



**Q1 (WEEK 2)**

**JANUARY 11, 2026**

# **FAITH STILL SPEAKS**

**Hebrews 11:4**

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By faith Abel offered to God a better sacrifice than Cain did. By faith he was approved as a righteous man, because God approved his gifts, and even though he is dead, he still speaks through his faith.



**The world measures value by  
performance, reaction, and recognition.**



**Worship means to ascribe worth, to  
declare with action and attitude,  
“You are worthy, O Lord.”**



**Worship speaks,  
even when we are silent**

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# **GENESIS 4:4 (CSB)**

**The Lord had regard for Abel and his offering, but for Cain and his offering He had no regard.**



**Abel's faith was expressed through an offering  
of self first and then everything else.**



# **Worship is a Proclamation**

**Performance says, “Notice me.”**

**Proclamation says, “I trust You.”**



# **Transactional Faith**

## **obedience with an unspoken expectation**

# What do my offerings say to God?

- Is my life of worship a performance or a proclamation?
- Does my heart posture match my body posture?

**God has never been impressed by the external.**

**God weighs the heart, the internal.**

## HEBREWS 11:4 (NIV)

And through his faith he was commended as righteous because God commended him for his offerings.

**Abel's offering spoke so powerfully  
that he didn't have to say a word.**

**His worship spoke for him, and God spoke for him.**

# HEBREWS 11:4 (CSB)

By faith, Abel offered to God a better sacrifice than Cain. Through this, he was commended as righteous.

**Worship is the life we offer God**

**Worship was never meant to be confined to an  
altar of stone or an hour on a Sunday.**



**GOD HEARS PRAYERS, NO ONE APPLAUDS.**

**HE SEES OBEDIENCE NO ONE AFFIRMS.**

**AND HE REMEMBERS FAITH THE WORLD FORGETS.**

# HEBREWS 12:24 (CSB)

You have come... to Jesus, the mediator of a new covenant, and to the sprinkled blood that speaks a better word than the blood of Abel.



# What is your worship saying to God?



**Next Week:**  
**LIVING TO  
PLEASE GOD**

**Hebrews 11:4**