

(Topics and Lead-in Below)

The Word of the Lord

Psalm 33:4-11; Isaiah 40:8

♩ = ca. 96

Dm Dm C Gm Bb Gm7 Bb Dm A Gm6 Dm A Am7

1. Hear it thun - der thro' all times- The Word of the
2. Thro' the fire and thro' the flood- The Word of the
3. Thro' our strug - gles, thro' our fears- The Word of the

Dm Gm D Dm Dm C Gm Bb Gm7 Bb Dm A G7sus Dm Gm6 Bb

Lord. All a - round its won - ders shine- The Word of the
Lord. Proph - ets die to lift it up- The Word of the
Lord. Dai - ly we will bow to hear The Word of the

A sus A A G Dm F A7sus E Dm Dm C Gm Bb Bb A sus A

Lord. Be - fore the earth and all that is, Be -
Lord. Thro' war and death and dark - est days, Thro'
Lord. Soon all we see and touch and know Will

Dm A7sus E F A sus A A G Dm F A7sus E Dm Dm C Gm Bb Gm7 Bb Dm A

fore the worlds a - bove, Our Fa - ther spoke in might - y love
li - ars, thieves, and kings, The faith - ful know the hope it brings-
fade and fall a - way. But praise to God! The truth re - mains-

rit. (4th time)

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The Word of the Lord.
 The Word of the Lord.
 The Word of the Lord. All Lord.

TOPICS: Assurance & Comfort; Faith; Word of God

LEAD-IN: *The grass withers and the flowers fall,
 but the word of our God stands forever. (Isaiah 40:8, NIV)*

LEAD-IN DEVOTIONAL READING:

The Word of God

You are sure to have a Bible at hand. Pick it up. Do you know what a treasure You are holding?

God's Word is creative, bringing life and beauty out of nothing (Genesis 1).

God's Word is perfect, pure, and more precious than gold (Psalm 19).

God's Word is unimaginably powerful:

*The voice of the Lord is over the waters;
the God of glory thunders...
The voice of the Lord is powerful;
the voice of the Lord is majestic...
and in his temple all cry, "Glory!"*
(Psalm 29:3-4, 9, NIV)

God's Word will be creative, life-giving, precious, and powerful within you as You read it and trust it.

For thousands of years people have argued about the Bible's accuracy. Its teachings clash with our desires. Its wisdom challenges our understandings. Its principles seem to conflict with science's latest version of the truth.

But as every other source of "truth" quickly goes out-of-date, God's Word continues to speak. Person after person, generation after generation finds it beautiful, pure, life-giving, and consistently, completely reliable. They find it true and satisfying mentally, emotionally, and spiritually. As on the first day of creation, when God speaks, our world is filled with light.

Treasure God's Word. Treasure it enough to read it, trust it, share it, and live by it.