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Episode 029: Lent Movie: "The Passion of Joan of Arc"

HOSANNA TO THE LIVING LORD!

John B Dykes, 1865, Reginald Heber, 1827

1. Hosanna to the living Lord! Hosanna to th'incarnate Word! To Christ, Redeemer, Saviour King Let earth let heav'n Hosanna sing!

Hosanna, Lord! Hosanna in the highest!

- 2. Hosanna Lord! Thine angels cry; Hosanna, Lord! Thy saints reply; Above, beneath us, and around The dead and living swell the sound;
- 3. O Saviour with protecting care Abide in this Thy house of pray'r, Where we Thy parting promise claim Assembled in Thy sacred Name.

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THERE IS POWER IN THE BLOOD

Author unknown

There is pow'r, pow'r, wonder working power In the Blood of the Lamb. There is pow'r, pow'r, wonder working power In the precious Blood of the Lamb.

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RIDE ON, KING JESUS!

African Spiritual

Ride on, King Jesus! No man can a-hinder me. Ride on, King Jesus, ride on! No man can a-hinder me. No man can a-hinder me.

In that great gettin' up morning... Fare thee well, fare thee well. [repeat]

When I get to heaven gonna wear my robes. No man can a-hinder me.

Gonna see King Jesus sittin' on the Throne. No man can a-hinder me.

Gonna walk the streets that are paved with gold. No man can a-hinder me.

Going to a land where I'll never grow old. No man can a-hinder me.

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ALL GLORY LAUD AND HONOR

Theodulph of Orleans, ca. 760-821, tr. by John M Neale 181-66 ST. THEODULPH, Melchior Teschner, 1584-1635

All glory, laud and honor, To Thee, Redeemer King! To Whom the lips of children, Made sweet hosannas ring!

- 1. Thou art the King of Israel and David's royal Son Now in the Lord's name coming The King and Blessed One.
- 2. The company of angels Are praising You on high And mortals joined with all things Created make reply
- 3. To You before Thy passion They sang their hymns of praise To You now high exalted Our melody we raise
- 4. The people of the Hebrews With palms before You went Our praise and prayer and anthems Before You we present
- 5. Their praises You accepted. Accept the prayers we bring Great source of love and goodness Our Saviour and our King.

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WHAT WONDROUS LOVE IS THIS

Author Unknown

1. What wondrous love is this, O my soul, O my soul. What wondrous love is this, O my soul. What wondrous love is this. That caused the Lord of bliss To bear the dreadful curse For my soul To bear the dreadful curse For my soul

2. When I was sinking down,

- Sinking down, sinking down, When I was sinking down, sinking down When I was sinking down, beneath God's righteous frown Christ laid aside His crown for my soul, for my soul Christ laid aside His crown for my soul
- 3. To God and to the Lamb I will sing, I will sing To God and to the Lamb I will sing To God and to the Lamb, Who is the Great I AM While millions join the theme I will sing, I will sing While millions join the theme I will sing
- 4. And when from death I'm free I'll sing on, I'll sing on And when from death I'm free I'll sing on And when from death I'm free I'll sing and joyful be

Throughout eternity I'll sing on, I'll sing on. Throughout eternity I'll sing on.

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TAKE UP THY CROSS

Charles William Everest

Take up thy cross the Savior said If thou wouldst my disciple be Deny thyself the world forsake And humbly follow after me

Take up Thy cross let not its weight Fill Thy weak spirit with alarm His strength shall bear Thy spirit up and brace Thy heart And nerve thine arm

Take up thy cross nor heed the shame Nor let thy foolish pride rebel Thy Lord for thee the cross endured To save thy soul from death and hell

Take up thy cross and follow Christ Nor think till death to lay it down For only those who bear the cross May hope to wear the glorious crown

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HOSANNA FILIO DAVID

Roman Gradual

Hosanna fílio Dávid:

Benedíctus qui vénit in nómine Dómini.

Rex Israel: Hosánna in excélsis.

Hosanna O son of David! Blessed be Him who now comes in the name of the Lord God.

King of Israel, Hosanna in the highest!

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SONG(s) OF THE WEEK

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http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UXCoHxX1OC8

Episode Log Times

3:50 - Worship Session (Music and Prayer)

4:22 - Hosanna To The Living Lord / Power In the Blood

7:40 - Ride On, King Jesus

11:33 - All Glory, Laud and Honor

15:24 - What Wondrous Love Is This

17:55 - Take Up Thy Cross

21:06 - Hosanna Filio David

22:23 - Spoken, Spontaneous Prayer

30:28 - Song of the Week ("Hosanna" by Carl Tuttle, Paul

Baloche, Brenton Brown and Brooke Frasier)

40:47 - Reflections (Lent Movie: "Ordet")

55:33 - Final Comments and Doxology

- This episode I share about "*The Passion of Joan of Arc*", the fifth selection of the Lenten Movie Club, which, at the time of this writing, is available to all members of Hulu+ streaming (which may have a trial subscription).
- This is considered to be, by many critics, to be one of the greatest movies ever made.
- This is a different type of silent film than what we are used to. It is a powerful re-enactment and tragedy.
- The film was created at the time where Joan of Arc was greatly celebrated, shortly after the Catholic Church had declared her a saint.
- They tried to be accurate with the film, with the one stipulation that
 they took all the events in the last months of Joan of Arc's life, and
 shortened it to just one day.
- This was Leah Falconnetti's only film performance, and is considered to be one of the greatest performances in the history of cinema.
- This film had about triple the amount of edits than a normal silent film had in that day. This made the film somewhat disorienting, as if you are off-balance the whole movie.
- I share my thoughts as to how this movie had influenced both the film adaptation of *Les Misérables (2012)*, and *The Passion of the Christ (2004)*.
- The bigger question is why a movie like this needed to be made at all. Isn't life hard enough? Why not have some light comedies instead?
- This film demonstrates--in vivid detail--the sacrifices one must make if you were to bear the cross.
- This world is temporary, and is not our home. The soul that clings to God will last forever.
- "In your struggle against sin, you have yet to shed your blood." -Hebrews 12:4
- The trials we endure in this life will be "glory scars" in the next.
- Next week: The Gospel According to St. Matthew
- The schedule is as follows:

Lent 1: The Diary of a Country Priest (available on Hulu+)

Lent 2: A Man For All Seasons (available on Amazon Prime)

Lent 3: <u>Into Great Silence</u> (available on Netflix)

Lent 4: *Ordet* (available on Hulu+)

Lent 5: <u>The Passion of Joan of Arc</u> (available on Hulu+)

HolyWeek: *The Gospel According to St. Matthew* (avail on Hulu)

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