

# EXALTATIONS

REVELATION 15:1-8

**Big Idea: God is most glorified when Christ is most exalted.**

-- v. 2 – Even as Moses and ransomed Israel stood in victory upon the shores of the Red Sea, so these conquerors are seen standing on the safe shores of a sea of **GLASS** mingled with fire (Exodus 14-15).

-- v. 3 – “The Song of Moses, The Song of the Lamb” – The initial song of Moses in Exodus 15 was always pointing forward to this ultimate song of deliverance in Revelation 15.

## 1.) Worship in Song

-- We see so much singing in Scripture because God wants us to sing His praises.

-- More than just singing, God wants us to sing **TOGETHER**

-- We are called to sing together on this day like we will sing together on that Day when Christ returns.

-- According to God’s own design, there is no better way for us to worship Him together with **ONE** voice than to sing.

## 2.) The Exaltation of Christ

- The chief purpose of final judgment is to demonstrate indisputably the absolute **SUPREMECY** of Christ over all people and all things.
- Judgment Day will be all about the eternal adulation of Jesus Christ (Philippians 2:5-11).
- The ultimate purpose for all of Creation (including you and me) is to glorify the Father by exalting the Son.
- God is most glorified when Christ is most **EXALTED**
- It is impossible to make too much of Christ, because the infinite exaltation of Christ is the reason why we exist at all (Colossians 1:18-20).
- Because the exaltation of Christ is the overarching purpose that God has woven into absolutely everything, that single purpose is the only purpose that will mean anything in the end (John 3:18).
- There are limitless ways to exalt Jesus Christ unto the glory of God, and doing so must be our **PASSION** in life.

### Application

- 1.) **SING** with gladness and gravity, with intention and intensity, with power and passion, with excitement and expression. Sing today like we will sing on that Day, because God is worthy of nothing less.

2.) In all things and in every way, live to **MAKE MUCH** of Jesus Christ and the power of His Gospel, because that is why everything exists, including you. Live this day for the supremacy of Christ, because God is most glorified when Christ is most exalted.