Worthy of Worship

Let the word of Christ richly dwell within you with all wisdom teaching and admonishing one another with psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, singing with thankfulness in your hearts to God.

Colossians 3:16 (Note)

RELATED RESOURCES ON WORSHIP IN SPIRIT AND TRUTH

C H Spurgeon

- Romans 1:20, 21 Knowledge. Worship. Gratitude.
- Psalm 50:14, 15 True Worship
- Zechariah 8:21 A Call to Worship
- Luke 18:10 The Blessings of Public Worship
- Revelation 14:1-13 Heavenly Worship

Ray Stedman

- Why Worship?
- What Did We Come Here For?

Warren Wiersbe

Psalm 100:1-5 (Worship) The Highest Occupation

Related Topics

- Quiet Time 7 Minutes With God
- Why Would Anyone Want To Be Holy? Discover what God expects from us
- The LORD Who Sanctifies Jehovah Mekeddeshim
- Holiness by J C Ryle
- Holiness Quotes

THE GOD WE WORSHIP IN THE TRUTH OF HIS NAMES

The Name of the Lord is a Strong Tower Series

- Name of the LORD is a Strong Tower Summary Chart
- Name of the LORD Why Study It?
- Our Stronghold sermon by C H Spurgeon on Proverbs 18:10
- Jehovah
- Elohim My Creator
- El Elyon Most High God (Sovereign Over All)
- El Roi God Who Sees
- EL Shaddai God Almighty
- Jehovah Ezer The LORD our Helper
- Jehovah Jireh The LORD Will Provide
- Jehovah Rapha The LORD our Healer

- Jehovah Roi The Lord is My Shepherd Pt 1
- Jehovah Roi The Lord is My Shepherd Pt 2
- Jehovah Sabaoth LORD of hosts (of armies) Pt 1
- Jehovah Sabaoth LORD of hosts (of armies) Pt 2
- Jehovah Mekeddeshem LORD Who Sanctifies
- Jehovah Nissi -The LORD Our Banner
- Jehovah Rapha LORD Who Heals
- Jehovah Shalom The LORD our Peace Pt 1
- Jehovah Shalom The LORD our Peace Pt 2

John Piper

- I Am Who I Am" says the Lord (Exodus 3:13-15)
- I Will Be Gracious to Whom I Will Be Gracious (Exodus 33:12-19)
- My Name Is God Almighty (Exodus 5:22-6:8)
- I Am Alpha And Omega (Revelation 21:1-8)
- The Lofty One Whose Name Is Holy (Isaiah 57:14-21)
- The Lord, A God Merciful And Gracious (Exodus 34:1-10)
- The Lord Whose Name Is Jealous (Exodus 34:10-16)
- Call Me Husband, Not Baal (Hosea)
- Hallowed Be Thy Name: In All the Earth (Matthew 6:5-15)
- Honor Thy Majestic Father (Malachi 1:6-14)
- The Pleasure of God in His Name (1 Samuel 12:22)

WORTHY OF WORSHIP

by Sammy Tippit

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- 5. Signpost 5: A Lack of Holiness

Chapter 3 - Worthy of Worship (Where God Can Be Found)

- 1. The Character of Christ
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- 3. The Confirmation of Christ

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- 9. Strength and Comfort for the Afflicted

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1. Fruit of Suffering

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- 1. Characteristics of Music in Worship
- 2. Cautions Concerning Worship Through Music

Chapter 9 Prayer and Worship

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- 2. Practical Principles of Worship

Chapter 10 - Witness and Worship

- 1. Worship Produces Purity and Power
- 2. Overcoming Obstacles to Witnessing

Related Resources on... WORSHIP Sermons by John Piper

A Worshiping People

- Becoming A Spiritual House And Holy Priesthood (1 Peter 2:4-8)
- Christian Identity And Christian Destiny (1 Peter 2:9-10)

Invitation to Worship

- The Great Invitation: Come! Drink! Eat! Live! (Isaiah 55:1-3)
- The Great Invitation: Call Others Too! (Isa 53:10)
- Let All The Peoples Praise Thee (Psalm 67)

Forms of Worship

- Singing And Making Melody To The Lord (Eph 5:17-20)
- The Sacrifice of Praise (Hebrews 13:8-16)
- The Sacrifice Of A Shared Life (Hebrews 13:16)
- The Lord's Supper as Worship (1 Cor 11)

Purified Worship (Malachi)

- The Curse of Careless Worship (Malachi 1:6-14)
- The Curse of Priestly Failure (Malachi 2:1-9)
- He is Like a Refiner's Fire (Malachi 2:17-3:6)
- He Will Turn the Hearts of the Fathers to the Children (Malachi 4:4-6)

Worship Words

- Amen (1Cor 14:6-19) (See Spurgeon's sermon The Amen)
- Hosanna (Jo 12:13) (See Spurgeon's sermon Hosanna)

Other Sermons on Worship by Dr John Piper

- Worship God! (Revelation 19:1-10)
- Worship God! (Revelation 22:8-9)
- Worship Is an End in Itself (Matthew 15:8-9)
- You Shall Worship the Lord Your God (Matthew 4:8-10)
- Worship: The Feast of Christian Hedonism (Psalm 63:5-6)
- All of Life as Worship (Romans 12:1-2)
- The Place of Preaching in Worship (2 Timothy 3:16-4:5)
- Ambushing Satan with Song (2 Chronicles 20:1-25)
- Every Race to Reign and Worship (Revelation 5:8-14)
- Forget Not All His Benefits (Psalm 103:2)
- I Will Sing of Thy Might and Mercy (Psalm 59:16-17)
- Diversity in God-Centered Worship (Romans 15:1-7)
- God Seeks People to Worship Him in Spirit and Truth (John 4:16-26)
- I Will Sing Praises to You Among the Nations (Psalm 57)
- The Inner Essence of Worship (Philippians 1:18-24)
- Meditation on the Magnificat (Luke 1:46-55)
- Prepare to Meet Your God (Amos 4:4-13)
- Present Your Bodies As a Living Sacrifice to God (Romans 12:1-2)
- Take Care How You Listen! Part 1 (Luke 8:4-18)
- Take Care How You Listen! Part 2 (Luke 8:4-18)
- Times of Refreshing and the Restoration of All Things (Acts 3:17-21)
- <u>Treasuring Christ Together, Part 3 (Hebrews 13:14-16)</u>
- Treasuring Christ Together, Part 4 (Hebrews 13:14-16)
- We Have Come to Worship Him (Matthew 2:1-12)
- Why God Cannot Be Served But Loves to Serve (Acts 17:16-34)

WORSHIP IN SONG Instructions on Singing by John Wesley

THAT this part of divine worship may be more acceptable to God, as well as more profitable to yourself and others, be careful to observe the following directions:

1. SING ALL

See that you join with the congregation as frequently as you can. Let not a slight degree of weakness or weariness hinder you. If it is a cross to you, take it up, and you will find a blessing.

2. SING LUSTILY AND WITH A GOOD COURAGE

Beware of singing as if you were half dead, or half asleep; but lift up your voice with strength. Be no more afraid of your voice now, nor more ashamed of its being, heard, than when you sung the songs of Satan.

3. SING MODESTLY

Do not bawl, so as to be heard above, or distinct from, the rest of the congregation, that you may not destroy the harmony; but strive to unite your voices together, so as to make one clear melodious sound.

4. SING IN TIME

Whatever time is sung, be sure to keep with it. Do not run before, nor stay behind it; but attend closely to the leading voices, and move therewith as exactly as you can. And take care you sing not too slow. This drawling way naturally steals on all who are lazy; and it is high time to drive it out from among us, and sing all our tunes just as quick as we did at first.

5. ABOVE ALL, SING SPIRITUALLY

Have an eye to God in every word you sing. Aim at pleasing Him more than yourself, or any other creature. In order to this, attend strictly to the sense of what you sing; and see that your heart is not carried away with the sound, but offered to God continually; so shall your singing be such as the Lord will approve of here, and reward when he cometh in the clouds of heaven.