

ALL IN FOR CHRIST

In all of life

- going for it ¹

¹¹Never be lacking in zeal, but keep your spiritual fervour, serving the Lord.

The GREATNESS of God

- the LORD is God ²

⁴Hear, O Israel: the LORD our God, the LORD is one.⁵ Love the LORD your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your strength.

- the LORD is great ³

¹³When you bring injured, lame or diseased animals and offer them as sacrifices, should I accept them from your hands?' says the LORD.
¹⁴'Cursed is the cheat who has an acceptable male in his flock and vows to give it, but then sacrifices a blemished animal to the Lord. For I am a great king,' says the LORD Almighty, 'and my name is to be feared among the nations.'

- the LORD is glorious ⁴

³And they were calling to one another: 'Holy, holy, holy is the LORD Almighty; the whole earth is full of his glory.' ⁴At the sound of their voices the doorposts and thresholds shook and the temple was filled with smoke...⁸ Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying, 'Whom shall I send? And who will go for us?' And I said, 'Here am I. Send me!'

The GRACE of God

- burnt offering ⁵

⁹ and the priest is to burn all of it on the altar. It is a burnt offering, a food offering, an aroma pleasing to the LORD.

- Christ as the burnt offering ⁶

⁶ with burnt offerings and sin offerings you were not pleased. ⁷ Then I said, "Here I am – it is written about me in the scroll – I have come to do your will, my God."

- us as the burnt offering ⁷

'Therefore, I urge you, brothers and sisters, in view of God's mercy, to offer your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and pleasing to God – this is your true and proper worship.'

The GOVERNMENT of God

- Jesus is Lord ⁸

³⁶ Therefore let all Israel be assured of this: God has made this Jesus, whom you crucified, both Lord and Christ.'

- under new management ⁹

⁹ if you declare with your mouth, 'Jesus is Lord,' and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved.



Discussion questions

What temperature is your commitment to the Lord at the moment? Which of these three truths do you find encourages you most to turn up the heat?

¹ Romans 12:11

² Deuteronomy 6:4-5; 1 Kings 18:21

³ Malachi 1:14

⁴ Isaiah 6:1-8

⁵ Leviticus 1:1-17

⁶ Hebrews 10:6; 1 Peter 1:19; Ephesians 5:2; Romans 8:31

⁷ Romans 12:1; Mark 12:33; Luke 7:36-50

⁸ Acts 2:36; Daniel 7:13-14

⁹ Romans 10:9; Numbers 14:24