

What He's Done April 16, 2023

What does the word "Worship" mean to you? Do you have a preferred style of worship? How much do your personal preferences influence your ability to worship with a whole heart? What does this say about your view of worship?

Read: Psalm 27:6, 5:11, 9:11, 59:16, 71:23 & 100:1

What do these verses say about why we worship? Why do we "sing" rather than just "say" our words of worship? Do you feel emotionally charged, or contemplative during worship?

Read: Psalm 149:1 & 96:1-2

What does "sing a <u>new</u> song" mean? Do you have a story of transitioning from traditional to contemporary worship music? Why is singing new songs important?

Read: Exodus 14:29-31 & 15:1-2

These verses give us a good example of a <u>new</u> song that was created on the "fly". What are the similarities between this song and lyrics we sing today? Does this affect your view of worship songs?

Read: Psalm 92:4 & 105:2

How do these verses speak to worshiping God for who He is and what He has done?

Read: Colossians 3:16

Can we learn by singing worship songs? Why is it important to examine the lyrics as we enjoy the melodies? Do you find it easier to memorize words when accompanied by music?

Read: Philippians 2:8-11

Does contemplating the importance of your salvation fuel your desire to worship? What role does gratitude play in worship? What role does worship play in helping us through our daily Christian life?

Ted gave us some homework this week:

- 1. Choose a worship song.
- 2. View full lyrics as you listen.
- 3. Identify the main theme.
- 4. Sing it out loud with all you got.

Commit to doing this assignment and reporting back to the group next week.

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