

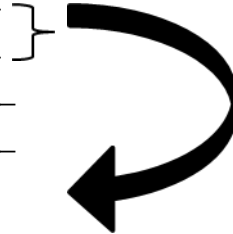
WORTH, WORK AND WONDER

Psalm 8

- A The wonder of creation (vv 1-2)
- B The worth God has bestowed on mankind (vv 3-5)
- B¹ The work God has given mankind to do (vv 6-8)
- A¹ The wonder of creation (v 9)

The Creation Ordinances (Genesis 1-2)

- ⇒ be _____ and _____
- ⇒ fill _____
- ⇒ _____
- ⇒ _____
- ⇒ _____ and _____
- ⇒ _____



The Dominion Mandate

- _____ = researching earth's systems/processes
- _____ = controlling and using this information
- _____ = transmitting this info for optimum use
- _____ = teaching this to succeeding generations
- _____ = enhancing appreciation of this
- _____ = ensuring obedience and justice

Points to Ponder

1. Thank God for your intrinsic WORTH – He made you! He made you in His image! He set you over His creation! He loves you and, if you have trusted in Christ, He has saved you!
2. Can you see how your daily WORK fits with the creation ordinances and the dominion mandate? Does seeing it this way help you to do your work as if Jesus was your boss or business partner (Colossians 3:23; Ephesians 6:7)?
3. Intentionally spend some time in WORSHIP by considering the power, creativity and design that God exhibited in making our world! Share your insight and experience with someone else.