



January Hymn DQT

1st Grade

“Holy, Holy, Holy”

*Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!
Early in the morning our song shall rise to Thee;
Holy, holy, holy, merciful and mighty!
God in three Persons, blessed Trinity!*

*Holy, holy, holy! All the saints adore Thee,
Casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea;
Cherubim and seraphim falling down before Thee,
Who was, and is, and evermore shall be.*

Day 1

Reginald Heber was a very wealthy and educated English man. He was a priest and a bishop in the Anglican Church who wrote many hymns for his congregation. In the Christian church we learn that we worship One God who exists as 3 persons: God the Father, God the Son, and God the Holy Spirit. Have you ever eaten an apple? If you cut an apple down the middle from top to bottom, you will see that an apple has skin, flesh and seeds. Without these 3 parts, it would not be an apple. The Trinity is like that. God the Father, God the Son, and God the Holy Spirit work together as one unit.

Pray

Lord, thank You for sending us Your Son, Jesus, and for sending us Your Holy Spirit. We praise You and believe in You as 3 in One. Holy is the Lord. In Jesus' Name, Amen.

Day 2

The words to “Holy, Holy, Holy” were written in 1826, but it was not until many years after the author died that the hymn was found. Reginald Heber was sent to India to serve as Bishop of Calcutta. His job was very hard on him and he died after living there for just 3 years. Many years later the words were given to the musician John Dykes and he wrote beautiful music for the hymn. John Dykes had been a church organist since he was ten years old and he wrote over 300 hymns before he died at the age of 53.

Most of you are only 6 or 7 years old, but it won't be long before you are ten. Don't wait until you are a grown-up to start serving God. Look around you. Is there a job you could do at your church? Maybe you could help your WoW teacher in some way. Or maybe you could learn an instrument or use your voice and become a church musician like John Dykes. Ask God to show you ways that you can serve Him at church or in other areas of your life.

Write one way you can serve God: _____

Pray

Lord, help me to be a servant for You and show others of Your Holiness. In Jesus' Name, Amen.



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Day 3

“Holy, Holy, Holy” is one of the most famous hymns ever written. Churches still sing it today. It was the favorite hymn of the great poet Alfred Tennyson and it was sung at his funeral. Notice that the title of the hymn repeats the word “Holy.” How many times is it repeated? _____

The dictionary defines “holy” as “worthy of complete devotion as one perfect in goodness.” Do you have a pet at home? Do you spend time with that pet? Do you feed your pet and care for it? Do you talk about your pet to your friends? If so, you are “devoted” to your pet? Are you devoted to God? _____

Do you spend time with God? _____ (If you are doing your DQT, then answer “yes.”)

Do you talk about God to your friends? _____

If you don't, will you stop now and ask God to help you become more devoted to Him?

Pray

Lord, help me to become more devoted to You and to share You with my friends.

In Jesus' Name, Amen.

Day 4

The second line of your hymn states, “Early in the _____ our song shall rise to Thee.” Do you pray when you get up in the morning or before you leave for school? I know many of you do. Do you ever sing a song of praise to God in the morning? Why not try doing that this week. I bet your day will get off to a wonderful start.

You could sing your January WOW hymn—great practice for hymn listeners!

Pray

Lord, help me to start my day off by talking to You. I want my day to be focused on You. In Jesus' Name, Amen.

Day 5

The prophet Isaiah wrote about God's holiness. Isaiah 6:3 says ... “And they were calling to one another: “Holy, holy, holy is the LORD Almighty; the whole earth is full of his glory.” Isaiah had a vision of angels singing to God who was seated on His throne. What were they saying?

The Bible teaches us that we are to worship God in his holiness like the angels are doing here.

Have you done that today?

Pray

Lord, You are Holy and I want to sing like the angels to You. “Holy, Holy, Holy”!
In Jesus' Name, Amen.

Cut here and bring signed portion to WoW next week for a prize

Child's Name _____ Grade/Age _____

My Child has completed his/her DQT for the week of Jan. 3, 2017.

Parent Signature

