

The Stones Will
Cry Out





Scripture Lesson:

Luke 19:37-40

And as soon as He was approaching, near the descent of the Mount of Olives, the whole crowd of the disciples began to praise God joyfully with a loud voice for all the miracles which they had seen, shouting: "Blessed is the King, the One who comes in the name of the Lord; Peace in heaven and glory in the highest!"

And yet some of the Pharisees in the crowd said to Him, "Teacher, rebuke Your disciples!"

Jesus replied, "I tell you, if these stops speaking, the stones will cry out!"

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"If He was not praised by one portion of His creation, the other portion of His creation would pick up the slack and praise Him even more."

Senseless Objects Praising God:



MOUNTAINS LEAP
HILLS SINGING
TREES CLAPPING
THEIR HANDS

Created Things Praising Their
Creator:

SUN, MOON
STARS, HEAVENS
WATER, SKY, ANIMALS
PEOPLE

If necessary, God will
find a replacement.

But you are a chosen generation, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, His own special people, that you may proclaim the praises of Him who called you out of darkness into His marvelous light.

1 Peter 2:9

Zechariah 9:9

Rejoice greatly, O daughter of Zion; shout, O daughter of Jerusalem: behold, thy King cometh unto thee: He is just, and having salvation; lowly, and riding upon a donkey, and upon a colt the foal of a donkey.



I. We Should Praise the Lord
Outside the Church Walls.



2. Our Praise to the Lord
Should Be Unanimous.

“On your feet now—applaud God!
Bring a gift of laughter, sing
yourselves into His presence.”

Psalm 100:1-2 (MSG)



3. Our Praise to the Lord
Should Be Joyful.

Psalm 95:1-2

Oh come, let us sing to the Lord! Let us shout joyfully to the Rock of our salvation. Let us come before His presence with thanksgiving; Let us shout joyfully to Him with psalms.





4. Our Praise Should Be
Without Basis.

Hebrews 13:15

By Him therefore let us offer the sacrifice of praise to God continually, that is, the fruit of our lips giving thanks to His name.



5. Our Praise is Necessary.

Psalm 150

Let everything that has breath praise the Lord.
Praise the Lord!