







Psalm 96:9

Worship the LORD in the splendor of holiness; tremble before him, all the earth!

Shachah

The Hebrew word Shachah is translated worship, means to depress, to bow down, or to fall down flat. It is a picture of humility before Yahweh. Our hearts and our bodies are closely connected. When I physically bow it helps my heart to submit.

Holy and Glory

Holiness is God's infinite worth and value. Hebrew word Qadosh

Glory is the display of His holiness. Glory is when God is going public with His infinite worth. His names represents one aspect of His glory which is why He has many names.

Beauty is its Own Reward

When something is useful you are attracted to it for what it can bring you or do for you. But if it is beautiful, then you enjoy it simply for what it is. Just being in its presence is its own reward.

-Tim Keller

2 Corinthians 4:3-4

3 And even if our gospel is veiled, it is veiled to those who are perishing. 4 In their case the god of this world has blinded the minds of the unbelievers, to keep them from seeing the light of the gospel of the glory of Christ, who is the image of God.

Shout Unto God: Shachah

We bow down in worship in response to God's glory.

Genesis 18

1 And the Lord appeared to him by the oaks of Mamre, as he sat at the door of his tent in the heat of the day. 2 He lifted up his eyes and looked, and behold, three men were standing in front of him. When he saw them, he ran from the tent door to meet them and bowed himself to the earth 3 and said, "O Lord, if I have found favor in your sight, do not pass by your servant.

Genesis 18

4 Let a little water be brought, and wash your feet, and rest yourselves under the tree, 5 while I bring a morsel of bread, that you may refresh yourselves, and after that you may pass on—since you have come to your servant." So they said, "Do as you have said." 6 And Abraham went quickly into the tent to Sarah and said, "Quick! Three seahs of fine flour! Knead it, and make cakes."

Genesis 18

7 And Abraham ran to the herd and took a calf, tender and good, and gave it to a young man, who prepared it quickly. 8 Then he took curds and milk and the calf that he had prepared, and set it before them. And he stood by them under the tree while they ate. 9 They said to him, "Where is Sarah your wife?" And he said, "She is in the tent."

Genesis 18

10 The Lord said, "I will surely return to you about this time next year, and Sarah your wife shall have a son." And Sarah was listening at the tent door behind him. 11 Now Abraham and Sarah were old, advanced in years. The way of women had ceased to be with Sarah. 12 So Sarah laughed to herself, saying, "After I am worn out, and my lord is old, shall I have pleasure?"

Genesis 18

13 The Lord said to Abraham, "Why did Sarah laugh and say, 'Shall I indeed bear a child, now that I am old?' 14 Is anything too hard for the Lord? At the appointed time I will return to you, about this time next year, and Sarah shall have a son." 15 But Sarah denied it, saying, "I did not laugh," for she was afraid. He said, "No, but you did laugh."

Genesis 18

16 Then the men set out from there, and they looked down toward Sodom. And Abraham went with them to set them on their way. 17 The Lord said, "Shall I hide from Abraham what I am about to do, 18 seeing that Abraham shall surely become a great and mighty nation, and all the nations of the earth shall be blessed in him?"

Genesis 18

19 For I have chosen him, that he may command his children and his household after him to keep the way of the Lord by doing righteousness and justice, so that the Lord may bring to Abraham what he has promised him."

20 Then the Lord said, "Because the outcry against Sodom and Gomorrah is great and their sin is very grave, 21 I will go down to see whether they have done altogether[g] according to the outcry that has come to me. And if not, I will know."

Observations

1. Abraham is watching for the Lord
2. Christophany is pre-incarnate appearance of Christ
3. Abraham moves with urgency to feed his guests in the hottest part of the day

Observations

4. Abraham and Sarah personally prepare their best even though they have many servants

Shout Unto God

1. Shachah changes barren to fruitful

Exodus 23:24-26

24 you shall not bow down to their gods nor serve them, nor do as they do, but you shall utterly overthrow them and break their pillars in pieces. 25 You shall serve the Lord your God, and he will bless your bread and your water, and I will take sickness away from among you. 26 None shall miscarry or be barren in your land; I will fulfill the number of your days.

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3. Humility puts us in p

Proverbs 25:2

It is the glory of God to conceal things, but the glory of kings is to search things out.

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Baptism Details

- Bring your side dish or dessert with you.
- After service, depart church and arrive at Lake.
- Travel time from church to lake is 35 minutes.
- Park at Pavilion (Shelter) #2. There is plenty of parking near pavilion. Place desserts and side dishes on designated table.
- Baptism begins at 12:45PM on the beach which is visible from the pavilion.
- Lunch and fun. After baptism stay and have lunch.
- GPS Address: 75 Wilder St, Peterborough
Directions available from ushers or at the Info Center
