



Our Worship to God

Psalm 100

Our worship to God

- We worship God because of what He has done for us, not because we have to
- Worship is an action the worshipper does
- There is a proper way and an improper way to worship God
 - It must be done in “spirit and truth” (***John 4:23-24***)
 - God’s word tells us what is proper in worship

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- Not all of life is worship
 - Some have the concept that all that I do is worship
 - ***All life is service but not all service is worship***

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- Not all of life is worship
 - With this concept many will make whatever we do worship
 - I am worshipping God when I clean the dishes, mow the lawn, play baseball, go hunting, work on the car, etc.
 - If all life is worship, then however I wish to worship is authorized
 - There is no pattern in worship – but that is not true (***John 4:23-24***)

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- Not all of life is worship
 - Worship is a time set aside to focus on and worship God
 - **Genesis 22:5** – Abraham and Isaac went over there to worship
 - This action of worship is something that must be done is “spirit and truth” (**John 4:23-24**)
 - **Matthew 7:21-23** – Many think they are doing what is right but, are wrong

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- The authorized acts of worship
 - **Singing**
 - ***Ephesians 5:19; Colossians 3:16*** – We are authorized to sing
 - We have the authority to sing, and it is limited to that, singing
 - ***Acts 16:25*** – Paul and Silas' singing in prison impacted others

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- The authorized acts of worship
 - **Singing**
 - When we sing, we are teaching
 - When we sing, we are praising God
 - What is your attitude when you sing hymns and praises to God?
 - What about when we are at services and sing as a congregation?

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 - Praying
 - **Matthew 6:9-13** – Jesus shows us how to pray and commands us to do so
 - **1 Thessalonians 5:17** – We are to “pray without ceasing”
 - **1 Timothy 2:1** – We are to “pray... for all men”
 - **James 5:13-18** – The power of prayer

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- The authorized acts of worship
 - **Praying**
 - Where is your mind when you pray?
 - Where is your mind when we pray as a congregation?
 - Do you realize who we are approaching?

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 - **Preaching/Teaching**
 - ***Acts 20:7*** – Paul preached when they assembled
 - ***Ephesians 4:11-15*** – When the word of God is taught edification occurs

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- The authorized acts of worship
 - Preaching/Teaching
 - When a sermon is preached, or a class is taught it is to be from God's word
 - **Mark 16:15-16** – Go and teach the gospel
 - **Romans 1:16** – The gospel is the power of God to salvation
 - **2 Timothy 3:16-17** – Scripture is what completes and equips man

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 - **Preaching/Teaching**
 - Where are your thoughts when one is preaching or teaching the message?

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 - **Giving**
 - ***1 Corinthians 16:1-2*** – Collection is taken on the first day of the week
 - Any other day is not proper
 - ***2 Corinthians 9:6-7*** – Each is to do so as they purpose in their heart

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 - **Giving**
 - Where is your heart when you give?
 - Do you do give “cheerfully”, or do you give of necessity?

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- The authorized acts of worship
 - **Partaking of the Lord's Supper**
 - ***Matthew 26:26-29*** – Jesus instituted the Lord's Supper
 - ***1 Corinthians 11:23-26*** – We are to do this until Jesus returns
 - Unleavened bread – Christ body
 - Fruit of the vine – Christ blood that was shed

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- The authorized acts of worship
 - **Partaking of the Lord's Supper**
 - ***Acts 20:7*** – Pattern is first day of the week
 - Any other elements or time is not proper
 - Where is your mind during the partaking of the Lord's supper? What is your attitude?
 - ***1 Corinthians 11:27-29*** – We are to discern the Lord's body

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- With the right attitude we worship God through singing, praying, preaching/teaching, giving, and partaking of the Lord’s Supper



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