PRAISE, WORSHIP AND GOD'S ANOINTING

PART 6: EIGHT REASONS SATAN HATES PRAISE (I) 2016-7-10 SAM

Psalm 5:1-7; Psalm 7:17; Psalm 9:1-14

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- 1) HE WANTS PRAISE FOR HIMSELF Matthew 4:8-10...Revelation 12:7-9; 13:1-4
- 2) HE WANTS YOU WEAK & WORRIED 2 Timothy 1:7...1 John 4:18...Philippians 4:4-7 True praise is not governed by emotions; it is birthed out of a born-again spirit. A true praiser will praise beyond church services and cannot stay grumpy, complaining, etc. A praiser cannot be a worrier & and worrier cannot be a praiser. If you leave your praise in church you will never truly conquer your inner struggles.

Isaiah 61:1-3 a garment is something you put on. In the Bible, people tore their clothes out of anguish, sorrow, etc. The garment of praise will never be torn. Praise will fill the place where complaining, murmuring, etc formerly resided.

People take drugs to deal with the emotions of depression, anxiety, panic, etc. Drugs are an external substance introduced to the internal workings of the mind. Praise releases a spiritual "drug" from the inside of a person's born-again spirit to deal with the same emotions.

- 3) PRAISE BUILDS A HABITATION FOR ALMIGHTY GOD Psalm 22:3; 16:11; 149:4... Zephaniah 3:17...Nehemiah 3:10. In God's presence there is fullness of everything God is and has promised. Satan can see a spiritual change taking place in you as you praise.
- 4) PRAISE HELPS US HEAR GOD SPEAK Psalm 29:1-11 (God's voice is referenced seven times.) Generally, most prophetic words in a church service come during or toward the end of worship. This same principle holds true for private worship.

WORSHIP FOR YOUR NEEDS February 11, 2007

As you give Me your worship, I am able to give you My presence. For you see, your worship opens a channel in the realm of the spirit that I can flow through in no other way. When you give Me your worship I am able to give you a fullness of My presence that can bring about literal miracles in your life. For the presence of My glory that I can release to you in that avenue of the spirit that you create with worship can bring about healing for your body, peace for your soul and joy for your strength. As you give to Me your worship I am able to give to you a level of My presence that you can know no other way. For many of My children have cried out hungering and thirsting for Me and asking for more of Me and I would say to you, if you would give yourself over to worship more and more, the very presence that you're hungering for and seeking will manifest in your life.

Worship is a lost art in My body. It is a lost art in My church. The traditions and teachings of man have pushed the truth and the concept and the very essence of pure worship out of the

church and replaced it with religious performance. But I say to you, if you will replace the religious performance with the purity of worship that comes forth only from your heart, you will see an explosion of My glory in your midst that is unsurpassed in My church. For I long to manifest Myself this way in your presence. I long to manifest Myself this way in your churches and I say to you, the key to experiencing greater glory in your church services for revival is to worship Me, worship Me, worship Me—release it out of your spirit. For when you come together and fellowship in My presence as a congregation and begin to worship Me collectively in a congregation, I am able to release to you a collective glory that will touch every heart and mind.

So I say this to you to encourage you. Cast down the imaginations, the emotions, the feelings which would hinder you from pouring out your worship. Let your spirit dominate your soul and pour out the worship that will create an avenue in the spirit that I can flow through and meet you where are.

UNDERSTAND WORSHIP March 4, 2007

One of the greatest fears that your enemy has is that you will come to the place of understanding the power of worship. One of the first things that he has attacked throughout the ages is the worship of My people. For if he can stop their worship, he can stop the moves that I would work through them. If he can stop their worship, he knows that he will be able to stop their progress in Me.

For you see, worship is to be a part of your life as one of My children. For My Son said that I, God, seek for those who worship Me in spirit and in truth. Worship is supposed to be a very part of your being. Worship is supposed to be second nature to you. But in too many churches they do not know about worship so they don't worship. They sing, but they don't praise; they don't worship. And then, in many churches that do have a better understanding of worship, they honor Me with their lips but all too often they're going through the motions. I've said many things about worship in My word and how it impacts you, how it brings about My presence. When you worship, it is as though you are inviting Me to spend time with you and I respond to that.

Your enemy trembles at the thought that you would come to understand the power of worship because he knows that as you begin to worship Me, My glory is released through you; and that glory builds, as it were, a barrier to the enemy. If churches would worship Me, truly worship Me from their hearts, they would not split. Some people might leave, but the church wouldn't split.

There are so many things that worship would accomplish. But I say to you this night, do your part. Worship Me. You will experience My presence in a unique way. But at the same time, if you will become a worshiper, many of the problems that you face away from church – problems in your marriage, problems in your homes with your children, problems on your job – the devils behind these problems can be driven away with your worship. So heed My words tonight. Worship will take you into a deeper place with Me. Worship Me. Allow Me to move in your midst.

WORSHIP AND INCREASED GLORY

August 4, 2007

My glory is like unto a medicine. When a person is fighting a sickness or a pain and they take medicine to relieve that sickness or that pain, the blood system carries that medicine throughout the entire body, not just to the place of the affliction. And that medicine flows through the blood stream continually; as the blood flows through the body it carries that medicine; and every part of the body is affected and touched by that medicine.

In the same way, when you worship and My glory is released it touches every part of your being. It touches you in the realm of your body, spirit, and your soul. This is why many times after a worship service you feel refreshed and renewed...strengthened, because My glory has touched you. It's why many people experience a manifestation of healing during worship; because My glory is touching every part of your being.

My worship, that which you give unto Me, is very powerful and it's very needful for you; for as you worship Me, you are letting Me do a work in your life. Even those who don't understand about worship, when they're in the atmosphere of glory released it will touch them. This is why there is so much in My Word about praise and worship. It is to encourage you to worship Me so that I can work great works in your life and in your church.

When your emotions are telling you to stay away, this is when you need to fight those emotions and come and be here. And even if you don't feel like you can worship, get in the midst of the worship and let Me touch you; let me bring a refreshing to your soul, a renewing to your mind.

Worship is so important. And you *are* worshipping, for I do not find many churches that will worship as you. And as you continue to worship and diligently pursue Me in the area of worship, you will rise to new levels of worship and new experiences as a result of worship. It is so important that you do this to create atmospheres wherein I can work and touch the lives of people who will come to visit and will come to be here.

There will be those who will come to be here and they will visit and they may only stay for one service; but I will be able to touch them in that one service if you will be diligent to worship Me. Oh, how I love it when my children worship! For then they are able to experience Me in a deeper level.

So be encouraged: you cannot sing one song of worship without Me being pleased. I will move in the midst of your worship. So worship Me. Whenever you come together in this place for a time of worship, focus with all of your heart, mind, everything that is in you; focus on Me and you will see Me increase the levels of My glory in your midst.