

# the Kingdom

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Part 2 – The Politics of Heaven  
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**Colossians 1:16** *For in him all things were created: things in heaven and on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or powers or rulers or authorities; all things have been created through him and for him.*

**I Timothy 6:14-15** *...to keep this command without spot or blame until the appearing of our Lord Jesus Christ, which God will bring about in his own time—God, the blessed and only Ruler, the King of kings and Lord of lords...*

## Key Principles of the Kingdom

I. His \_\_\_\_\_

**Psalms 145:13a** *Your kingdom is an everlasting kingdom, and your dominion endures through all generations.*

**Psalms 22:27-28** *All the ends of the earth will remember and turn to the Lord, and all the families of the nations will bow down before him, for dominion belongs to the Lord and he rules over the nations.*

II. His \_\_\_\_\_

**Proverbs 19:21** *Many are the plans in a person's heart, but it is the Lord's purpose that prevails.*

**Psalms 33:11** *But the plans of the Lord stand firm forever, the purposes of his heart through all generations.*

III. His \_\_\_\_\_

**Isaiah 40:28** *Do you not know? Have you not heard? The Lord is the everlasting God, the Creator of the ends of the earth. He will not grow tired or weary, and his understanding no one can fathom.*

**Isaiah 55:8-9** *"For my thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways my ways," declares the Lord. "As the heavens are higher than the earth, so are my ways higher than your ways and my thoughts than your thoughts."*

IV. His \_\_\_\_\_

**Daniel 5:20-21** *But when his heart became arrogant and hardened with pride, he was deposed from his royal throne and stripped of his glory. He was driven away from people and given the mind of an animal; he lived with the wild donkeys and ate grass like the ox; and his body was drenched with the dew of heaven, until he acknowledged that the Most High God is sovereign over all kingdoms on earth and sets over them anyone he wishes.*

**Jeremiah 32:17** *"Ah, Sovereign Lord, you have made the heavens and the earth by your great power and outstretched arm. Nothing is too hard for you."*

V. His \_\_\_\_\_

**Psalms 115:3** *Our God is in heaven; he does whatever pleases him.*

## Your Response in the Kingdom

I. Your \_\_\_\_\_

**Matthew 6:9-10** *"This, then, is how you should pray:*

*"Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven."*

**Matthew 26:39** *He went on a little farther and bowed with his face to the ground, praying, "My Father! If it is possible, let this cup of suffering be taken away from me. Yet I want your will to be done, not mine." (NLT)*

II. Your \_\_\_\_\_

**John 14:6** *Jesus answered, "I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me."*

Conclusion: \_\_\_\_\_!

**Psalms 121:1-2** *I lift up my eyes to the mountains—where does my help come from? My help comes from the Lord, the Maker of heaven and earth.*

All scripture references are NIV unless otherwise noted.

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