

## **John 4:22-24 (NASB)**

22 You worship what you do not know; we worship what we know, for salvation is from the Jews.

23 But an hour is coming, and now is, when the true worshipers will worship the Father in spirit and truth; for such people the Father seeks to be His worshipers.

24 God is spirit, and those who worship Him must worship in spirit and truth.

- **ACCORDING TO THE SCRIPTURE WE MUST WORSHIP IN SPIRIT AND TRUTH**

- In spirit – the Holy Spirit must reside within us
  - To worship God in Spirit is to worship Him from a sincere heart
- In Truth – We are to worship according to the truth of the scripture

- **WE MUST WORSHIP GOD HOW HE IS REVEALED IN THE BIBLE**

- We worship Him as a God of mercy, grace, and justice
- A God who will welcome to heaven but will also condemn to hell

## **Matthew 4:8-11 (NASB)**

8 Again, the devil \*took Him to a very high mountain and \*showed Him all the kingdoms of the world and their glory;

9 and he said to Him, “All these things I will give You, if You fall down and worship me.”

10 Then Jesus \*said to him, “Go, Satan! For it is written, ‘You shall worship the Lord your God, and serve Him only.’”

11 Then the devil \*left Him; and behold, angels came and began to minister to Him.

- **WHEN WE WORSHIP IT EVOKES THE HOLY SPIRIT TO MOVE**
  - Worship evokes healing
    - Evokes means bring or recall to the conscious mind; stir up; stimulate
  
- **WORSHIP MEANS TO BRING OR GIVE GOD THE GLORY**
  
- **A WORSHIP LIFE CONSIST OF**
  - Prayer
  - Fasting
  - Praise
    - Praise – to exalt, bless, glorify, magnify, to be thankful
  - Worshipping is part of being spiritually disciplined

## **Romans 12:1 (NASB)**

12 Therefore I urge you, brethren, by the mercies of God, to present your bodies a living and holy sacrifice, acceptable to God, which is your spiritual service of worship.

- **CONCLUSION**

- The pressing to get into a place of sincere worship is truly to please God but at the same time we reap the benefits of God's manifested glory in our lives