

Meaningless Worship

_____ **Up**

1. Why should we guard our steps when we go to the house of God?
2. What is the sacrifice of fools, and how can I avoid it?
 - › Are you _____ to _____ from God?

_____ **What You** _____

1. What does it mean to be rash with my mouth before God?
2. What does it mean to “let my words be few”?
 - › Are you seeking to talk _____ God or just ___ Him?

_____ **What You** _____

1. What does it mean to offer a vow to God?
2. Did you make a vow? Why did you make a vow? Have you payed your vow?
 - › Are you here to _____ God or so that God might _____ you?

From _____ **to** _____

1. What does it mean to fear God?
2. The only way we can approach this Holy God is through a _____.
 - › Are you bringing God your _____ or just coming out of _____?

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Group Questions

1. How would you define / describe worship?
2. What are some ways we have made worship all about us?
3. Certainly man-centered worship appeals to our ego, but what might be some other reasons we resonate with it?
4. Why do you think awe at God's magnificent transcendence has been replaced in our culture with Jesus as our homeboy?
5. What are some ways we try to manipulate God to do what we want?
6. Have you ever gotten into a rut in your religious rituals? What did you do to get out?
7. If worship is more than singing, what does it look like to worship God and bring Him glory whether we eat or drink, or whatever we do (1 Cor 10:31)?
8. How can you pray without attempting to manipulate God?
9. In what kinds of situations do you usually bargain with God? How has that worked?
10. Why do we procrastinate on fulfilling promises we make to God? How can we fight against this?
11. How should the fact that you have free access to God revolutionize your worship life?