

“And the Spirit and the bride say, ‘Come.’ And let him that heareth say, ‘Come.’ And let him that is athirst come. And whosoever will, let him take the Water of Life freely.” Revelation 22:17 KJV



The Psalmist writes, *“O God, Thou art my God; early will I seek Thee: my soul thirsteth for Thee, my flesh longeth for Thee in a dry and thirsty land, where no water is.”* God’s Answer; *“For I will pour Water upon him that is thirsty, and floods upon the dry ground: I will pour My Spirit upon thy seed, and My Blessing upon thine offspring: And they shall spring up as among the grass, as willows by the water courses.”* It’s a hot

dusty summer’s day, and you’ve worked so hard that you are almost passing out from the heat and humidity. You head for shade and the water jug. You don’t bother with a cup, but turn the jug up and the cool liquid soothingly passes your tongue and down your throat while some escapes to run down onto your clothing. You drink long and hard until you must finally stop to breathe. You take a few breaths and pull again long and hard at the cooling liquid until your thirst is finally quenched. You look for a place to sit and rest in the shade. There is nothing more satisfying than cool water quenching a hard thirst; the all-consuming desire demanding satisfaction. After working another while, you again seek its comfort. Are you thirsty for Truth? Do you desire to see justice prevail? The Lord bids us *“Come”* drink long and hard at the Fountain of His Truth! You will be at once satisfied and left longing for more. Like cold water on a hot day, you’ll drink till you can hold no more, but long for another sip! Working hard in the Lord’s fields, we need to come to the Spring often to refresh ourselves lest we faint. Every child of God needs to be often refreshed at the flow of *“Living Water.”* Are you weary and worn? *“Come.”* Are you tired and need rest? *“Come.”* Are you weary of evil’s triumph? *“Come.”* Do you see others needing refreshment? Bid them, *“Come.”* Does your cross seem too heavy? *“Come! Jesus stood and cried, saying, ‘If any man thirst, let him come unto Me, and drink. He that believeth on Me, as the Scripture hath said, ‘Out of his belly (heart/emotions) shall flow rivers of Living Water.’”* The *“Living Water”* will not only revive you, but will flow from you to refresh others as well!

Come and see that our Lord is good,
Refresh your soul as oft you should,
Quench your thirst at Truth’s full flow,
And you’ll not faint in sun nor snow. ~CGP

We have a mandate from the Master to *“pray the Lord of the harvest to send forth laborers.”* Will you say with Isaiah, *“Here am I Lord, send me”*? Will you be found busy at work in the fields of God when our Lord returns? We will spend eternity being refreshed at the *“Spring of Living Water,”* but we have only the present in which to labor. *“Work for the night is coming when no man can work.”* It’s not the strength and ability of the laborer which matters so much as the harvest. We all sin, but we all must warn if we truly believe! The *“Living Water”* ever flows freely to all who will *“Come.”* Jesus said;

“Come unto me, all ye that labour and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. Take My Yoke (Truth) upon you, and learn of me; for I am meek and lowly in heart: and ye shall find rest unto your souls. For My Yoke is easy, and My Burden is Light.” Matthew 11:28-30 KJV