

The Sustaining Power of Praise & Worship

Text: Psalm 100 (NIV) *

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Introduction

Psa. 100:1-5

I. The to Worship

Psa. 100:1-2

A) Shout

Psa. 100:1

Psa. 96:4a, ESV

B) Worship

Psa. 100:2

Eph. 5:19-20, NLT

C) Come before Him

Psa. 100:2

II. The for Our Worship

A) The Lord is GOD!

Psa. 100:3

2 Tim. 1:12, ESV

B) The Lord made us – He is CREATOR!

Psa. 100:3

Psa. 139:14

Eph. 2:10

C) We are His people – He is REDEEMER!

Psa. 100:3

John 3:16

1 Cor. 6:20

1 Pet. 1:18-19

D) We are sheep of His pasture – He is SHEPHERD!

Psa. 100:3

Psa. 23

John 10

III. The _____ for Our Worship

Psa. 100:4

Psa. 100:4

Jam. 4:8a

IV. The _____ for Our Worship

Psa. 100:5

A) The Lord is GOOD...

B) His Love ENDURES...

C) His faithfulness CONTINUES...

Conclusion

A. Closing questions:

- 1) What does my current “praise & worship experience” look like?
- 2) Am I consistent with my spiritual discipline of praise and worship?
- 3) Is there “something” interfering with my praise and worship? What is it?
- 4) When is the last time I really “entered in” to deep praise and worship?
- 5) Am I ready to “come near” to God and totally surrender my life to Him?

B. Closing song: “With Lifted Hands”

Recommended Song: “With Lifted Hands” by Ryan Stevenson

Recommended Reading Available at Christianbook.com:

- *A Psalm in Your Heart* by George O. Wood (Former General Superintendent of the Assemblies of God)

* All Scripture references are NIV (2011) unless otherwise noted.