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Bee Solomon, Angelo Titus

Thoughts and prayers by André Truter

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Opening Prayer

by

André Truter

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Almighty Father, thank You that You made a covenant out of grace with the rainbow as a sign. Thank You that You also made a second covenant with Abraham and then later on extended it to all nations through Your Son Jesus Christ. You have always kept Your covenants, even though we repeatedly break the covenant by sinning. Thank You that You are willing to forgive us and renew Your covenant with us. Thank You for the talents of the poets and readers that we can use to praise Your Name and highlight Your endless grace. Please bless this work.

Amen



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Dew drops and rainbows, a shiny reminder

In the morning;
when the dew
turns the grass into
a carpet of crystals,
I feel alive, I feel free.

Each drop on each leaf
contains within it,
the colours of the rainbow.
A shiny reminder to me!

Of the eternal promise
You made, despite the
covenants we broke.
The price YÓÚ paid; to give
us faith, love and hope.

Pilate asked You
what is truth and then
sentenced You to death,
You told him Your kingdom
is not of this world,
then offered us forgiveness
and life with Your last breath.

poem
by

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We are the branches,
You are the Vine;
You are the Groom,
and we are the bride
purified by the blood and water
that poured from Your side;
baptised in Your love,
dear King, Who was crucified.

Whether gentle rain
or stormy downpour -
I never lose sight
of Your love, because
You refresh the earth,
bring new life to birth;
and the rainbow is
the symbol of hope
in the sky above.

And, no matter how
dark the night gets,
in the morning I search
for that ribbon of colour
in each dew drop.
A reminder of Your faithfulness
to Noah on the ark, and how
patient You are with me, dear Potter;
as You mould and shape my heart.

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by

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Rainbow covenant

Both the arc and cross
was made from wood,
to rise above all sin
to where God stood.

The world was cleansed
through the water of the flood.
We were cleansed
through Jesus's blood.

The arc landed on the hill called:
"the curse has been removed."
Jesus took the curse upon Himself -
His perfect love for us was proved.

God looked at us through
the Light of the Lamb -
saw the rainbow's beautiful colours
and declared us worthy...

Worthy of His love;
never to be destroyed again...
To the Father, Jesus presented us -
without spot, blemish or wrinkle.

God saw the rainbow,
the sign of the new covenant.
He saw His bride,
in all her glory;
beautiful, colourful, radiant...

And promised to Love her,
Forever...

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In The Glory of Your Rainbow

In the glory of Your rainbow;
I am reminded, in this quiet moment -
refreshed after the storm;
of the reason why
to You alone
my head I bow!

You've set the rainbow
in the clouds, to
remind me of the
everlasting covenant
between
You and every creature
living on this place
called earth.

And like the rainbow's
appearance
in the clouds,
that rainy day,
so bright is
the appearance
of Your glory, O Lord,
and therefor to You alone;
in worship, my head, I bow.

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Rainbow Covenant

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After the flood, God made the first covenant with man and also with all living creatures on earth. God said that He will never destroy all life on earth with a flood again. He gave the rainbow as the sign of the covenant. This covenant is one-sided, only God has a part to uphold. The other party in the covenant, man and all living creatures does not have to do anything to keep the covenant. God made the covenant purely out of grace.

Later, God made a covenant with Abraham. God promises to make Abraham's descendants as many as the sand of the sea and that He will give the descendants of Isak the land of Canaan. The sign of this covenant is circumcision. This covenant is a two-sided covenant. God has a part to keep, but Abraham and his descendants also have a part to keep. The descendants of Abraham must honour God and keep His commandments. God has repeatedly renewed this covenant, first with Isak, then Jacob, then again with the Israelites and Moses at Mount Sinai, when He gave them the 12 commandments.

Unfortunately, the Israelites broke the covenant repeatedly over the years and each time God forgave them and renewed the covenant.

With the death of Jesus, God renewed the covenant again, but this time He included all mankind and replaced the promised land with the everlasting life. Jesus is the sign of this covenant, not circumcision anymore. By accepting Jesus Christ as our Saviour, we become part of this covenant. We also break the covenant each time we sin, but if we go to God and confess our sins sincerely, He will forgive us and renew the covenant with us.



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The Rainbow

There it is suspended in space,
its resplendent beauty arching the sky,
colours in perfect array
- red, orange, yellow, green, blue, indigo and violet.

It is sign, a reminder, a revelation, a covenant, evidence,
freely granted by a God who cannot lie.
A sign of His immense power and matchless beauty,
a reminder of His endless love and constant care,
a revelation of His desire to preserve and not destroy,
an eternal covenant made by a Creator God with His creatures
– evidence of His unrelenting pursuit of our love and devotion.

The rainbow, so simple, beautiful, and yet so profound.
Like the rainbow that surrounds God's throne in heaven,
manifesting His might, His majesty, awesomeness and splendor,
it reminds us of our duty and privilege to worship and magnify
the Creator of all that is beautiful, perfect and good.

May the rainbow in the sky be your rainbow of hope and courage.
May the Maker of the rainbow be your Lord, Your Saviour, your God!

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Rainbow Grace.

In science we learned about the rainbow.
It comes from pure white light
that raindrops or glass refracted
into rainbow colours so bright!

I found myself on the ground,
on my face and knees, facing east.
On and around me I was bathed in
the whitest light ever to be found!

In front of me stood the Three-in One.
Our Father, our Spirit, and Father's Holy Son.
Impure and trembling, on my face
I received a message of infinite Grace!

"It is not because of all you have done,
that you have become My chosen one;
but because I wanted to choose you
to spread My Grace to others too."

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Angelo Titus



Suddenly, on my knees and face;
I understood Father's full meaning of Grace.
To spread His Rainbow message of love.
His covenant between the people on earth
and the Three-in One in the heavens above!

Please, my brethren. on our earth below;
let me teach you, so that you also can know
the beautiful splendour of Father's Rainbow
Covenant, He wants on you to bestow!

Let our love and praises to Him be our song.
Let all of us to Father and Son belong!
Let us rejoice and be exceedingly glad!
Because of our ABBA Father and Holy Dad!
Amen. And Amen!

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The rainbow

I look up at the rainbow,
and I know...

God has the power to destroy us
in one fell sweep,
but He won't -
because He loves us too deep.

He has the power to build and destroy,
but He chose us,
to be His pride and joy...

The rainbow declares,
that never again,
will the world become so
dark and dim-

because God has a plan...

A plan so wonderful and bright,
like the reflection of colours
in a rainbow's light.

Jesus-
He is the promise to us!
The covenant not to be destroyed
by a flood,
because He chose to redeem us
with His blood!

Thank you God,
for Your Devine plan.
Because of Jesus
we can live again!

Halleluja!!!

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Closing Prayer

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Almighty Father,
may this work go out and spread
to reach as many people as possible
to glorify Your Name.

Thank You for the technology
that You gave to record and spread these
wonderful poems around the world.

May Your Name be glorified by it.

Amen.



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