

Worship is...Everyone's Work

Matthew 4:1-10

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Memory Verse:*Worship the Lord your God, and serve him only.*—Matthew 4:10b**1. Worship is...to bow in reverence**

“All this I will give you,” he said, “if you will bow down and worship me.”¹⁰ Jesus said to him, “Away from me, Satan! For it is written: ‘Worship the Lord your God, and serve him only.’” —Matthew 4:9-10

During Jesus' Temptation, worship is mentioned 4 times. 3 Words for Worship

- Fall down
- Worship
- Serve

Fall down ΠΙΠΤΩ pip'-to

Used 69 times in NT, means fall or fall down.

Also used with γΟΥΟΥ = knee, to fall to one's knees

γΟΟΥΠΕΤΕΩ gon-oo-pet-eh'-o

“The four living creatures said, “Amen,” and the elders fell down and worshiped.”

—Revelations 5:14

Worship (bow and kiss) ΠΡΟΟΚΥΒΕΩ pros-koo-neh'-o

Used 60 times in NT, to kiss the hand in token of reverence

Root, ΚΥΩΨ koo'-ohn (dog) licking master's hand

God created us to love us. Worship is loving God back. —Purpose Driven Life

“God is spirit, and his worshipers must worship in spirit and in truth.” —John 4:24

2. Practical ways to Spiritually Bow and Worship

List some different aspects of Worship

Fear, respect

Surrender, sacrifice,

Kneel, bow

Confess, declare

Other words _____

5 Languages of Love, by Dr. Gary Chapman

Think of some ways we might worship using these 5 languages:

- Touch, (body) _____
- Quality Time _____
- Gifts _____
- Acts of Service _____
- Words of Affirmation _____

Ascribing worth Worship is...”worthy-ship”

ACTS—Adoration, Confession, Thanksgiving, Supplication.

Adoration leads to confession, but adoration is independent of confession.

It’s all about God.

Recite attributes of God

“God is number one in a list of one.”

Theological Bible Study

What does this say about God? Human beings?

Relationship between God and human beings?

Lift up the names of God.

El Shaddai—God almighty

Elohim—Plurality of majesty

Yahweh—The Great I am

El Elyon—God Most high

Jehovah Rapha—My healer

Other names for God _____

3. Worship is to Serve

λατρευω lat-ryoo'-o From latris meaning hired menial labor, servant

Translated serve, worship, do service

λειτουργεω li-toorg-eh'-o rare in NT

from laos = people, ergon = work, work of the people

“But you are a chosen people, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, a people belonging to God, that you may declare the praises of him who called you out of darkness into his wonderful light.”—1 Peter 2:9

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“WORSHIP IS...” SERMON SERIES**

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Worship to me is _____

Or

I worship best when I _____