

COME LET US WORSHIP THE LORD!
A WONDERFUL COMMAND AND A FRIGHTENING ULTIMATUM
PSALM 95

- I. **WE WHO CLAIM TO BE GOD'S PEOPLE ARE COMMANDED TO JOYFULLY WORSHIP THE LORD TOGETHER (1-7a)**
 - A. **The wonderful command** for us to come and joyfully worship the Lord who saved us (1-2)
 - B. **The reason for our worship:** He is a great God and King who made all things (3-4)
 - C. **The command thus to worship and bow down** (5-6)
 - D. **The reason for our worship:** Because of the Great Shepherd, He is our God and we are His people, His sheep (7a)

- II. **THE ULTIMATUM for those who claim to be His people but are not: We must WORSHIP from a changed heart OR you will PERISH because of a hardened heart (7b-11)**
 - A. **If you hear His voice, do not let your heart harden** (7b-8a)
 - B. **The example of Israel's disobedience in the wilderness (8b-10)**
 - 1. They hardened their hearts and tested the Lord, even though they had seen His might work (8-9)
 - 2. Therefore, God hated that generation, who errored in their hearts and did not know His way (10)
 - C. **THEREFORE, GOD SWORE IN HIS ANGER THEY WOULD NOT ENTER HIS REST** (Be saved from their sins) (11)