Be His Praise

Revelation 4

Look at John's vision of the throne room of God and see who you were created to be.

See the twenty-four elders.

They are honored ones,

respected leaders,

perhaps priests.

They are royal,

each wearing a crown of gold.

They are holy,

dressed in white.

They worship God Almighty with

word and

posture and

action.

They joyfully return to Him

all the honor and glory He has shared with them.

They know that all their crowns truly, only belong to Him.

The twenty-four elders are what God's people were redeemed to be.

See the four living creatures.

They surround the throne of the Sovereign Lord of all. Each is wisely and lovingly fashioned by his Creator. Each is unique yet one with all He has made. Each is full of eyes in front and behind and is fully aware of all reality, fully attentive to their God. Each has six wings and is ready to move immediately at His command. Each ceaselessly responds to God in all His holiness, power, and eternity. The four living creatures are what we were created to be. Like the elders, like the living creatures, we exalt God most clearly and beautifully,

not just by what we say, but by what we do and

who we are.

The infinite Spirit God, unlimited by a physical body, incarnates Himself in partial ways in each of His creatures.
He shares Himself and His qualities through us
so that the whole universe might glimpse just how great and holy and gracious He is.

Child of God, be His praise! Be His glory! In Jesus Christ, be the incarnation of His life, His love, and His holy beauty.

Hymn: God of All People

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