WORSHIP CHANGES EVERYTHING

WORSHIP IS A FREEWILL SACRIFACE

PS 119:108 Accept, I beseech thee, the freewill offerings of my mouth, O LORD, and teach me thy judgments.

<u>DEUT 23:23</u> That which is gone out of thy lips thou shalt keep and perform; even <u>a freewill offering</u>, according as thou hast vowed unto the LORD thy God, which thou hast promised with thy mouth.

1 COR 9:17 For if I do this thing willingly, I have a reward. but if against my will, a dispensation of the gospel is committed unto me.

WORSHIP'S PURPOSE IS TO BLESS GOD

PS 66:8 O bless our God, ye people, and make the voice of his praise to be heard.

<u>JOHN 4:23-24</u> But the hour cometh, and now is, when the true worshippers shall worship the Father in spirit and in truth: for <u>the Father seeketh such to worship him.</u>

<u>1 PET 1:3</u> Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, which according to his abundant mercy hath begotten us again unto a lively hope by the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead,

<u>ROM 12:1-2 I</u> beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, that ye <u>present your bodies</u> a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable unto God, which is your reasonable service.

PS 103:1 Bless the LORD, O my soul: and all that is within me, bless his holy name.

WORSHIP IS THE VOICE OF FAITH

PS 42:11 Why art thou cast down, O my soul? and why art thou disquieted within me? hope thou in God: for I shall yet praise him, who is the health of my countenance, and my God.

PS 109:30 I will greatly praise the LORD with my mouth; yea, I will praise him among the multitude.

1 COR 14:15 What is it then? I will pray with the spirit, and I will pray with the understanding also: I will sing with the spirit, and I will sing with the understanding also.

PS 57:7 My heart is fixed, O God, my heart is fixed: I will sing and give praise.

<u>PS 18:</u>3 <u>I will</u> call upon the LORD, who is worthy to be praised: <u>so shall I be saved from mine enemies.</u>

OUR MOUTH IS THE NEW TESTIMANT ALTAR

HEB 13:15 By him therefore let us offer the sacrifice of praise to God continually, that is, the fruit of our lips giving thanks to his name.

MATT 4:10 Then saith Jesus unto him, Get thee hence, Satan: for it is written, Thou shalt worship the Lord thy God, and <u>him only shalt thou serve.</u>

WORSHIP CHANGES CIRCUMSTANCES

<u>MATT 8:2-3</u> And, behold, there came a leper and <u>worshipped</u> him, saying, Lord, if thou wilt, thou canst make me clean. ³And Jesus put forth his hand, and touched him, saying, I will; be thou clean. And immediately his leprosy was cleansed.

<u>JOHN 9:31</u> Now we know that God heareth not sinners: but if any man be a <u>worshipper</u> of God, and doeth his will, him he heareth.

MATT 9:18,19,25 While he spake these things unto them, behold, there came a certain ruler, and worshipped him, saying, My daughter is even now dead: but come and lay thy hand upon her, and she shall live. ¹⁹And Jesus arose, and followed him, and so did his disciples. ²⁵But when the people were put forth, he went in, and took her by the hand, and the maid arose.

<u>MATT 15:25-28</u> Then came she and <u>worshipped</u> him, saying, Lord, help me. ²⁶But he answered and said, It is not meet to take the children's bread, and to cast it to dogs. ²⁷And she said, Truth, Lord: yet the dogs eat of the crumbs which fall from their masters' table. ²⁸Then Jesus answered and said unto her, O woman, great is thy faith: be it unto thee even as thou wilt. And her daughter was made whole from that very hour.

<u>DAN 3:17-18</u> If it be so, our God whom we serve is able to deliver us from the burning fiery furnace, and he will deliver us out of thine hand, O king. ¹⁸But if not, be it known unto thee, O king, that we will not serve thy gods, <u>nor worship the golden image</u> which thou hast set up.

PROV 28:12 When righteous men do rejoice, there is great glory: but when the wicked rise, a man is hidden.

WE WORSHIP IN RESPONSE TO HIS GRACE

WE WORSHIP TO BLESS GOD - NOT US

FOCUS ON JESUS AND "BELIEVE" YOU ARE BLESSING HIM

PRACTICE THE PRESENCE OF GOD

WORSHIP IN TRUTH, THE PATTERN FROM GOD'S WORD

GIVE YOUR BODY IN WORSHIP TO GOD

SING A NEW SONG TO HIM

ROMANCE AND "WAIT" ON HIM

LEARN TO TARRY IN WORSHIP UNTIL HIS PRESENCE IS MANIFEST

WORSHIP DEFINED (Greek-pros-koo-neh'-o) to kiss, like a dog licking his master's hand, prostrate oneself, do reverence, adore.