

If You But Knew the Gift of God

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Jn.3:5; Jn.13:8; Jn.6:35; Rev.22:7; Jn.4:14; Rev.22:1-2

Music: Robert Loretz

Mode 3.

Antiphon:

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If you but knew the gift of God, and who it is that is asking you for a drink,

T.B: drone on "O"

You would have come to Him, and He would have given you living water.

Cantor:

1. Like a deer that yearns for running streams, So my soul is yearning for you my God.

My soul is thirsting for God, the God of my life. *Antiphon*

2. O God, you are my God, for you I long, for you my soul is thirsting.

My body pines for you, like a dry, weary land without water. *Antiphon*

3. Jesus, knowing all was now complete, and that the Scriptures be fulfilled, said: "I thirst"__

One of the soldiers pierced his side__ with a spear, and at once there flowed out blood and wa - ter.

Antiphon

4. This is he who came by wa - ter and blood, not by water only, but water and blood__

"To the thirsty, I will give the fountain of the water of life, with- out pay - ment".

Antiphon

5."Unless one is born by wa - ter and the Spirit, he cannot enter the kingdom of God"__

"Truly, if I ___ do not wash you, You can have no part with me"__

Antiphon

6. "He who comes to me shall ne - ver hunger, He who believes in me shall ne - ver thirst"_____

Let him who is thir - sty_____ come, take the water of life, with- out pay - ment. *Antiphon*

7. "Whoever drinks the wa - ter I shall give him will never thirst a - gain_____

It shall become a spring of wa - ter with in him, welling up to e - ter - nal life"_____ *Antiphon*

8. "He showed me the river of the water of life.

Bright as crystal, and flow - ing from the throne, the throne of God and of the Lamb_____

On either side of the river was the tree of life;

Yielding its fruit twelve times a year, And the leaves were for the healing of the na - tions". *Antiphon*