

The Bedrock of Life

One thing I ask from the Lord, this alone do I seek: that I may dwell in the house of the Lord all the days of my life, to gaze on the beauty of the Lord and to seek him in his temple. Psalm 27:4

Jesus replied, "believe me, a time is coming when you will worship the Father neither on this mountain nor in Jerusalem. You Samaritans worship what you do not know; we worship what we do know, for salvation is from the Jews. Yet a time is coming and has now come when the true worshipers will worship the Father in the Spirit and in truth, for they are the kind of worshipers the Father seeks." John 4:21-23

1. True worship has a single object.

2. True worship has a thousand styles.

I saw the Lord, high and exalted, seated on a throne; and the train of his robe filled the temple. Above him were seraphim... And they were calling to one another: "Holy, holy, holy is the Lord Almighty; the whole earth is full of his glory." Isaiah 6:1-3

3. True worship involves a concrete response.

- **Repentance** Isaiah 6:5
- **Mission** Isaiah 6:8

Therefore, I urge you, brothers and sisters, in view of God's mercy, to offer your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and pleasing to God—this is your true and proper worship. Romans 12:1

4. True worship involves surrendering.

- **Offering your body.**
- **Accepting your identity.**

5. True worship is a daily occurrence.

At once I was in the Spirit, and there before me was a throne in heaven with someone sitting on it. Revelation 4:2

6. True worship is forever.