

Worship “Like a Man”

A Special Father’s Day Message

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WELCOME

PRAYER

SHARE

Read: 2 Samuel 6:1-5 (NLT)

1 Then David again gathered all the elite troops in Israel, 30,000 in all. 2 He led them to Baalah of Judah to bring back the Ark of God, which bears the name of the Lord of Heaven’s Armies, who is enthroned between the cherubim. 3 They placed the Ark of God on a new cart and brought it from Abinadab’s house, which was on a hill. Uzzah and Ahio, Abinadab’s sons, were guiding the cart 4 that carried the Ark of God. Ahio walked in front of the Ark. 5 David and all the people of Israel were celebrating before the Lord, singing songs and playing all kinds of musical instruments—lyres, harps, tambourines, castanets, and cymbals.

Statement: Worship reminds the enemy.

Question: What is your favorite part of the worship celebration and why?

Read: 2 Samuel 6:16-20 (NLT)

16 But as the Ark of the Lord entered the City of David, Michal, the daughter of Saul, looked down from her window. When she saw King David leaping and dancing before the Lord, she was filled with contempt for him. 17 They brought the Ark of the Lord and set it in its place inside the special tent David had prepared for it. And David sacrificed burnt offerings and peace offerings to the Lord. 18 When he had finished his sacrifices, David blessed the people in the name of the Lord of Heaven’s Armies. 19 Then he gave to every Israelite man and woman in the crowd a loaf of bread, a cake of dates, and a cake of raisins. Then all the people returned to their homes. 20 When David returned home to bless his own family, Michal, the daughter of Saul, came out to meet him. She said in disgust, “How distinguished the king of Israel looked today, shamelessly exposing himself to the servant girls like any vulgar person might do!”

Statement: Everyone will not understand your worship.

Question: When is a time that you contained your praise because people were around you?

Read: 2 Samuel 6:21-22 (NLT)

21 David retorted to Michal, “I was dancing before the Lord, who chose me above your father and all his family! He appointed me as the leader of Israel, the people of the Lord, so I celebrate before the Lord. 22 Yes, and I am willing to look even more foolish than this, even to be humiliated in my own eyes! But those servant girls you mentioned will indeed think I am distinguished!”

Statement: Worship is our response to the call of who God is.

Question: Talk about a memorable time of you worshiping God. What made that time memorable?

FACTOR POINTS

Worship

Worship the Lord in Spirit and in Truth. This is our mandate.

Lear

Learn the power of worship not just individually, but corporately.

Serve

Understand that your worship serves and glorifies God, but it also serves the body.

PRAYER REQUESTS / PRAISE REPORTS

CARE: Follow-up during the week