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THE LORD OF

Psalm 46:7

Hosts

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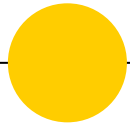
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Psalm 46:7 (NASB)

The LORD of hosts is with us; The God of Jacob is our stronghold. Selah.





INTRODUCTION

Isaiah 37:16 (NIV)

¹⁶ “LORD Almighty, the God of Israel,
enthroned between the cherubim,
You alone are God over all the kingdoms of the earth.
You have made heaven and earth.”

- **The Lord dwells upon the mercy seat.**
- **This is also known as the throne of grace.**



INTRODUCTION

Hebrews 4:16 (NASB)

¹⁶ Therefore let us draw near with confidence to the throne of grace, so that we may receive mercy and find grace to help in time of need.

- **We are drawing near to the Lord of Hosts.**
- **This is essential in this time of political crisis.**
- **This is essential in this time of economic crisis.**
- **This is essential in this time of spiritual crisis.**

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He is Lord of the **Cosmic Hosts**

Genesis 2:1 (NKJV)

And the heavens and the earth were finished,
and all the host of them.

Isaiah 40:26 (NIV)

Lift your eyes and look to the heavens: Who created all these? He who brings out the starry host one by one, and calls them each by name. Because of His great power and mighty strength, not one of them is missing.

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He is Lord of the **Angelic Hosts**

1 Kings 22:19 (NIV)

Micaiah continued, "Therefore hear the word of the LORD: I saw the LORD sitting on His throne with all the host of heaven standing around Him on His right and on His left."

Psalms 103:21 (NIV)

Praise the LORD, all His heavenly hosts,
you His servants who do His will.

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He is Lord of the **Human Hosts**

Exodus 6:26 (NASB)

²⁶ It was *the same* Aaron and Moses to whom the LORD said, "Bring out the sons of Israel from the land of Egypt according to their hosts."

Exodus 7:4 (NASB)

⁴ "When Pharaoh does not listen to you, then I will lay My hand on Egypt and bring out My hosts, My people the sons of Israel, from the land of Egypt by great judgments."

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The Lord of Hosts for **Jesus**

Isaiah 9:7 (NASB)

⁷ There will be no end to the increase of *His* government or of peace,
On the throne of David and over His kingdom,
To establish it and to uphold it with justice and righteousness
From then on and forevermore.
The zeal of the LORD of hosts will accomplish this.

Isaiah 9:7 (NLT)

His ever expanding, peaceful government will never end.
He will rule forever with fairness and justice from the throne of
His ancestor David. The passionate commitment of the LORD
Almighty will guarantee this!



OUR RESPONSE TO THE LORD OF HOSTS

Isaiah 6:3-5 (NRSV)

³ And one called to another and said: “Holy, holy, holy is the LORD of hosts; the whole earth is full of His glory.”

⁴ The pivots on the thresholds shook at the voices of those who called, and the house filled with smoke.

⁵ And I said: “Woe is me! I am lost, for I am a man of unclean lips, and I live among a people of unclean lips; yet my eyes have seen the King, the LORD of hosts!”

THE LORD OF HOSTS DESERVES OUR REPENTANCE



OUR RESPONSE TO THE LORD OF HOSTS

Isaiah 6:8 (NASB)

⁸ Then I heard the voice of the Lord, saying,
"Whom shall I send, and who will go for Us?"
Then I said, "Here am I. Send me!"

THE LORD OF HOSTS DESERVES OUR SERVICE



Conclusion

1. *The Lord of Hosts* **DEFEATS THE ENEMY**
2. *The Lord of Hosts* **CONTROLS OUR CIRCUMSTANCES**
3. *The Lord of Hosts* **IS GATHERING HIS ARMY**
4. *The Lord of Hosts* **GIVES JESUS THE KINGDOM**
5. *The Lord of Hosts* **DESERVES OUR REPENTANCE**
6. *The Lord of Hosts* **DESERVES OUR SERVICE**