

HEROES

“GETTING WORSHIP RIGHT”

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By faith Abel brought God a better offering than Cain did. By faith he was commended as righteous, when God spoke well of his offerings. And by faith Abel still speaks, even though he is dead. —Hebrews 11:4

TO GET WORSHIP RIGHT...

1. I will worship _____.

By faith Abel brought God a better offering than Cain did. —Hebrews 11:4

What made Abel’s offering better than Cain’s?

1) I will show proper estimation of _____.

“Isn’t it true that a son honors his father and a worker his master? So if I’m your Father, where’s the honor? If I’m your Master, where’s the respect?” God-of-the-Angel-Armies is calling you on the carpet: “You priests despise me! “You say, ‘Not so! How do we despise you?’ “By your shoddy, sloppy, defiling worship. —Malachi 1:6, MSG

2) I will show proper estimation of _____.

- My job is to do what God wants, not to _____.

The Lord looked with favor on Abel and his offering, 5 but on Cain and his offering he did not look with favor. So Cain was very angry, and his face was downcast. 6 Then the Lord said to Cain, “Why are you angry? Why is your face downcast? 7 If you do what is right, will you not be accepted? But if you do not do what is right, sin is crouching at your door; it desires to have you, but you must rule over it.” —Genesis 4:4-7

2. I will worship _____

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1) I will _____ God’s Word.

Consequently, faith comes from hearing the message, and the message is heard through the word about Christ. —Romans 10:17

2) I will _____ God’s Word.

- That requires my _____.

...God will credit righteousness—for us who believe in him who raised Jesus our Lord from the dead. —Romans 4:24

- That requires my _____

But someone will say, “You have faith; I have deeds.” Show me your faith without deeds, and I will show you my faith by my deeds.

- James 2:18

3. I will worship _____

1) I will accept the costs of _____.

I will not sacrifice to the Lord my God burnt offerings that cost me nothing. —2 Samuel 24:2

Malachi 1:11-13

2) I will accept the costs of _____

Luke 14:25-27

Abel still speaks —Hebrews 11:4

Memory verse: *“I will not sacrifice to the Lord my God burnt offerings that cost me nothing. —2 Samuel 24:2*

(Humbly, God, Myself, Freely, Faithfully, Hear, Heed, Trust, Obedience, Sacrificially, Worship, Commitment)

My Next Step Today is...

- Memorize 2 Samuel 24:2
- In what area does your worship need to improve?
- What does worship cost you?
- I want to talk to someone about receiving Christ as my Savior.

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