



WORSHIP

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HOW CAN WE THANK YOU?

FOR CHILDREN'S VOICES (WITH RHYTHM ACCOMPANIMENT)

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LISTEN NOW!



WORTHY ARE YOU, OUR LORD AND
GOD, TO RECEIVE GLORY AND HONOR
AND POWER, FOR YOU CREATED ALL
THINGS, AND BY YOUR WILL THEY
EXISTED AND WERE CREATED.



REVELATION 4:11 (ESV)

SONG CONTEXT

It's not often that a song title is phrased as a question, like **How Can We Thank You?** Questions are usually asked in search of an answer. In this song, the question is answered in the scripture from Revelation 4:11, which inspired the writing of this song. When we take into consideration that God is worthy to receive glory, honor, and power in our worship because He created all things, that's a lot to consider. Our minds and hearts have trouble understanding that kind of God - a God beyond our comprehension. When we start listing all the things that God is and does, we can't make an entire list because the list is infinitely long. At some point, we end up stopping our efforts to make a list of things to thank God for, and we ask, "How Can We Thank You?"

The song gives us language to express our gratitude to God for who He is. There are words like "Alpha and Omega, Beginning and End, Creator, Sustainer, Redeemer, Friend, Faithful, Able, Love that never ends, Protector, Provider, and an Enduring Hope..." That's a long list of things for which to be thankful, yet it's still incomplete. For the list of things God is and does, our response is to sing our praise and thanks, which is our answer to the question of how we thank God. "Hallelujah, holy, Lord Almighty, all the honor, glory, worthy, we will worship Him forevermore!"

When you sing this song, take time to choose one of the attributes of God from the list mentioned in the song. At least 15 attributes are listed. Take time to understand at least a little of what each one means, not only to you but also to others in the world around us. When we understand some of the deeper meanings, we will sing with more understanding, as the Apostle Paul encourages us to do in I Corinthians 14:15 - "sing with the understanding." (NASB) By singing with understanding, you will answer the question asked in the title of the song: "How Can We Thank You?"

PRAYER

Dear God, the list of things that You are and do is so long. It is hard for us to fully understand Your many attributes. Even though it is hard to fully understand Your many attributes, help us to do our best to sing our hallelujahs and praise as we express our gratitude for who You are. Amen.