71. Lord of the Starfields

God said the stars can't be counted, modern science agrees. You can only see about 3, 000 of them with your eyes on a clear night. These stars look alike but again science agrees with the Word that each has a different spectrum signaling differences. The stars declare the glory of God, (Psalm 19:1). The Bible says that the stars sing, and astronomers have tracked their unique frequencies they emit. The ancient text declares that a star will come out of Jacob (Numbers 24:17), and the arrival of this divine person was declared by a special star, (Matthew 2:2) famous in the symbol of Christmas celebrations worldwide.



The stars and space are not infinite. Their demise is foretold, they will fall and all who worship them or practice astrology see how misplaced their faith was.

Stars are mentioned, (Daniel 12:3) when God talks about your destiny. Your works and efforts and struggles will see you get acclaim worth so much more that that of celebrities and movie "stars" of our age.

At the close of your day of ministry, pause and look up before you enter the realm of artificial lights. Above you, faithfully singing out in all their beauty, are the stars of the Lord.

A hymn by the Canadian folk singer, Bruce Cockburn captures in a heartfelt way the significance of stars for us. You can see slides of beautiful stars and hear the song on:

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=oP_CwMr7yvc

or

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ikc2g68_vzM WorshipCafe cover of his song

Lord of the starfields
Ancient of Days
Universe Maker
Here's a song in your praise

Wings of the storm cloud Beginning and end You make my heart leap Like a banner in the wind

O love that fires the sun Keep me burning. Lord of the starfields Sower of life, Heaven and earth are Full of your light

Voice of the nova Smile of the dew All of our yearning Only comes home to you

O love that fires the sun keep me burning

"As the host of heaven cannot be numbered, nor the sand of the sea measured, so will I multiply the descendants of David My servant and the Levites who minister to Me." Jeremiah 33:22

There is one glory of the sun, another glory of the moon, and another glory of the stars; for one star differs from another star in glory. **1 Corinthians 15:41**

¹⁶ "I, Jesus, have sent my angel to give you¹ this testimony for the churches. I am the Root and the Offspring of David, and the bright Morning Star." **Revelation** 22:16

"the sun will be darkened, and the moon will not give its light; the stars will fall from the sky, and the heavenly bodies will be shaken."

Matthew 24:2

"When the morning stars sang together..." **Job 38:7**

Those who impart wisdom will shine like the brightness of the heavens, and Those who lead many to righteousness like the stars forever and ever.

Daniel 12

http://brucecockburn.com/