

**Lloyd Larson Biography**  
**Composer/Conductor**

**Lloyd Larson** earned a B.A. from Anderson University of Anderson, Indiana in 1976 and a M.C.M. from Southern Baptist Theological Seminary of Louisville, Kentucky in 1979. He has done additional graduate work at Southern Baptist Seminary, The Ohio State University, and Northern Baptist Seminary, Chicago, Illinois.

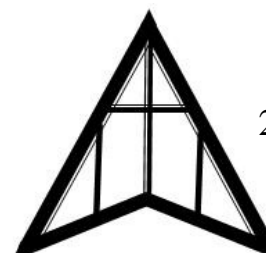
Since 1982, Lloyd has been an active composer and arranger for several major publishing companies of church and school music. His compositions and arrangements include well over 1,500 published works—including choral anthems, numerous extended Christmas, Easter and non-seasonal works, keyboard collections, vocal solo and duet collections, instrumental works for solo and ensembles, orchestrations, and handbell settings. The resulting notoriety has placed him in constant demand as a clinician throughout North America. It is Lloyd's work in his local church that continues to be the catalyst for much of his writing where he is actively involved in various roles of music leadership.

Lloyd and his wife, Marci, live in Maple Grove, Minnesota. They have three children: Stephanie, married to Brandt; Philip, married to Kylee; and Jeff, married to Jacquelyn. They also have seven grandchildren: Addie, Eli, Izzy, Oliver, Dax, Ever, and Grace.

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Sunday, March 3, 2024  
4:00 p.m.



Northwood Presbyterian Church  
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with Marci Larson and  
Northwood Presbyterian Church Chancel Choir  
Jubilation Handbell Ringers & Brass

Stephanie Carson, Director of Traditional Music  
David Furr, Organist

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**Welcome**

Stephanie Carson

**Hymn #263**

**"All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name"**  
Congregation, Choir, Brass, Piano, Organ

CORONATION/arr. L. Larson

All hail the power of Jesus' name! Let angels prostrate fall.  
Bring forth the royal diadem, and crown him Lord of all!  
Bring forth the royal diadem, and crown him Lord of all!

Ye chosen seed of Israel's race, ye ransomed from the fall.  
Hail him who saves you by his grace, and crown him Lord of all!  
Hail him who saves you by his grace, and crown him Lord of all!

Let every kindred, every tribe on this terrestrial ball  
to him all majesty ascribe, and crown him Lord of all!  
To him all majesty ascribe, and crown him Lord of all!

O that with yonder sacred throng we at his feet may fall!  
We'll join the everlasting song, and crown him Lord of all!  
We'll join the everlasting song, and crown him Lord of all!

**Prayer of Invocation**

Chris Curvin, Pastor

**"Let Everything with Breath Praise God"**

Emily & Steve Cantin, Trumpets

Lloyd Larson

**Refrain:** Praise the Lord! Praise God in His sanctuary.  
Praise the Lord! Praise God in the highest heavens.  
Praise the Lord for mighty deeds and for His works of greatness.  
Let all that breathe praise God!

Praise God with trumpet sound; Let lute and harp resound.  
Come, praise the Lord with timbrel and dance.  
Praise God with strings and pipe, Praise Him with every type of instrument,  
With song and chant!

Praise God with cymbals, with loud clashing cymbals!  
Lift your instruments in praise to God! **Refrain**

Allelu! Sing allelu! Sing allelu! Sing allelu! Sing alleluia! **Refrain**

Let your voice be raised! Play instruments of praise!  
Let everything with breath praise God!

**"By Faith"**

Getty & Townend/arr. Lloyd Larson

By faith we see the hand of God In the light of creation's grand design  
In the lives of those who prove his faithfulness, Who walk by faith and not by sight.

By faith the prophets saw a day When the longed-for Messiah would appear  
With the power to break the chains of sin and death,  
And rise triumphant from the grave.

**Refrain:** We will stand as children of the promise,  
We will fix our eyes on Christ, our souls' reward;  
'til the race is finished and the work is done  
We'll walk by faith and not by sight.

By faith the church was called to go In the power of the Spirit to the lost,  
To deliver captives, and to preach good news In every corner of the earth.

By faith this mountain shall be moved, and the power of the gospel shall prevail;  
for we know in Christ all things are possible for all who call upon his name. **Refrain**

Great is thy faithfulness! Great is thy faithfulness!  
Morning by morning new mercies I see;  
All I have needed thy hand hath provided,  
great is thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me!

By faith we see the hand of God. By faith this mountain shall be moved.  
We'll walk by faith, by faith and not by sight. We'll walk by faith!

**"In the Shadow of His Wings"**

Carol Hodge/Lloyd Larson

Sometimes God calms the storm and causes waves to cease;  
He speaks and winds obey, and conflicts turn to peace.  
Sometimes God calms my soul and quiets all my fears;  
with tender words of love, He wipes away my tears.

**Refrain:** When my footsteps are failing, will I faint along the way?  
As the path leads through sorrow, will the Lord still be my stay?  
Jesus answers with His presence and makes my spirit sing  
In the shadow, in the shadow of His wings.

Sometimes the noise of pain seems louder than God's voice,  
But when my spirit yields, my heart can then rejoice,  
He brings an inner peace, though troubled is the night  
When fearful shadows fall, His glory casts a light. **Refrain**

If my body grows weaker and my plans all fade away,  
Then can I trust in His goodness, can I rest in Him each day? **Refrain**

**“Saints Bound for Heaven”**

arr. Lloyd Larson

4-hand Piano, Marci Larson & David Furr

Our bondage it shall end, by and by, by and by; our bondage it shall end by and by.  
From Egypt’s yoke set free; hail the glorious jubilee,  
and to Canaan we’ll return, by and by, by and by; and to Canaan we’ll return, by and by.

Though our enemies are strong, we’ll go on, we’ll go on; Though our enemies are strong, we’ll go on.  
Though our hearts are filled with fear, still we know our God is near,  
While the fiery pillar moves, we’ll go on, we’ll go on; While the fiery pillar moves, we’ll go on.

And when to Jordan’s streams we have come, we have come;  
And when to Jordan’s streams we have come;  
O Jehovah rules the tide, and the waters He’ll divide,  
And the ransomed host shall shout, “We are come, we are come!”  
And the ransomed host shall shout, “We are come!”

Then with all the happy throng, we’ll rejoice, we’ll rejoice; Then with all the happy throng we’ll rejoice!  
Shouting glory to the King till the vaults of heaven ring,  
And through all eternity we’ll rejoice, we’ll rejoice, And through all eternity we’ll rejoice!

I am bound for the promised land; I am bound for the promised land;  
O who will come and go with me? I am bound for the promised land.  
And through all eternity we’ll rejoice, we’ll rejoice, And through all eternity we’ll rejoice!

**“Christians, We Have Met to Worship”**

4-hand Piano, Marci & Lloyd Larson

arr. Mark Hayes

**“It Is Well With My Soul”**

4-hand Piano, Lloyd & Marci Larson

arr. Lloyd Larson

**“Fantasy On Old Hundredth”**

NPC Jubilation Ringers

arr. Lloyd Larson

**“Dwell In the Light Forevermore”**

Susan Boersma/Lloyd Larson

Into the valley of shadows, under a veil of gray,  
God calls the good and faithful, then guides us on the way.  
Through the valley of shadows, lost in the dark of night,  
our God goes before us to lead us to the light.

**Refrain:** There will be no more night! No need for lamp or ray of sun,  
The Lamb will be the light. There will be no more night!  
No need to fast, to watch, to weep around the throne so bright.

Out of the valley of shadows, we step into the day.  
We see the Lamb upon the throne and hear the Savior say,  
“Well done, well done, my good and faithful one!”  
Well done, well done! Come, dwell in the Light of Life forevermore!  
Come, dwell in the Light of Life forevermore! **Refrain**

**“Ain’t No Rock Gonna’ Shout for Me”**

J.P. Williams/Lloyd Larson

Here comes the Lord riding on a donkey with people waving branches and calling him “King.”  
Here comes the Lord riding through Jerusalem. If the people don’t shout, the rocks will cry out!

**Refrain:** Rocks, keep silent! Jesus comes to set me free,  
Rocks, keep silent! I’m gonna’ shout in victory!  
Rocks, keep silent! Jesus reigns in majesty.  
Ain’t no rock gonna’ shout for me.

Here comes the Lord as thousands throng to see him. Children stand on tip-toe to see the King.  
Here comes the Lord; excitement in the air. If the people don’t shout, the rocks will cry!  
Oh, yes, the rocks will cry out! **Refrain**

Here comes the Lord, hosannas fill the air. The people bow and worship the promised King!  
Here comes the Lord, “Hosanna in the highest!” If the people don’t shout, the rocks will cry out!

**Refrain**

**Closing Words**

Stephanie Carson

**“Fairest Lord Jesus”**

Emily & Steve Cantin, Trumpet  
Dylan Cantin & Mike Wood, Trombone  
Laura O’Leary, French Horn

arr. Lloyd Larson

Fairest Lord Jesus, ruler of all nature, O Thou of God and man the Son;  
Thee will I cherish, Thee will I honor, Thou my soul’s glory, joy and crown.

Fair are the meadows, Fairer still the woodlands, Robed in the blooming garb of spring;  
Jesus is fairer, Jesus is purer, who makes the woeful heart to sing.

Fair is the sunshine, Fairer still the moonlight, And all the twinkling starry host;  
Jesus shines brighter, Jesus shines purer than all the angels heaven can boast.

Beautiful Savior! Lord of all the nations! Son of God and Son of Man!  
Glory and honor, Praise, adoration, Now and forevermore be Thine!

Glory, honor, and praise be ever Thine! Glory and honor, praise, adoration,  
Now and forevermore, evermore be Thine! Amen!

**Your kind generosity is appreciated to help defray the expenses of our Composer Weekend with Lloyd Larson. There will be offering plates at the exits as we leave today.**

**Chancel Choir**

**Soprano**

Elaine Cornillaud  
Rachelle Cox  
Susan Curry  
Kay Ferguson  
Santee Geres  
Rollie Haugen  
Marion Homer  
Lea Kirdatt  
Debbie Lang  
Jessie Lusk  
Mary McCauley

Vickie Mills  
Gail Rothrock  
Betty Spoerl  
Mickey Stewart  
Michele White  
Mary Ellen Zeigler

**Alto**

Melanie Brown  
Emily Cantin  
Stephanie Carson  
Susan Gajentan  
Barbara Jordan  
Pamela LeClair  
Aimee McDermott  
Claudia Mitcham  
Bailey Shields  
Suzanne Sturm  
Emily Sutphin

**Tenor**

Randy Ball  
Marti Huff  
Steve Lang  
Dennis Rasmussen  
Jerry Sturm  
Mike Wood

**Bass**

Jack Alwood  
Steve Anderson  
Dylan Cantin  
Mike Elza  
Jim Ferguson  
Peter Gajentan  
David Hamilton Jr.  
Nick Hodson  
Garry Justice  
John Sutphin