

The LIGHT of HIS PRESENCE
Prayers to Draw You Near to the Heart of God

40 DAYS OF PRAISE

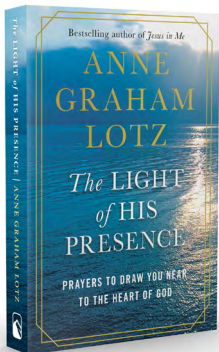
ANNE GRAHAM LOTZ



INTRODUCTION

I have made a habit of beginning my prayers with worship for who God is, because as I focus on Him, it's amazing how I see my own needs and problems are reduced in size compared with who He is.

And remember, the purpose of praise and prayer is not just to get answers. The purpose is to develop an intimate, personal relationship with the One who loves you, gave Himself for you, and longs for you to live in the light of His presence.



Coming soon!

ANNE
GRAHAM
LOTZ

ANGEL MINISTRIES

www.annegrahamlotz.org

Day 1: Praise to the Great High Priest

**We worship You as One who understands the feelings of our infirmities.
You are tender. Gentle. A bruised reed You will not break. A smoking
flax You will not quench. You never grow tired or weary.**

*Therefore, since we have a great high priest who has ascended into heaven,
Jesus the Son of God, let us hold firmly to the faith we profess. Hebrews 4:14*

Today we choose to live in the Light of Your Presence...

Day 2: Praise to the Creator

**Awesome, omnipotent, Creator God. We worship
You as the One... who laid the earth's foundations...**

*Where were you when I laid the earth's foundation? Tell me, if you understand. Who marked
off its dimensions? Surely you know! Who stretched a measuring line across it? Job 38:4-5*

Today we choose to live in the Light of Your Presence...

Day 3: Praise to the Good Shepherd

You alone are our refuge and our strength. You are our Good Shepherd who will lead us safely through this Valley of the Shadow that has fallen over a weary land.

*I am the good shepherd. The good shepherd
lays down his life for the sheep. John 10:11*

Today we choose to live in the Light of Your Presence...

Day 4: Praise to the God of Compassion

You demonstrate Your compassion through the ordinary people You use to bless us each day. And we glimpse Your love through circumstances that reveal You are gracious, abounding in lovingkindness and truth.

The LORD is compassionate and gracious, slow to anger, abounding in love. Psalm 103:8

Today we choose to live in the Light of Your Presence...

Day 5: Praise to the Unchanging One

You are the Eternal I AM. The One who is age to age the same. There is no shadow of turning with You. You are fully present in every generation—past, present, and future. You are the All-Mighty. Your power has not been deleted or depleted over the millennia of human history.

"I am the Alpha and the Omega," says the Lord God, "who is, and who was, and who is to come, the Almighty." Revelation 1:8

Today we choose to live in the Light of Your Presence...



Day 6: Praise to the God Who Saves and Hears

There is nowhere in all the Universe where You are not. Surely Your arm "...is not too short to save, nor [Your] ear too dull to hear."

Surely the arm of the LORD is not too short to save, nor his ear too dull to hear. Isaiah 59:1

Today we choose to live in the Light of Your Presence...



Day 7: Praise to the Light in the Darkness

**We long for the day when our faith becomes sight, and
the whole world is filled with the glory of who You are.**

When Jesus spoke again to the people, he said, "I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will never walk in darkness, but will have the light of life." John 8:12

Today we choose to live in the Light of Your Presence...

Day 8: Praise to the God of Glory

One day Your glory will fill the earth as the waters cover the sea. You are enduringly strong. You are entirely sincere. You are eternally steadfast. You are immortally gracious.

*For the earth will be filled with the knowledge of the glory
of the LORD as the waters cover the sea. Habakkuk 2:14*

Today we choose to live in the Light of Your Presence...

Day 9: Praise to the Provider

You have promised to meet all our needs according to the riches of Your glory, because You are Jehovah Jireh, the Lord Our Provider.

And my God will meet all your needs according to the riches of his glory in Christ Jesus. Philippians 4:19

Today we choose to live in the Light of Your Presence...

Day 10: Praise to the Eternal I AM

We worship You as the eternal I AM. In a world that is always changing and undulating like the waves of a stormy sea, You never change. You are ever-present and always relevant because You are always current.

God said to Moses, "I AM WHO I AM. This is what you are to say to the Israelites: I AM has sent me to you." Exodus 3:14

Today we choose to live in the Light of Your Presence...

Day 11: Praise to the Rock of Our Salvation

You are the Rock on which we stand! You are our Stronghold. We take refuge in You. We hide ourselves in You. We worship You alone.

He lifted me out of the slimy pit, out of the mud and mire; he set my feet on a rock and gave me a firm place to stand. Psalm 40:2

Today we choose to live in the Light of Your Presence...

Day 12: Praise to the Triune God

You are magnificent in the greatness of Your person. You have come to us in the third person of the Godhead. We worship You as the Spirit of Truth, our Comforter, our Counselor, our Helper—the Holy Spirit who is Jesus in us.

And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another advocate to help you and be with you forever— the Spirit of truth. The world cannot accept him, because it neither sees him nor knows him. But you know him, for he lives with you and will be in you. John 14:16-17

Today we choose to live in the Light of Your Presence...

Day 13: Praise to the Omnipotent God

When time, space, and history came into being, You were already there. You have no beginning and will have no end. Your presence is invisible, yet powerfully evident.

In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. He was with God in the beginning. John 1:1-2

Today we choose to live in the Light of Your Presence...

Day 14: Praise to the Almighty

There is nothing You cannot do. There is nothing You do not know. There is no place that You are not. You are able to supply all that I need—gifts, strength, resources, support, encouragement, direction, wisdom, and more...

Now to him who is able to do immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine, according to his power that is at work within us... Ephesians 3:20

Today we choose to live in the Light of Your Presence...

Day 15: Praise to the Lion of Judah

You are God Almighty. Commander of the armies of Heaven. All power and authority in the entire Universe has been given to You.

Then one of the elders said to me, "Do not weep! See, the Lion of the tribe of Judah, the Root of David, has triumphed. He is able to open the scroll and its seven seals." Revelation 5:5

Today we choose to live in the Light of Your Presence...

Day 16: Praise to God who is Lord

We worship You as Adonai. You are Lord. You are The Boss. We acknowledge Your authority to do as You please because You are the Owner of all things, including every human. You made us at Creation. You bought us at Calvary. You have the right to rule our lives.

Know that the LORD is God. It is he who made us, and we are his; we are his people, the sheep of his pasture. Psalm 100:3

Today we choose to live in the Light of Your Presence...

Day 17: Praise to Our Gentle Shepherd

You are Jehovah Rohi, the Lord My Shepherd, who takes full responsibility for the welfare of Your people. For our safety. For our necessities. You guard the young. You seek the stray. You find the lost. You guide the faithful.

The LORD is my shepherd, I lack nothing. He makes me lie down in green pastures, he leads me beside quiet waters... Psalm 23:1-2

Today we choose to live in the Light of Your Presence...

Day 18: Praise to the All-Seeing God

We worship You as One who has eyes to see everything. You see that which is visible and that which is invisible. That which is temporal and that which is eternal. That which is past, present, and that which is yet to come.

You have searched me, LORD, and you know me. Psalm 139:1

Today we choose to live in the Light of Your Presence...

Day 19: Praise to the Captain of Heaven's Armies

All-Mighty Warrior, Lion of Judah, Captain of the Armies of Heaven, we swear our allegiance to You and You alone, amid the battles of daily life...

The LORD Almighty is with us; the God of Jacob is our fortress. Psalm 46:7

Today we choose to live in the Light of Your Presence...



Day 20: Praise to the Deliverer

You are Jehovah Nissi, the Lord our Banner. At the sound of Your Name and at the sight of You, our Battle Standard, the enemy panics. Strongholds fall. Demons flee. The earth trembles. Heaven is moved.

He said: "The LORD is my rock, my fortress and my deliverer; my God is my rock, in whom I take refuge, my shield and the horn of my salvation. He is my stronghold, my refuge and my savior..." 2 Samuel 22:2-3

Today we choose to live in the Light of Your Presence...



Day 21: Praise to Our Abba

When we receive You by faith, believing on Your name, we are born into Your family. We have the right to be called Your children, and to call You Abba.

For you did not receive a spirit that makes you a slave again to fear, but you received the Spirit of sonship. And by him we cry, "Abba, Father." Romans 8:15

Today we choose to live in the Light of Your Presence...

Day 22: Praise to the Crucified One

Thank You for the Cross. Thank You that Your blood is just as powerful today as it was two thousand years ago when the first drop was shed on Calvary. Thank You that through Your blood we have redemption and the forgiveness of our sins.

He himself bore our sins in his body on the tree, so that we might die to sins and live for righteousness; by his wounds you have been healed. 1 Peter 2:24

Today we choose to live in the Light of Your Presence...

Day 23: Praise to the Promise Keeper

All of Your promises are trustworthy and true. All of life's questions are answered in You. You are the Sustainer of all things.

The Lord is not slow in keeping his promise, as some understand slowness. Instead he is patient with you, not wanting anyone to perish, but everyone to come to repentance. 2 Peter 3:9

Today we choose to live in the Light of Your Presence...

Day 24: Praise to the Lamb on the Throne

We worship You as the Lamb who was slain, but who is now enthroned at the center of the universe as the King of kings and the Lord of lords, soon to return in power and glory.

Then Jesus came to them and said, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me." Matthew 28:18

Today we choose to live in the Light of Your Presence...

Day 25: Praise to Our Great and Awesome God

Your right hand, O Lord, is majestic in power. And in the greatness of Your excellence You overthrow those who rise up against You...

For the LORD your God is God of gods and Lord of lords, the great God, mighty and awesome, who shows no partiality and accepts no bribes. Deuteronomy 10:17

Today we choose to live in the Light of Your Presence...

Day 26: Praise to God Only Wise

We worship You, Lord Jesus, for You are the incarnation of God's wisdom. Your judgments are unsearchable. Your ways are past finding out. Your thoughts are higher than ours.

To Him who is able to keep you from falling and to present you before His glorious presence without fault and with great joy--to the only (wise) God our Savior be glory, majesty, power and authority, through Jesus Christ our Lord, before all ages, now and forevermore! Amen. Jude 24-25

Today we choose to live in the Light of Your Presence...

Day 27: Praise to the Strengtheners

We worship You as the All-Mighty—our breathtaking and all-powerful Lord. You alone have the strength to establish, preserve, and prosper us.

And the God of all grace, who called you to his eternal glory in Christ, after you have suffered a little while, will himself restore you and make you strong, firm and steadfast. 1 Peter 5:10

Today we choose to live in the Light of Your Presence...

Day 28: Praise to Our Enthroned Lord Jesus

We worship You as the name that is above every name. You stand in the solitude of Yourself. There is no one like You. You are the One who sits on the throne at the center of the Universe.

The LORD has established his throne in heaven, and his kingdom rules over all. Psalm 103:19

Today we choose to live in the Light of Your Presence...

Day 29: Praise to Heaven's Joy

We worship You for Your great love that persevered through the rejection because of the joy that awaited You. How almost inconceivable it is to think that we are Your joy!

Fixing our eyes on Jesus, the pioneer and perfecter of faith. For the joy set before him he endured the cross, scorning its shame, and sat down at the right hand of the throne of God. Hebrews 12:2

Today we choose to live in the Light of Your Presence...

Day 30: Praise to the God of Grace

Your mercy endures forever. Your love endures forever. Your Word endures forever. Your faithfulness is to all generations. From the fullness of Your grace, You have poured out upon us one blessing after another.

From the fullness of his grace we have all received one blessing after another. John 1:16

Today we choose to live in the Light of Your Presence...

Day 31: Praise to the Only Begotten Son of God

We worship You as God in “homespun and sandals,” come down to perfectly reveal to us the character of the Father. When we want to know what God is like, we can look at You. When we want to know what’s in His heart, we can look at You. When we want to know what God thinks about us, we can look at You.

No one has ever seen God, but God the One and Only Son, who is at the Father's side, has made him known. John 1:18

Today we choose to live in the Light of Your Presence...



Day 32: Praise to the Worthy Lord

**We worship You, the Lamb who was slain, who alone is worthy of all praise.
Our hearts yearn for the day when we will gather around Your throne...
The entire Universe will roar in acclamation and praise of You!**

In a loud voice they sang: "Worthy is the Lamb, who was slain, to receive power and wealth and wisdom and strength and honor and glory and praise!" Revelation 5:12

Today we choose to live in the Light of Your Presence...



Day 33: Praise to the Father of Our Lord Jesus Christ

We come to You with confidence because the way has been opened for us by the blood of Your Son who sits at Your right hand, who is in authority over all. We come to You with a sincere heart in full assurance of faith that You will receive us, You will listen to us, and You will answer us. Hear our prayers as we come to You in the name of Jesus.

This, then, is how you should pray: "Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name." Matthew 6:9

Today we choose to live in the Light of Your Presence...

Day 34: Praise to the Lord of lords and King of kings

We worship You as the Alpha and the Omega. The Beginning and the End. Human history began in response to Your powerful Word; and human history, as we know it, will end with Your loud command, with the voice of the archangel and with the blast of Your trumpet.

They will make war against the Lamb, but the Lamb will overcome them because he is Lord of lords and King of kings--and with him will be his called, chosen and faithful followers. Revelation 17:14

Today we choose to live in the Light of Your Presence...

Day 35: Praise to the Fountainhead of ALL Blessing

You exercise kindness, justice, and righteousness. And You have been so good to us. You have poured out Your blessings on us, beginning with the gift of life itself. Our every breath comes from You. And then You add blessing upon blessing.

"But let him who boasts boast about this: that he understands and knows me, that I am the Lord, who exercises kindness, justice and righteousness on earth, for in these I delight," declares the Lord. Jeremiah 9:24

Today we choose to live in the Light of Your Presence...

Day 36: Praise to the God of Our Fathers

You have been our dwelling place throughout the generations. Your faithfulness, Your fame, Your promises, Your covenant, Your authority, Your glory continue year after year, decade after decade, century after century, millennia after millennia.

Lord, you have been our dwelling place throughout all generations. Psalm 90:1

Today we choose to live in the Light of Your Presence...

Day 37: Praise to the Savior of the World

Through our faith in You, we receive forgiveness of sin, salvation from hell, eternal life, a heavenly Home, and ten thousand blessings besides! We know who we are, why we are here, where we are going. Life has purpose and meaning and eternal significance.

And we have seen and testify that the Father has sent his Son to be the Savior of the world. 1 John 4:14

Today we choose to live in the Light of Your Presence...

Day 38: Praise to the Living Lord

We acknowledge that You are Lord. Lord of the Universe, Lord of this planet, Lord of this nation, Lord of this city, Lord of this community, Lord of my life...You are Lord of lords.

Therefore God exalted him to the highest place and gave him the name that is above every name, that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue acknowledge that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father. Philippians 2:9-11

Today we choose to live in the Light of Your Presence...

Day 39: Praise to the Lover of Our Souls

Your love is more precious than any pleasures the world has to offer. Your names are like perfume to my spirit. Redeemer, Healer, Savior, Shepherd, Master, Lord and King. Jesus. Yeshua. We long to draw near to You.

The Lord appeared to us in the past, saying: "I have loved you with an everlasting love; I have drawn you with loving-kindness." Jeremiah 31:3

Today we choose to live in the Light of Your Presence...

Day 40: Praise to the Holy Lord

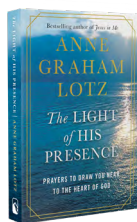
We set aside these moments to look up. We see You high and exalted, seated on the throne of our hearts. We acknowledge Your authority and Your greatness. No one is greater than You are, and no one is higher than You are.

And they were calling to one another: "Holy, holy, holy is the LORD Almighty; the whole earth is full of his glory." Isaiah 6:3

Today we choose to live in the Light of Your Presence...

Thank you

for joining in this 40 Days of Praise. We pray that this has enriched your time of personal prayer.



To learn more, visit: www.annegrahamlotz.org/the-light-of-his-presence/



Connect with Anne...

Online at www.annegrahamlotz.org/connect

Ministry Newsletter/Announcements, Daily eDevotional and Anne's blog updates



facebook.com/AnneGrahamLotz



instagram.com/annegrahamlotz



twitter.com/AGLotz



Copyright © 2020 AnGeL Ministries, All rights reserved.

Our mailing address is:

AnGeL Ministries
5115 Hollyridge Drive
Raleigh, NC 27612

www.annegrahamlotz.org