

Worship Is . . .

Worship changes the worshiper into the image of the one worshiped
Jack Heyford

Worship is love responding to love
Judson Cornwall

*We are saved to worship God. All that Christ has done in the past
and all that He is doing now leads to this one end.*
A W Tozer

Worship is the submission of all our nature to God. It is the quickening of conscience by His holiness, the nourishment of the mind with His truth, the purifying of the imagination of His beauty, the opening of the heart to His love, the surrender of the will to His purpose.
William Temple

Worship is an inward feeling and outward action that reflects the worth of God.
John Piper

"Worship is the interchange between the revelation of God in our hearts and our appropriate response to that revelation, to bowing all that we are before all that he is".
Bill Mounce

Worship is based upon relationship. The more you know God, the deeper your worship will be.
Bob Sorge

All worship that is not offered to God falls short of the bench mark of the standard Jesus set for true worship. No matter how beautiful the method or how pure the motive, unless God is the direct object of that worship, it is manifestly false worship.
Judson Cornwall

We are called to an everlasting preoccupation with God.
A.W. Tozer

God first seeks devotion to Him in the hidden place; worship when no one else is watching.
Matt Redman

Worship isn't simply an event or orientation. It's a way of life. It's the result of our decision to exalt God above everything else.
Tony Evans

Worship is the highest elevation of the spirit, yet the lowliest prostration of the soul.
Charles Spurgeon

*To worship is to act as an inferior before a superior.
When I worship God, I am saying by my actions, God you are better than I am.
You are bigger than I am. You are more than I am.*
Joseph Garlington

*The heart of God loves a persevering worshiper who, though overwhelmed by many troubles, is
overwhelmed even more by the beauty of God.*
Matt Redman

In commanding us to glorify Him, God is inviting us to enjoy Him.
C.S. Lewis

Worship does not satisfy our hunger for God – it whets our appetite.
Eugene Peterson

*Humanity was born of God's desire for worship. Worship is the doorway to God's love and
provision. When we become worshipful people, the floodgates open and God enters our lives.*
John S. Miller

To worship in spirit is to draw near to God with an undivided heart.
Erwin Lutzer

*To worship God "in truth" is to worship God not as we think him to be, not as we hope him to
be, not as we'd like him to be, but as he is.*
Dr.B.H.Leafblad

*Without doubt the emphasis in Christian teaching today should be on worship. There is little
danger that we shall become merely worshipers and neglect the practical implications of the
gospel. No one can long worship God in spirit and in truth before the obligation to holy service
becomes too strong to resist. Fellowship with God leads straight to obedience and good works.
That is the divine order and it can never be reversed.*
A W Tozer

*'To worship or not to worship' has never been the question,
for all of God's created beings are inherently worshipers . . . it is more consistently
a question of who we will worship.*
Judson Cornwall

*The English word Worship is derived from the Anglo-Saxon 'weorthscripe', meaning to ascribe
worth, to pay homage, to reverence or venerate. Interestingly, the Hebrew word most
commonly translated 'worship' in the Old Testament is 'shachah' which literally means
'to prostrate oneself bow down, fall down flat, do reverence. The most commonly used Greek
word is 'proskuneo' which means 'to kiss the hand, to prostrate oneself.'*
David C Stone