

**God-The Creator**

God's Way Is Man's Stay - (# 13)

**December 18, 2022**

**OPENING SCRIPTURE:** Psalm 19:1-14

**KEY VERSE:** Psalm 19:14

**TEXT:** Psalm 8:1-9

**KEY VERSE:** Psalm 95:6

**Psalm 95:6** O come, let us worship and bow  
down: let us kneel before the LORD our maker.

**God gave us life, we should give Him ours.**

1) **Man's** \_\_\_\_\_.

2) **Man's** \_\_\_\_\_.

3) **Man's** \_\_\_\_\_.

**Text:**  
**Psalm 8:1-9**

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**O come,  
let us worship  
and bow down:  
let us kneel before  
the Lord our maker.  
(Psalm 95:6)**

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**Man is God's  
highest creation.  
God continues His work  
of creation in us today  
as He molds and  
fashions us into the  
fullness of the  
stature of Christ.**

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**God gave us life,  
we should  
give Him ours.**

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**1) Man's Presence.**

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**3 When I consider thy heavens,  
the work of thy fingers,  
the moon and the stars,  
which thou hast ordained;  
4 What is man,  
that thou art mindful of him?  
and the son of man,  
that thou visitest him?  
(Psalm 8:3-4)**

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**As is recorded in the  
first chapter of Genesis,  
God spoke many things  
into existence.  
This reveals the  
absolute and  
unquestionable  
power of God.**

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***References:***

**Hebrews 11:3**

**Genesis 2:7**

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**God has placed mankind  
in a crucible of  
life experiences,  
and He has provided  
His Word as an  
immovable foundation  
and as a promise of  
His own integrity.**

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- 1) Man's Presence.**
- 2) Man's Position.**

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**For thou hast made him  
a little lower than the angels,  
and hast crowned him  
with glory and honour.  
(Psalm 8:5)**

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**Perhaps the most logical result of mankind being made in the image and likeness of God is that he is made with the capacity to rule.**

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**And God blessed them, and God said unto them, Be fruitful, and multiply, and replenish the earth, and subdue it: and have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the fowl of the air, and over every living thing that moveth upon the earth. (Genesis 1:28)**

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**God's highest creation should never complain of a lack of power or provision.**

**God provided these carefully and painstakingly in His creation of mankind so that man would be able to fulfill his purpose as ordained of God.**

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***References:***

**Psalm 66:7**

**Psalm 93:1**

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**The Lord reigneth;  
let the people tremble:  
he sitteth *between* the cherubims;  
let the earth be moved.  
(Psalm 99:1)**

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***References:***

**Psalm 103:19**

**Revelation 19:6**

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**God's kingdom is  
a spiritual kingdom.**

**It is not built through  
earthly manipulation and  
political activism.**

**It is built by God  
in the hearts of men.**

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**12 Verily, verily, I say unto you,  
He that believeth on me,  
the works that I do shall he do also;  
and greater *works* than these  
shall he do;  
because I go unto my Father.  
13 And whatsoever ye shall  
ask in my name, that will I do,  
that the Father may be  
glorified in the Son.**

**(John 14:12-13)**

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**The key to  
understanding this  
mandate is in the words  
“that will I do.”**

**It is not man that does the  
mighty works of God;  
rather, it is Christ  
working through man!**

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**God will work through  
us only when our  
motives are right.**

**God receives the glory  
when man allows Christ  
to work through him.**

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**1) Man's Presence.**

**2) Man's Position.**

**3) Man's Privilege.**

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**Thou madest him to have  
dominion over the works of thy  
hands; thou hast put  
all *things* under his feet:  
(Psalm 8:6)**

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**You were created  
to fellowship with  
the Lord above,  
God Himself.**

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**And they heard  
the voice of the LORD God  
walking in the garden  
in the cool of the day:  
and Adam and his wife  
hid themselves from  
the presence of the LORD God  
amongst the trees of the garden.  
(Genesis 3:8)**

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**When we obey God,  
and walk in faith and  
we walk closer to Him.**

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***References:***

**Ephesians 2:8-10**

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**Outside of our  
dependence upon God,  
and complete faith  
in Him,  
we can do nothing,  
except make a choice.**

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**The Law teaches us that  
God's Word keeps us.**

**Walk in the Word,  
walk in love  
and fulfill all of the Law.**

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**Wherefore the law was  
our schoolmaster *to bring us*  
unto Christ, that we  
might be justified by faith.  
(Galatians 3:24)**

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***References:***

**Philippians 1:6**

**Philippians 3:14**

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**Share what you know  
about the Word of God;  
share what you have  
learned from the Bible  
with others,  
so that they too  
can receive  
the blessings of God.**

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**God—The Creator,  
has a divine plan  
that He will carry  
through to fulfillment,  
even into the ages  
of eternity.**

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**God has given us  
the measure of faith  
and reading the Bible  
causes our faith  
to grow strong.**

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***Concluding Scripture:***

**And ye are  
complete in him,  
which is the head of all  
principality and power:  
(Colossians 2:10)**

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1) Man's Presence.

2) Man's Position.

3) Man's Privilege.

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