

Kingdom of Love

Jesus came announcing,
 "The kingdom of heaven is at hand." (Matthew 4:17, NASB)
He taught that the Kingdom was growing
 wherever hearts were receiving it. (Matthew 13; Mark 4)
He taught us to pray to the Father,
 "Your kingdom come." (Matthew 6:10, NASB)
We pray for the day that
 God's control and
 God's character
will permeate
 every heart and
 all creation.

And since
 God is love (1 John 4:8, NASB),
His Kingdom is a
 Kingdom of Love.
As we make Him our Lord and King, His love
 fills and
 guides and
 shapes us.
And when His Kingdom comes
 in its fullness
 throughout all creation,
all the world will be permeated with His love –
 every heart,
 every life,
 every relationship
 with Him and with each other.
Imagine the peace,
 the joy,
 the freedom from fear and anxiety,
 the beautiful, unbroken union
we will all share.

O Father,
 Your Kingdom come!

Hymn: [Kingdom of Love](#)