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Sermon Title: **Age to Age**

Opening Scripture: Psalms 46:10

Closing Scripture: Luke 17:5



Excerpt from the Border Sacrifice:

Of old in the beginning, there was the great chaos, without form and dark. The five elements [planets] had not begun to revolve, nor the sun and moon to shine. You, O Spiritual Sovereign, first divided the grosser parts from the purer. You made heaven. You made earth. You made man. All things with their reproducing power got their being'

Genesis 1:1–2, 9–10, 16, 24, 27 (NASB)

In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth. The earth was formless and void, and darkness was over the surface of the deep, and the Spirit of God was moving over the surface of the waters.

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Then God said, "Let the waters below the heavens be gathered into one place, and let the dry land appear"; and it was so. God called the dry land earth, and the gathering of the waters He called seas; and God saw that it was good.

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God made the two great lights, the greater light to govern the day, and the lesser light to govern the night; He made the stars also.

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Then God said, "Let the earth bring forth living creatures after their kind: cattle and creeping things and beasts of the earth after their kind"; and it was so.

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God created man in His own image, in the image of God He created him; male and female He created them.

Excerpt from the Border Sacrifice:

'When ShangDi, the Lord, had so decreed, He called into existence

[originated] heaven, earth, and man. Between heaven and earth He separately placed in order men and things, all overspread by the heavens.

Psalms 33:6-9 (NAS)

By the word of the Lord the heavens were made, And by the breath of His mouth all their host. He gathers the waters of the sea together as a heap; He lays up the deeps in storehouses. Let all the earth fear the Lord; Let all the inhabitants of the world stand in awe of Him. For He spoke, and it was done; He commanded, and it stood fast.

Isaiah 45:12(NASB)

"It is I who made the earth, and created man upon it. I stretched out the heavens with My hands And I ordained all their host.

Excerpt from the Border Sacrifice:

While we celebrate His great name, what limit can there be, or what measure ever He setteth fast the high heavens, and established the solid earth. His government is everlasting. His unworthy servant, I bow my head, I lay it in the dust, bathed in His grace and glory.

Jeremiah 10:6 (NASB)

There is none like You, O Lord; You are great, and great is Your name in might.

Psalms 147:5 (NASB) {Also applies to the next section}

Great is our Lord and abundant in strength; His understanding is infinite.

Genesis 1:1 (NASB)

In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth.

Daniel 2:44 (NASB) {Also applies to the next section}

...the God of heaven will set up a kingdom which will never be destroyed, and that kingdom will not be left for another people ... it will endure forever

Psalms 84:11 (NASB)

**... The Lord gives grace and glory;
No good thing does He withhold from those who walk uprightly.**

Excerpt from the Border Sacrifice:

All the numerous tribes of animated beings are indebted to Thy favor for their beginnings. Men and things are all embraced in Thy love. O Te [ShangDi] All living things are indebted to Your goodness, but who knows from whom his blessings come to him?

You alone, O Lord, are the true parent to all things

He [ShangDi] sets forever the high heaven, and establishes the solid earth.

His government is everlasting Your sovereign goodness cannot be measured

As a potter, You have made all living things.

Romans 13:1 (NASB)

Every person is to be in subjection to the governing authorities. For there is no authority except from God, and those which exist are established by God.

Zephaniah 3:17 (NASB)

The Lord your God is in your midst, A victorious warrior. He will exult over you with joy, He will be quiet in His love, He will rejoice over you with shouts of joy.

James 1:17a (NASB)

Every good thing given and every perfect gift is from above, coming down from the Father of lights

1 John 3:1a (NASB)

See how great a love the Father has bestowed on us, that we would be called children God; and we are.

Isaiah 37:16c (NASB)

You have made heaven and earth.

Jeremiah 18:6 (NASB)

"Can I not, O house of Israel, deal with you as this potter does?" declares the Lord. "Behold, like the clay in the potter's hand, so are you in My hand, house of Israel.