

# GOOD FRIDAY WORSHIP

Friday, April 7, 2023  
"The Walk to Calvary"

## GATHERING BY THE CROSS IN THE CIRCLE

### CALL TO WORSHIP

We find ourselves standing before the cross.

**Help us face this dark moment of His suffering.**

Walk with us now as we follow the spirit of our suffering Lord.

**Gives us strength to face the darkness of His death. Amen.**

## THE WALK TO CALVARY AND HIS LAST WORDS ON THE CROSS

### Word I "Father, forgive them"

"Spirit of the Living God"

Spirit of the living God, fall a-fresh on me.

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Melt me, mold me, fill me, use me. Spirit of the living God, fall a-fresh on me.

### Word II "Today you will be in paradise with Me"

"Precious Lord, Take My Hand"

Precious Lord, take my hand, lead me on, let me stand,

I am tired, I am weak, I am worn;

Through the storm through the night, lead me on to the light:

Take my hand, precious Lord, lead me home.

### Word III "Woman, behold your son! Behold, your mother."

The Family of God"

I'm so glad I'm a part of the family of God

I've been washed in the fountain, cleansed by His blood!

Joint heirs with Jesus as we travel this sod,

For I'm part of the family, the family of God.

### Word IV "My God, my God, why have you forsaken me?"

"Kum Ba Yah"

Kum ba yah, my Lord, hum ba yah! Kum ba yah, my Lord, Kum ba yah!

Kum ba yah, my Lord, kum ba yah! O Lord, kum ba yah!

Someone's forsaken me, Lord, kum ba yah! Someone's forsaken me, Lord,  
kum ba yah! Someone's forsaken me, Lord, kum ba yah! O Lord, kum ba yah!

### Word V "I am thirsty"

"Fill My Cup Lord"

Like the woman at the well I was seeking for things that could not satisfy;

And then I heard my Savior speaking:

"Draw from my well that never shall run dry." Fill my cup, Lord, I lift it up,  
Lord! Come and quench this thirsting of my soul; Bread of Heaven, fee me 'til  
I want no more - fill my cup, fill it up and make me whole.

### Word VI "It is finished"

Jesus, I adore you

Lay my life before you.

How I love you.

### Word VII "Father, into your hands I commend my spirit."

"The Old Rugged Cross"

On a hill faraway stood an old rugged cross,

The emblem of suffering and shame;

And I love that old cross where the dearest and best

For a world of lost sinners was slain.

So, I'll cherish the old rugged cross,

Till my trophies at last I lay down;

I will cling to the old rugged cross,

And exchange it some day for a crown.

## COMING INTO THE SANCTUARY

### PRELUDE

"Beneath the Cross of Jesus" "Lamb of God"  
and "Via Dolorosa"

### INVOCATION

O God we now enter this sanctuary to remember that He was wounded for our transgressions. He was bruised for our iniquities. By His stripes we are healed. Grant that we may confess our share in the sins that crucified Him, and also be the partakers in the forgiveness which He made possible. So may it be. Amen.

## THE WOUNDS OF CHRIST AND THE DARKNESS

### I. Wounded on the back

Were you there when they beat Him on the back?

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Oh! Sometimes it causes me to tremble, tremble, tremble. Were you there when they beat Him on the back?

## II. Wounded on the head

Were you there when they crowned Him with the thorns?  
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Oh! Sometimes it causes me to tremble, tremble, tremble. Were you there when they crowned Him with the thorns?

## III. Wounded on the hands

Were you there when they nailed Him to the tree?  
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## IV. Wounded on the feet

Were you there when they nailed Him to the tree?  
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Oh! Sometimes it causes me to tremble, tremble, tremble. Were you there when they nailed Him to the tree?

**SOLO** "He Grew the Tree"

**MEDITATION** "Taking You Up With Him"

**SOLO** "Watch the Lamb"

**BENEDICTION** "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross."

**POSTLUDE**

