"He's Got the Whole World in His Hands"

The Cosmic Supremacy of Christ

Col. 1:16-17 • pt. 8

Introduction

• the glory and wonder of God's creation...

- 1. Jesus made the universe (1:16)
 - *in* Him
 - "the all things"
 - *through* Him
 - *for* Him

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- 2. Jesus existed before the universe (1:17a)
 - "He is..."

Jn. 8:58

• separate from all creation Jn. 17:5

- *3. Jesus sustains the universe* (1:17b)
 - "hold together"

+ e.g., strong nuclear force

+ e.g., entropy

APPLICATION

Because God and God alone created and sustains the universe...

+ I owe Him _____.

+ He understands _______

"We cannot always trace God's hand, but we can always trust God's heart."

- Charles Spurgeon