

WORSHIP THE LORD

Sermon in Song

INTRODUCTION

- A. For the past month we have looked at how our worship to the Lord should be.
 - 1. Recognizing those things that draw us closer to God and His holiness.
 - 2. Also recognizing those things in our lives that separate us from proper worship to God.
- B. This morning, we take a few moments to review several thoughts important to our worship to God, not only each Lord's Day, but our daily pursuit of holiness.

I. THE HOLINESS OF GOD.

- A. God's Call to Holiness.
 - 1. Leviticus 11:44-45
 - 2. Lev. 19:2; 20:7; 20:26; 21:8
 - 3. We must recognize God as holy, demanding a change in our daily lives.
 - 4. Holy, Holy, Holy (#47)
- B. A Heavenly Exercise.
 - 1. Revelation 4 shares with us a description of God's throne in heaven.
 - 2. Revelation 14:1-3
 - 3. On Zion's Glorious Summit (#227)

II. REVERENCE BEFORE GOD.

- A. Outside interference to be silenced.
 - 1. God's command for purity in His presence. Exodus 19:10-11
 - 2. Also, the inside "noise" which interferes with our worship to God.
 - 3. Longing for peace, contentment.
 - 4. To cease our strivings.
 - 5. Psalm 46
 - 6. Habakkuk 2:20, "*But the Lord is in His holy temple. Let all the earth be silent before Him.*"
 - 7. Be Still and Know (#31)
The Lord Is In His Holy Temple (#108)
- B. Each day demands our efforts in the pursuit of reverence and holiness before God.
 - 1. Take Time to Be Holy (#731)

III. OUR PRAISE TO GOD.

- A. Recognizing His greatness, power, love, mercy, and grace.
 - 1. Psalm 86:11-13
 - 2. Glorify Thy Name (#77)
- B. David's prayer of thanksgiving following the offering for the temple.
 - 1. 1 Chronicles 29:10-16
 - 2. Hallelujah! Praise Jehovah (#3)