



Title | The Art of Worship
Series | Good to Go
Text | Revelation 4:1-11
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Sermon Notes

Revelation 4:1 After this I looked, and behold, a door standing open in heaven! And the first voice, which I had heard speaking to me like a trumpet, said, "Come up here, and I will show you what must take place after this." 2 At once I was in the Spirit, and behold, a throne stood in heaven, with one seated on the throne. 3 And he who sat there had the appearance of jasper and carnelian, and around the throne was a rainbow that had the appearance of an emerald. 4 Around the throne were twenty-four thrones, and seated on the thrones were twenty-four elders, clothed in white garments, with golden crowns on their heads. 5 From the throne came flashes of lightning, and rumblings and peals of thunder, and before the throne were burning seven torches of fire, which are the seven spirits of God, 6 and before the throne there was as it were a sea of glass, like crystal. And around the throne, on each side of the throne, are four living creatures, full of eyes in front and behind: 7 the first living creature like a lion, the second living creature like an ox, the third living creature with the face of a man, and the fourth living creature like an eagle in flight. 8 And the four living creatures, each of them with six wings, are full of eyes all around and within, and day and night they never cease to say, "Holy, holy, holy, is the Lord God Almighty, who was and is and is to come!" 9 And whenever the living creatures give glory and honor and thanks to him who is seated on the throne, who lives forever and ever, 10 the twenty-four elders fall down before him who is seated on the throne and worship him who lives forever and ever. They cast their crowns before the throne, saying, 11 "Worthy are you, our Lord and God, to receive glory and honor and power, for you created all things, and by your will they existed and were created." ESV

Big Idea:

Revelation 4:11 "Worthy are you, our Lord and God, to receive glory and honor and power, for you created all things, and by your will they existed and were created." ESV

For Reflection and Application:

Monday:

Read Revelation 4:1-11. In the vision, what is the position of the one on the throne relative to everything else? How does this influence our worship? How can you apply this?

Tuesday:

Read Revelation 4:1-11 again. Who are the twenty-four elders? They have gathered together as a group. What does this suggest about our worship? How does this relate to Hebrews 10:25, and how should we respond?

Wednesday

Read Revelation 4:1-11 again. Identify all the elements of the vision that seem to reflect the attributes of God. What do you see? Taken collectively, how do all these attributes strike you? How does this relate to worship? How can you apply it?

Thursday:

Read Revelation 4:1-11 again. The vision culminates with a response from the elders. How would you describe their response? What does this say about worship? How might you apply it?

Friday:

If worship is primarily about giving God his due, how might that change the way you think and go about attending Sunday services and engaging in devotional times?

Daily Prayer:

“Worthy are you, our Lord and God, to receive glory and honor and power, for you created all things, and by your will they existed and were created.” Amen.

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