

Session 2

**GOD IS!
WORSHIP HIM.**

Theme:

By worship, we get acquainted with God
and increase our confidence in Him.

Biblical Foundation:

“But the hour is coming, and now is, when the true worshipers will worship the Father in spirit and truth; for the Father is seeking such to worship Him. God is Spirit, and those who worship Him must worship in spirit and truth.”

John 4:23-24 NKJV™

The Purpose of This Session

is to grow in faith by growing in worship.

Introduction:

How would you define worship?

1. Worship means to revere and respond to God as we [**ADORE**] the many qualities of His nature.

2. Hebrews 11:6 describes two essential elements in worship:

“But without faith it is impossible to please Him, for he who comes to God must believe that **He is**, and that **He is a rewarder** of those who diligently seek Him.” (NKJV™ emphasis added)

- a. God exists
- b. God rewards

A. Basic Truth: GOD IS!

This is the first step in our faith.

“...he who comes to God must believe that He is...” (Hebrews 11:6 NKJV™ emphasis added)

1. Worship focuses attention on Almighty God. The foundation of faith is to meet with the true, [living God].

2. Faith begins when we receive Jesus as our personal Savior. When we [open] our heart to Him, God becomes real to us by personal experience.

“When I consider Your heavens, the work of Your fingers, the moon and the stars, which You have ordained, what is man that You are mindful of him...O Lord, our Lord, how excellent is Your name in all the earth!”

Psalm 8:3-4a,9 NKJV™

David admired and worshipped the God of all creation. He came to know God as bigger than any earthly challenge he would ever face. This is the power of worship!

3. We grow in faith as we learn to worship and praise Him. Gaze on Him in your heart until He draws you into His presence and shows you that He is able and loving enough to answer your prayers!

B. Scripture: Hebrews 11:6

“But without faith it is impossible to please Him, for he who comes to God must believe that He is, and that He is a rewarder of those who diligently seek Him.”

Hebrews 11:6 NKJV™

Notice three truths in this verse:

1. God is [**pleased**] with our faith.
2. Faith is expressed by “coming to God” (praying).
3. We grow in faith through continual [**fellowship**] with our heavenly Father.
4. Faith also grows through receiving prayer answers from God.

C. Prayer Action: Worship Him!

1. Turn to “**God’s Attributes**” section, page 7 in your Participant’s Manual. Worship the Lord by praying over one of His attributes. Look up and include the Scripture reference in your praying.

Conclusion:

The more we worship God,
the better we know Him. The better
we know Him, the more we can trust
Him!

Review:

What is the first step of faith?

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