

THEY SHALL COME FROM THE EAST THEY SHALL COME FROM THE WEST

- 1 They shall come from the east, they shall come from the west, and sit down in the Kingdom of God; both the rich and the poor, the despised, and distressed, they'll sit down in the Kingdom of God. And none will ask what they have been, provided that their robes are clean; they shall come from the east, they shall come from the west, and sit down in the Kingdom of God.
- 2 They shall come from the east, they shall come from the west, and sit down in the Kingdom of God; to be met by their Father and welcomed and blessed, and sit down in the Kingdom of God. The black, the white, the dark, the fair, your color will not matter there; they shall come from the east, they shall come from the west, and sit down in the Kingdom of God.
- 3 They shall come from the east, they shall come from the west, and sit down in the Kingdom of God; out of great tribulation to triumph and rest they'll sit down in the Kingdom of God. From every tribe and every race, all people there shall then embrace; they shall come from the east, they shall come from the west, and sit down in the Kingdom of God.



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Each day includes a short scripture, thought, and a prompt for reflection or action.

### Day 1 – Jesus Reaches Across Borders

John 4:9–10 – “You are a Jew and I am a Samaritan woman. How can you ask me for a drink?”

Reflection: Jesus wasn’t limited by cultural divisions. He crossed barriers to reach hearts.

Pray: “Jesus, open my heart to those I usually overlook. Help me reach across differences.”


Song Suggestion: Oceans (Hillsong) 

### Day 2 – A Heavenly Vision

Revelation 7:9 – “A great multitude... from every nation, tribe, people and language...”

Reflection: God’s Kingdom is beautifully diverse. Heaven includes every culture.

Action: Learn one new thing about a culture different from your own today.

Song Suggestion: They shall come from the east - (camsa church) 

### Day 3 – Everyone’s Language Matters

Acts 2:6 – “Each one heard their own language being spoken.”

Reflection: God values our uniqueness—He speaks in ways each person can understand.

Action: Reach out to someone from a different background. Ask about their story or family heritage. or workplace this week?

Song Suggestion: Same God (Elevation) 




### Day 4 – Love Without Prejudice

James 2:1 – “Believers... must not show favoritism.”

Reflection: Prejudice is never from God. True love sees worth in every person.

Pray: “God, reveal any hidden bias in my heart. Make me more like Jesus.”

Song Suggestion: To be like Jesus this hope possesses me 

### Day 5 – Humility Over Assumptions

Philippians 2:3 – “In humility value others above yourselves.”

Reflection: Approaching cultures with humility creates space for real connection.

Think: What assumptions have you made about people different from you?

Song Suggestion: People need the Lord 

### Day 6 – A Table for All

Luke 14:13–14 – “Invite the poor, the crippled, the lame, the blind, and you will be blessed.”

Reflection: Jesus consistently invited the overlooked to the table.

Action: Invite someone different from you to share a meal, coffee, or story.

Song Suggestion: The Table (Chris Tomlin) 

### Day 7 – Reflecting Jesus to the World

Matthew 5:16 – “Let your light shine before others...”

Reflection: Our love across cultures reflects the light of Jesus in a divided world.

Pray: “Jesus, help me be a bridge-builder. Make my life a light that reflects Your heart for all people.”

Song Suggestion: Build my Life (Pat Barrett) 