

A Divine Mystery Has Been Revealed To Us

“In whom we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of sins, according to the riches of his grace;

Wherein he hath abounded toward us in all wisdom and prudence;

Having made known unto us the mystery of his will, according to his good pleasure which he hath purposed in himself”, Ephesians 1:7-9.

‘A Divine Mystery Has Been Revealed To Us’. You may well ask, “What has been given to me? I am still the same person as the day I was born”.

It is what you did in the intervening years between your birth, and the day your Heavenly Father’s servant finally managed to get you to stand still, and listen to Him for a few minutes.

Your Heavenly Father sent a servant. One He knew would be obedient to the final dot.

God sent Jesus, for God knew that Jesus would establish the work He was sent for.

God sent Jesus, for God knew that Jesus would establish a generator that would become the lighting power upon the earth.

God sent Jesus, that man would not have to continue paying to get his sins forgiven.

They would be removed by request!

Thus, the Divine Mystery was that God reestablished, through His Son, His presence in our lives.

In the Garden of Eden, God showed Himself by walking in the garden, in the presence of Adam and Eve.

Throughout the Old Testament, God declared Himself by the works the prophets did in His Name,

Throughout the New Testament, God has declared Himself through the works the Church has done in His Name,

Several years ago, the ladies of a Mother’s Union - I love that title (!!!) - were invited by their president to make a comment regarding any event in their home or lifestyle. Answers included, “For smoke alarms because they let you know when the meat is cooked!”

The one I remember best of all was both inspirational, and uplifting, she was the matriarch of the group.

She said, in a firm voice, "My husband has gone to live with his Lord. My children have their own families, but they still find the time to call in. But the greatest thing for me is that I have more time to talk to my Lord. I have found out who He truly is. I never have to call out to Him, He is always there."

A Divine mystery had been revealed to that dear soul.

Join me please, as we look at Psalm 100.

"Make a joyful noise unto the Lord, all ye lands.

Serve the Lord with gladness: come before his presence with singing.

Know ye that the Lord he is God: it is he that hath made us, and not we ourselves; we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture.

Enter into his gates with thanksgiving, and into his courts with praise: be thankful unto him, and bless his name.

For the Lord is good; his mercy is everlasting; and his truth endureth to all generations", Psalm 100.

That dear lady certainly made a joyful noise, she was using her voice to praise and thank Him for His Presence in her life.

She did not try and solve the mystery, knowing that she could spend time in the Lord's Presence. The Lord's Presence had been revealed to her.

During the American Revolution a man in civilian clothes rode past a group of soldiers repairing a small defensive barrier.

Their leader was shouting instructions, but making no attempt to help them. Asked why by the rider, he retorted with great dignity, "Sir, I am a corporal!"

The stranger apologized, dismounted, and proceeded to help the exhausted soldiers. The job done, he turned to the corporal and said, "Mr. Corporal, next time you have a job like this and not enough men to do it, go to your commander-in-chief.

Unbuttoning his coat, revealing that he was wearing the uniform of a general, the rider continued, "Then I will come and help you again."

The apparent civilian was none other than George Washington himself.