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Prelude

Introduction and Call to Worship

Dr. Rick Perrin

Prayer of Worship & Praise

Scripture Readings

Isaiah 40:27-31

Psalms 136 (Pew Bible, OT page 471)

Philippians 2:5-11

Hymn of Praise *"Children of the Heavenly Father"*

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Personal Reflections

Ministry in Music

Mr. William Hoyt

"Finally Home" - Don Wyrzten

Message from God's Word

Dr. Robertson McQuilkin

Hymn of Praise *"Our Great God is For Us!"*

(from Romans 8:31-39)

Come, Christian, discouraged and weighed down by life,
Attacked and frustrated and weary of strife;
Our great God is for us! His pow'r will not fail,
No matter what enemy seems to prevail!

God gave us His best; did not spare His own son,
Who suffered and died; our redemption He won.
The great gift of Jesus is promise indeed
That with Him the Father will give all we need!

The charge that we're guilty that wells up inside,
Is countered by Jesus, who stands by our side;
Our sacrifice, risen, He speaks for His own,
Declaring them faultless before the great Throne!

Come, trouble, oppression! Come danger or pain!
Come, demons or all that the future contains!
We conquer them all! Praise the Father above!
For nothing can separate us from God's love!

(-James D. Hatch, 1985)

Prayer and Benediction

Postlude

*But live he shall in many a grateful breast,
Where he hath reared himself a monument,
A monument more stately than the best,
On which immensest treasures have been spent.
Could you but into the hearts of thousands peep,
There would you read his name engraven deep.*

--Urian Oakes (1677)

from "An Elegie upon the Death of the Reverend Mr Thomas Shepard"



Leading this morning's service is Mr. Hatch's pastor here at Cornerstone Church, Dr. Rick Perrin. Preaching God's Word is Dr. Robertson McQuilkin, former president of Columbia International University, where Mr. Hatch taught for thirty-nine years. Also participating are sons Nathan O. Hatch and David B. Hatch and grandson Robert N. Hatch.

Interment will immediately follow this service at the Woodridge Memorial Park.

There will be a luncheon served here at Cornerstone Presbyterian Church following the graveside service for family and out-of-town friends.

Memorials may be made to: Columbia International University (for endowing the James M. Hatch Chair of Biblical Counseling), P. O. Box 3122, Columbia, SC 29230.

From the family:

Thank you for the loving support you have given Dad and Mom during his recent years of illness and for the many expressions of love and sympathy since his death. Your presence here today is a joyful reminder of how he touched so many lives. May God's grace that so sustained his life be yours. Thank you.

