



Raise a Hallelujah *Day 5: Chorus*

I'm gonna sing, in the middle of the storm
Louder and louder,
you're gonna hear my praises roar
Up from the ashes, hope will arise
Death is defeated, the King is alive

Scripture Reference

Then I heard what sounded like a great multitude, like the roar
of rushing waters and like loud peals of thunder, shouting:

"Hallelujah!

For our Lord God Almighty reigns.

Let us rejoice and be glad
and give him glory!"

- *Revelation 19: 6-7*



We end our week in the final book of the Bible. The book of Revelation depicts times yet to come. Revelation 19 focuses on the marriage supper of the Lamb and Jesus' coming reign. Throughout Revelation 19, hallelujah is mentioned four different times. All of His people shouting hallelujah for their Lord. As Christians, we believe in an eternal life yet to come and a God that has given us eternal life with Him. For that, we can always give Him glory!

Do you spend each day as if your eternal glory is with your Heavenly Father? Do you stop to consider the depth of God's gift to us in eternal life? Although we currently live awaiting that which is yet to come, how can you ensure your earthly life praises our Lord for the eternal life He has already won on your behalf?

"I'm gonna sing". In that one statement alone, you see **a choice**. The **choice** to sing, the **choice** to praise. In Revelation 19, those shouting Hallelujah knew Jesus' coming reign was imminent. But don't we also know that? Don't we know Jesus has already beaten death? Up from the grave, He rose. So, we too can **choose** to sing. With God, it's always been a choice, an invitation - not a demand.

What choices are you making today that show the depth of your faith in Jesus? What choices are you making today that glorify God? Is there anything in your life that you might need to change so that it better reflects the choice you've made to follow Jesus Christ? If so, ask the Holy Spirit to guide you in those changes and to give you a passion for making those changes.



The praise in Revelation was said to be like that of “the roar of rushing waters” and “peals of thunder”. Our chorus references roaring praises even in the midst of storms. Oftentimes, it’s difficult to roar praise in the midst of the storms of life. But, even in the passage, the roar came from “a great multitude”. We are not alone in our struggles. We have God, and He gives us others in our lives to help us.

Do your praises “roar” when you’re facing storms or challenges? If you find it difficult, do you allow others to help you through those times? Who can you reach out to this week for some assistance in finding your roar of praises? Ask them to help remind you of all the blessings God has given you.

Death is defeated – the King is alive. In Revelation 19: 7, our Lord God Almighty reigns. We can shout songs of praise and joy knowing our King has already won. He reigns forever. Let us rejoice and be glad and give Him glory.

End this week writing another prayer of praise to your Lord. Celebrate and rejoice in His victory over death. Take a moment to shout that praise aloud. Don’t worry if someone hears you – just revel in your Heavenly Father’s victory for you. Raise a Hallelujah! Today and every day.
