

Sermon Based Study

SERMON SERIES: This is FOR everyONE. Worship.

May 2-5

<u>Sermon Key Points:</u>

1-Worship is for everywhere. (Awestruck Wonder: Awww...God you are Great! Awww...God you are greater than me. Awww...God I wonder what you desire. Awww...God I submit to your will)
2-Worship is for everything.
3-Worship is FOR everyONE.

Series Memory Verse

"FOR EveryONE who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved." **Romans 10:13**

Sermon Scripture References Psalm 150

We were made to worship. Worship is the right response to the presence of God. It is not confined to a place, but rather through Jesus, is embodied in the flesh and blood of his people. We are temples of worship, offering our bodies as living sacrifices holy and pleasing to God. Because our lives are worship, worship is for everywhere. Everywhere you go is a place of worship. The very breath in your lungs is worship, creation honoring its Creator by living out its function. Worship is standing in awe before God, recognizing his greatness, his wonder, and our appropriate submission.

Worship is for everything. We worship God for his creative power, his salvation through Jesus, and his redemption of our lives. We get to praise God in a variety of ways, through words, songs, music, dance, and ultimately through life itself. God is good, he is worthy of our attention, our reverence and our awe.

Worship is for everyOne. When you are being the person God made you to be, you are worshipping him. "Let everything that has breath praise the Lord." If there is breath in your lungs, worship is your calling. It gets us outside ourselves, acknowledges the one who is greater than us, greater than our circumstances, and greater than the chaos and confusion of our world. Worship centers us. It places God at the proper center of our life. The best thing you can do right now is worship. Take a moment and worship God.

Personal Reflection:

- 1. What is worship? What is one memorable occasion when you experienced deep worship? What inspired it?
- 2. Why is it important to recognize that worship is not limited to a set time or place? What is an unconventional way that you worshiped God this week?
- 3. What are some of the obstacles to worship? How are we to approach such obstacles?
- 4. What are some things other than God that people worship within our world? Why might they fail to fulfill us?
- 5. What are some reasons to worship? What are some ways in which people worship?