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# SONGS OF AWAKENING

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BOOK 1

## ***"I SAW THE LAMB"***

***REVELATION CHAPTER 5***

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# INTRODUCTION

This is book one in the ‘Awakening Songs’ series of worship choruses written by Rev. Tim Gibson.

All these songs may be used in congregational worship for praise and worship, to bless the heart of God and see our own hearts awakened for Him.

Every song will have a short write up concerning the manner in which it was given by the Lord and relevant Scriptures it was inspired from.

Any resemblance to other choruses is unintentional as each song was not based on any previous one.

May the Lord bless you !

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# I Saw The Lamb

This is a song inspired from Revelation 5, given by the Lord as I was worshipping on the guitar in 1992. It came as a whole song with very little premeditated thought.

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Am G F G

(1) I saw the Lamb, He is the great I Am, Standing before the throne.

Am G  
The marks did show He was slain long ago  
F G  
To make His glory known.

Am G F G Am G C

**Chorus:** Holy is the Lamb of God (X3)... Holy is He.

Am G F G

(2) And I did see a multiplicity of beings around the throne.

Am G  
And they bowed down to Him who wore a crown  
F G  
Because of what they were shown.

Am G F G Am G C

**Chorus:** Crying... Worthy is the Lamb of God (X3)... Worthy is He.

Am G F G

(3) Behold the Lamb, He is both God and man who takes away the sins of all

Am G  
Who come by faith into the Holy Place  
F G  
Before Him we fall...

Am G F G Am G C

**Chorus:** Jesus is the Lamb of God (X3)... Jesus is He.

# Kiss Me!

This is a song given in 1995 during a time of great personal renewal and revival - especially in terms of intimacy with the Lord. Verse two of Chapter one of Song of Solomon was the inspiration for this song.

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D                    A                    G                    A  
Kiss me with the kisses of You lips O Jesus,

D            A                    G  
For You love is better than wine.

D                    A            G                    A  
In You presence there is fulness of joy,

D                    A                    G  
Come and love me with Your love divine.

D            A            G                    A  
Draw me closer, hold me in Your arms embrace,

D            A            G                    A  
Love me deeply, I want to see You lovely face.

Bm    G                    A  
Let me hear Your sweet voice,

Bm            G            A  
Makes me glad I rejoice,

                  D A G  
I'm in love with you (X2)

# Will You Not Revive us ?

This is a song taken directly from Psalm 85:4-13. It was given to me by the Lord in Mid 1997 as I was praying and fasting in Taman Gethemini prayer mountain (Central Java, Indonesia).

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D                    E                    A

(1) Restore us O God of our salvation,

D                    E                    A

Cause Your anger towards us to cease.

D                    E                    F#m                    D

Will You be angry towards us forever ?

F#m    E                    A

Lead us into Your peace.

A                    F#m                    D

**Chorus:** Will You not revive us again,

E                    A

That Your people may rejoice in You ?

A                    F#m                    D

Show us Your mercy and then

E                    A

Salvation will come shining through.

D                    E                    A

(2) Mercy and truth have met together

D                    E                    A

Righteousness and peace, they have kissed.

D                    E                    F#m                    D

Truth shall spring up out of the earth

F#m                    E                    A

The land shall yield it's increase.

**Chorus**

# Across The Nations

This song was written at the same time and place as the previous song 'Will You Not Revive Us ?'. It was inspired by a vision the Lord gave me of the River of Life flowing through the World.

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G C G  
Across the nations the River is flowing,  
G C G  
An invitation with it is going,  
G C G  
To join the flow, deeper and deeper,  
G  
To go where it goes.  
C G D  
Follow the river of life...

D G  
To the Dead Sea He brings life  
C D  
Where there was none before,  
G C D  
Opens the eyes of the blind and the poor,  
G C D  
The desert springs up with life and joy  
G  
The nations rise up  
C D G  
To flow in the ways of the Lord.

This song flows naturally into the next one -  
'Your Love is Like a River.' .....

# Your Love Is Like A River

Like the previous two songs, this was given by the Lord in mid 1997 as I was praying and fasting in Taman Gethemini, Central Java Indonesia. The Lord was revealing to me much concerning the River or Life.

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G C G G C G  
**Chorus:** Your love is like a River, Your love is like a River,  
G C G D G  
Your love is like a River, Flowing over me.  
G C G G C G  
Your love is like a River, Your love is like a River  
G C G G D C G  
Your love is like a River, Flowing o-o-o-ove-er me-e-e

Bm Em C G  
**(1)** And whoever Your River touches will have new life afresh,  
Bm Em C D  
So let Your rain come tumbling down, pour it out on all flesh,  
C G C G  
This was spoken by the Prophet Joel and I know now's the time...

**Chorus:** Your love is like a River etc..

Bm Em C G  
**(2)** And where ever Your River flows there's healing in the land,  
Bm Em C D  
So open up the floodgates, who is able to stand ?  
C G C G  
Let's fall in humble adoration and enter in His flow...

**Chorus:** Your love is like a River etc...





# In Your Embrace.

Given by the Lord in late 1997 during a time of spiritual dryness. It's a cry to be closer to Him, in His embrace. Indeed it shows that He stretched out his arms to embrace all who receive Him, through that one great act of stretching out His arms to die on the Cross.

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G            D            C            D            C            D            G

In Your embrace, that's the place that I long to be.

G                    D            C            D            C                    D            G

Close to Your heart, not to depart, You're my destiny.

Em                    C

Eternal arms of love stretched out

D                    G

Upon the cruel Cross.

Em                    C

'It is finished', You cried out

D                    G

You came to rescue us.

Bm            C                    D            G

In Your arms of love You gather us now,

Em                    C                    D                    G

Yours is the victory, You've risen and reign now.

Em                    C                    D                    G

Yours is the victory, You've risen and reign now.

# Shake Off The Dust

The Lord gave this song to me specifically to go with a message based on Luke 9:5. The message is about the 'dust' of the world that can cling to us, hindering us in evangelism (Discouragement, Unforgiveness, Stress and Tribulations - D.U.S.T. - are the four areas I looked at).

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G                      Bm                      C                      D  
He gathers us together and calls us all by name,  
G                      Bm                      C  
He gives us all authority and power to proclaim.  
G                      Bm                      C                      D  
If we fail to rise up then we're the ones to blame.  
G                      Bm                      C                      D                      G  
It's time for us to stand tall and fan into flame our love.

G                      D                      C                      D  
Shake off the dust, put your whole trust in the King.  
G                      D                      C  
Put off the old man, with His Spirit you can  
D  
Rise up and sing....

Bm                      C                      G                      C  
Now is the time to arise and shine,  
Am                      G  
Putting on the garments of praise  
D  
I claim them as mine.  
Bm                      C                      G                      C  
You lift me high, away the dust will fly  
Am                      G                      D  
No longer to be clinging to me, 'I'm set free', I cry.

# Awaken My Heart

This was written on Tuesday 15th July 1997 after meditating on Leviticus 6:13.

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Em            C            D            G            Em  
Awaken my heart to worship You, let the fire burn anew  
Em    C            D            G            Em  
On the altar of my heart, may it increase and not depart,  
Em            C    D            Em  
Let there be a raging flame of passion for Your name.

Bm    Am            D    G  
Consume my whole life, a living sacrifice  
Em    Am    D            G  
Offered willingly, O let Your fire fall

G            C    D            Em    C  
Burning with a holy zeal, burning with flames that heal,  
G            Em    D    G            Em  
Burning off the ugly dross, counting all as loss  
C            D            G  
O the beauty of the fires of Your Cross.

# A Total Heart

Written during 1994 this song expresses a heart longing to be undivided and totally given over to God.

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D Am C G Bm D C  
(1) A total heart for You Lord, Undivided and true  
D Am C G  
That's my prayer, that's my cry Lord,  
Bm D C  
My whole life given to You....

Am D  
**Chorus:** Abundance of life in Your presence O Lord,  
Am D  
Fulness of joy there too.  
Am D  
Let me come closer to Your heart O Lord  
Am D G A D  
I want to be more like You.

D Am C G Bm D C  
(2) Set me free to be there, dwelling always with You.  
D Am C G  
In Your life I can share,  
Bm D C  
Mighty waters rushing on through...

Am D  
**Chorus:** Rivers of pleasure are flowing freely,  
Am D  
The fountain of life springs up.  
Am D  
In Your light I can see clearly  
Am D G A D  
Come and overflow my cup.

# Let The Whole Earth

A song given just before going on a mission trip to Indonesia in mid 1997. This was inspired by Psalm 72:17-19 and is a cry for the whole earth to be filled with His glory.

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G                                 D  
(1) His name shall endure forever,  
      C                                 D  
      His name shall continue as long as the sun.  
G                                 D  
      And men shall be blessed in Him  
      C                                 D  
      All nations shall call Him blessed.

                              G                                 D  
**Chorus:** And let the whole earth be filled with His glory  
                              C                                 D  
                              Amen and amen.  
                              G                                 D  
                              Let the whole earth be filled with His glory  
                              C                                 D                                 G  
                              Amen and amen and amen.

G                                 D  
(2) Blessed be the Lord God,  
      C                                 D  
      The God of Israel,  
G                                 D  
      Who only does wondrous things  
      C                                 D  
      And blessed be His glorious name

**Chorus:**

# Holy One Of Israel

A cry from the heart written at the end of 1997.

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G    Bm  
Holy one of Israel I come,  
Bm                  D                                  C  
Into Your presence now I run,  
  Em    G     D  
In Your embrace I am safe.  
G    Bm  
Holy one of Israel I come,  
Bm                                  D                                  C  
Lord I wanna thankyou for all You've done  
  Em                          G                          D  
You gave Your life for the entire human race.

Em    C    D    Em    C                                  D  
Ho-ly one, I bow my knee to the mighty risen Son,  
Bm    D                                  Em  
With a humble heart I come,  
C    Am                                  D  
Complete the work which You have begun.