



“I Will Celebrate Before the Lord”

2 Samuel 6

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1. What does the word worship mean to me?
How would you define it in your own words?
2. What are ways that I personally worship God?
3. What are my gifts and how do I use them to serve Jesus?
4. In what context, environment or setting do I connect with God in the deepest way (Sunday mornings, retreats, small group, large group, nature, solitude)?
5. Do I truly believe that God is worthy of my praise?
Why is He worthy?
6. What are my expectations as I enter into a Sunday morning worship service?
7. Is worship about what I get or what I give to God?
8. Do we worship in a way that makes us feel good rather than in a way that God desires?
Is our worship too safe?

9. Which character in this story do you honestly most associate with in worship?

Uzzah – controlling, mistrusting, becoming too familiar with what you understand of God’s presence that you lose the fear and mystery of his great power and glory.

Have you become so accustomed to your experience or lack of experiences with God in worship that you have lost your understanding of His power, glory and mystery?
Do you approach God with reverence and holy fear?

Ahio – follower, going with the flow, religious.

Are you just doing all the right things and saying all the right words to appear like you have this Christian thing figured out?
Is there a depth to your faith that goes beyond a religion?

David – a true worshipper, he is not the worship leader but is the lead worshipper, he was able to admit wrongdoing and make things right, he had a depth of relationship with God that allowed him to question God’s actions.

Do you enter worship prepared to meet with the Almighty God?
Do you give your all in worship like David did?
Are you willing to lay down your ego and worship as God calls you to worship?

Obed-Edom – right place at the right time, blessed for stepping up.

Are you available for God to use you when you least expect it?

Michal – critical, disrespectful, unengaged.

Are you standing there during worship with your arms crossed considering how things should be according to your agenda?
Are you missing your opportunity to worship the God of all creation because of the plank in your own eye?