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NORTHEAST

“Why We Worship”
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Revelation 3:20 *“Here I am! I stand at the door and knock. If anyone hears my voice and opens the door, I will come in and eat with that person, and they with me.”*

_____ time we enter into God’s presence, God speaks.

1. _____

Exodus 3:1-3 NKJV *“Now Moses was tending the flock of Jethro his father-in-law, the priest of Midian. And he led the flock to the back of the desert, and came to Horeb, the mountain of God. ² And the Angel of the Lord appeared to him in a flame of fire from the midst of a bush. So he **looked**, and behold, the bush was burning with fire, but the bush was not consumed. ³ Then Moses said, “I will now turn aside and **see** this great sight, why the bush does not burn.”*

Worship is our time to _____ on God.

2 Corinthians 3:18 NKJV *“But we all, with unveiled face, beholding as in a mirror the glory of the Lord, are being transformed into the same image from glory to glory, just as by the Spirit of the Lord.”*

2. _____

Exodus 3:4 NKJV *“So when the Lord saw that he turned aside to look, God **called** to him from the midst of the bush and said, “Moses, Moses!”*

Communion with God is _____ one-sided.

God’s _____

- **Psalm 100:2** *“Come before His presence with singing.”*
- **Psalm 9:3** *“When my enemies turn back, they shall fall and perish at Your presence.”*
- **Psalm 16:11** *“In Your presence is fullness of joy.”*
- **Psalm 68:8** *“The heavens also dropped rain at the presence of God; Sanai itself was moved at the presence of God.”*
- **Acts 3:19** *“Times of refreshing come from the presence of the Lord.”*

3. _____

Exodus 3:4b-5 NKJV *“And he said, “Here I am.” ⁵ Then He said, “Do not draw near this place. Take your sandals off your feet, for the place where you stand **is** holy ground.”*

Anything God touches is _____.

Psalm 103:7 NKJV *“He made know His **ways** to Moses, His **acts** to the children of Israel.”*

Exodus 33:7- 11

Spending time in God’s presence is where we _____ from God.

Psalm 73:1-17

Your perspective is _____ in the presence of God.

When you come into the presence of God and _____ to him, _____ on Him, _____ to what He says and _____ from Him – No matter what you are facing, everything changes in the presence of God!