kingdom, power & glory* (John the apostle – 1 John 4:4; Peter the apostle – 1 Peter 3:22)
- D. At the end of the Lord's Prayer, as we **return to the chapel**, we join in declaring our Lord's authority (*kingdom, power & glory*)

III. THE MOUNTAINS ONLY GOD CAN CLIMB ARE *THE KINGDOM, POWER & GLORY*

- A. The proper pronoun in the prayer is *Thine*, not mine: (*Thine is the kingdom, NOT mine is the kingdom, etc.*)
- B. “Mount Messiah” or “Mount Self-Sufficient” are mountains we are not meant to climb
- C. Remember the woman on the ski slope: *there are certain mountains not to climb*

CONCLUSION: *A late night phone call to daddy . . .
he (He) will always answer our call*