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THE BATTLE IS THE LORD'S
HOLY, HOLY, HOLY

1 CHRONICLES 15:1–16; ISAIAH 6:1–4

“The words of worship flow so easily from our lips that we seldom stop to think about them: we casually talk about knowing the Lord; we say we talk to God and in one way or another hear from God. We attend churches on Sundays to have, as we say, fellowship with God and each other. There we celebrate the belief that He is our God with songs and hymns, but even these have become so familiar to us that our minds drift to other, more immediate concerns. And when we approach the Lord’s Table, to eat with God as it were, we often do not have enough time to appreciate what it means. In short, our worship services have become time-bound and routine. We have been so successful in fitting God into our important schedules that worship is often just another activity. But it should be anything but routine and ordinary...”

~Allen Ross, *Recalling the Hope of Glory*, 35

“Our attention to the Lord must not be an ordinary part of life; our worship of Him should be the most momentous, urgent, and glorious activity in our lives.”

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Ross asks these questions.

- **How then can we talk casually of this Lord?**
- **How can we merely slot Him into our fully scheduled lives?**
- **How can we think there might be more important things for us to do in life than to worship Him?**

Job 38:4, “Where were you when I laid the foundations of the earth? Tell Me, if you have understanding.

Job 38:5, “Who determined its measurements? Surely you know! Or who stretched the line upon it?

Job 38:6, “To what were its foundations fastened? Or who laid its cornerstone,

Job 38:7, “When the morning stars sang together, and all the sons of God shouted for joy?”

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Psalm 89:5, “The heavens will praise Your wonders, O Lord; Your faithfulness also in the assembly of the holy ones. (*qadshim*-here angels)

Psalm 89:6, “For who in the skies is comparable to the Lord? Who among the sons of the mighty [sons of God, *bene Elim*] is like the Lord,

Psalm 89:7, “A God greatly feared in the council of the holy ones, and awesome above all those who are around Him?” [all those who encircle or surround Him]

To the Chief Musician. A Psalm of David.

Psa. 19:1, “The heavens declare the glory of God; And the firmament shows His handiwork.

Psa. 19:2, “Day unto day utters speech, and night unto night reveals knowledge.

Psa. 19:3, “There is no speech nor language where their voice is not heard.

Psa. 19:4, “Their line has gone out through all the earth, and their words to the end of the world. In them He has set a tabernacle for the sun,”

Ezek. 28:12, “ ‘Son of man, take up a lamentation for the king of Tyre, and say to him, “Thus says the Lord GOD: ‘You were the seal of perfection, full of wisdom and perfect in beauty.

Ezek. 28:13, “ ‘ “ ‘You were in Eden, the garden of God; Every precious stone was your covering: The sardius, topaz, and diamond, beryl, onyx, and jasper, sapphire, turquoise, and emerald with gold. The workmanship of your timbrels and pipes was prepared for you on the day you were created.’ ” ’ ”