## Other Worldliness Praying Positioning for Prayer Part 5 House of Prayer

Praise

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## The Mystery Revealed:

Colossians 1:27 ESV – The revelation that those in the Old Covenant did not have.

**Luke 17:20-21 ESV** 

2 Corinthians 6:16 ESV

John 17:14-17 ESV

Three Observations of the Sanctified (Set Apart Ones)

- 1. God's Chosen Dwelling Place
- 2. Perfectly Loved
- 3. Kingdom Assignment

God's Love to Us and Through Us:

1 John 4:4, 7-12,16-18 ESV

## **Additional Notes:**

## Reasons for using the term "little children"

- **Term of endearment:** John expresses pastoral care and affection for his readers, indicating a close, familial bond between himself and the congregation.
- **Spiritual immaturity:** The term acknowledges that many believers were spiritually young or less mature, in need of guidance and a reminder of the basics of their faith.
- Reminding them of their identity: By calling them "children," John reinforces that they are "children of God," who have been forgiven and have overcome the world through Christ's power.
- **Encouragement against deception:** It serves as a reminder to not be deceived by false teachers, since those who are "of God" have the greater power within them to overcome evil.
- **Echoing Jesus:** The phrase echoes Jesus's own use of "little children" to refer to His followers, emphasizing humility and dependence on God.

Space: the final frontier. These are the voyages of the starship Enterprise. Its five-year mission: to explore strange new worlds, to seek out new life and new civilizations, to boldly go where no man has gone before. —Star Trek opening monologue, 1966-1969

Kingdom Edition Monologue

Earth: The temporary frontier. These are the voyages of God's sons and daughters. Our eternal Kingdom mission: to explore strange new worlds, to seek out new lives and establish the Kingdom of God, to boldly go where no man or woman has gone before.