

The use of 'Worship' in the Bible.

Note:

The true Biblical meaning of Worship requires each of the spiritual gifts of [knowledge](#) , [wisdom](#) and [understanding](#) to comprehend properly. [Understanding](#) can show the similarities and differences found within verses of the Bible that tell us about [worship](#) . The verses that tell us about [worship](#) actually involve far more of the Bible than just the few verses that use the word of [worship](#) , but this paper only deals with the verses which use the word of [worship](#) . As we study these verses, we find that true [worship](#) is deeply personal and, therefore, is very much involved in the gift of [knowledge](#) . However, in addition to being something done privately, [worship](#) is also done publicly. Further, there are many verses which warn us of the consequences of wrong [worship](#) . Therefore, God expects His preachers, who have the spiritual gift of [wisdom](#) , to use that gift and teach His people how to properly [worship](#) God. In consideration of all of that, it needs to be acknowledged that this paper only provides the most basic level of [Understanding](#) how God uses the word [worship](#) within the Bible. In fact, while each verse was considered in context and according to sentence structure, those notes were not written up and provided here. That expansion may occur at a future date.

The best example of Biblical [worship](#) , that I can think of, is that [Isaiah 6:1](#) says [In the year that king Uzziah died I saw also the Lord sitting upon a throne, high and lifted up, and his train filled the temple.](#) The entire tone of the message from Isaiah changed at this verse. When Isaiah personally [saw also the Lord sitting upon a throne, high and lifted up, and his train filled the temple](#) , he was personally changed in his innermost person. True Biblical [worship](#) is supposed to have this personal effect upon each of us. However, I lack the [wisdom](#) required to teach someone else how they can receive this personal revelation. Hopefully, the Holy Spirit can use this basic definition to motivate others to study further and receive the required revelation from God. May God grant you the personal ability to truly [worship](#) Him like Isaiah did. The definition from Webster's 1828 dictionary is provided and should be read for a basic definition of the word [worship](#) . Please keep in mind that this is an English dictionary and, therefore, may include definitions used by man but not used by God within His Word.

Worship-Outline

1. Worship is a personal act that often requires personal sacrifice. ([Genesis 22:5](#) ; [24:26](#) ; [1 Samuel 1:3](#) , [19](#) ; [15:25](#) ; [Daniel 3:18](#) , [28](#) ; [Matthew 2:2](#) , [11](#) ; [8:2](#) ; [9:18](#) ; [14:33](#) ; [15:25](#) ; [20:20](#) ; [28:9](#) , [17](#) ; [Mark 5:6](#) ; [John 4:23](#) , [24](#) ; [9:38](#) ; [Acts 16:14](#) ; [18:7](#) , [13](#) ; [24:11](#) , [14](#) ; [Philippians 3:3](#) ; [Hebrews 11:21](#) ; [Revelation 4:10](#) ; [5:14](#) ; [7:11](#) ; [11:16](#) ; [19:4](#))
2. When a representative of the God of the Bible accepts worship that shows that the being is actually God. When the being refuses worship that shows that the being is Godly but is not God. ([Joshua 5:14](#) ; [Matthew 8:2](#) ; [9:18](#) ; [14:33](#) ; [15:25](#) ; [20:20](#) ; [28:9](#) , [17](#) ; [Mark 5:6](#) ; [John 4:23](#) , [24](#) ; [9:38](#) ; [Acts 10:25](#) ; [Hebrews 1:6](#) ; [Revelation 19:10](#) ; [22:8](#) , [9](#))
3. People who don't belong to God don't understand true worship of God. ([2 Kings 18:22](#) ; [2 Chronicles 32:12](#) ; [Isaiah 36:7](#) ; [John 4:22](#) ; [Acts 17:23](#) , [25](#) ; [Colossians 2:18](#) , [23](#))
4. Sometimes worship is applied to people to mean the actions of true worship without the

- aspects that mean deity. Often these applications are false and used to get an advantage or to avoid just punishment. ([Matthew 18:26](#) ; [Luke 14:10](#))
5. Some people claim that they are worshipping when they are lying and only putting on an outward show. These liars do not live a life of obedience to God's commands. They claim one thing in their *worship* and live another. ([1 Samuel 15:30](#) , [31](#) ; [2 Kings 5:18](#) ; [10:19](#) , [21](#) , [22](#) , [23](#) ; [Jeremiah 26:2](#) ; [44:19](#) ; [Matthew 2:8](#) ; [15:9](#) ; [Mark 7:7](#) ; [15:19](#) ; [Revelation 3:9](#))
 6. Worship is done in response to realizing the presence of God. ([Exodus 33:10](#) ; [Joshua 5:14](#) ; [2 Chronicles 7:3](#) ; [Isaiah 49:7](#) ; [Luke 24:52](#))
 7. Worship is done in response to realizing a personal attribute of God [mercy, grace, power, etc]. ([Exodus 34:8](#) ; [Psalms 99:5](#) , [9](#) ; [Isaiah 2:20](#) ; [6:1](#) ; [Revelation 15:4](#))
 8. Worship is done in response to realizing a (received or promised) blessing from God. ([Genesis 24:48](#) , [52](#) ; [Exodus 4:31](#) ; [12:27](#) ; [2 Chronicles 20:18](#) ; [Psalms 45:11](#) ; [86:9](#) ; [138:2](#) ; [Luke 24:52](#)). Also see verses below for revival (point 10).
 9. Worship is done in response to receiving a personal command or judgment from God. ([Judges 7:15](#) ; [1 Samuel 1:28](#) ; [2 Samuel 12:20](#))
 10. Worship is to be done when we need a personal command or judgment from God. ([2 Samuel 15:32](#) ; [Job 1:20](#) ; [Psalms 5:7](#) ; [22:29](#) ; [John 9:31](#))
 11. Worship is done before starting a (great) work for God. ([1 Chronicles 29:20](#) ; [Psalms 132:7](#))
 12. Worship does not make us saved ([Hebrews 10](#)). Worship is done as a result of true revival / conversion but a result is not the cause. ([2 Chronicles 29:28-30](#) ; [Nehemiah 8:6](#) ; [9:3](#) , [6](#) ; [Psalms 22:27](#) ; [29:2](#) ; [66:4](#) ; [95:6](#) ; [96:9](#) ; [Isaiah 27:13](#) ; [66:23](#) ; [Micah 5:13](#) ; [Zechariah 14:16](#) ; [1 Corinthians 14:25](#) ; [Hebrews 10:2](#)). True revival causes people to destroy the means of false worship ([Micah 5:13](#))
 13. Worship is commanded by God and is to be given only to God and is to be done God's way. ([Exodus 24:1](#) ; [Deuteronomy 26:10](#) ; [2 Kings 17:36](#) ; [1 Chronicles 16:29](#) ; [Psalms 81:9](#) ; [99:5](#) , [99:9](#) ; [Jeremiah 7:2](#) ; [Ezekiel 46:2](#) , [3](#) , [9](#) ; [Zechariah 14:17](#) ; [Matthew 4:10](#) ; [Luke 4:8](#) ; [John 4:20](#) , [21](#) , [22](#) ; [12:20](#) ; [Acts 8:27](#) ; [Colossians 2:18](#) ; [Hebrews 1:6](#) ; [Revelation 11:1](#) ; [14:7](#) ; [20:4](#)) Disobedience can bring punishment. Also see the verses of the next point. In Daniel 2:46 Daniel allowed *the king Nebuchadnezzar fell upon his face, and worshipped Daniel* and Daniel was not part of the next chapter ([Daniel 3](#)). Daniel only came back into the story after getting this thing right.
 14. Worship can be given to things/beings other than God. This ALWAYS results in punishment and often the punishment is put upon the children and followers of those who worship any being other than the God of the Bible. ([Exodus 32:8](#) ; [34:14](#) ; [Deuteronomy 4:19](#) ; [8:19](#) ; [11:16](#) ; [17:3](#) ; [29:26](#) ; [30:17](#) ; [1 Kings 9:6](#) , [9](#) ; [11:33](#) ; [12:30](#) ; [16:31](#) ; [22:53](#) ; [2 Kings 17:16](#) ; [19:37](#) ; [21:3](#) , [21](#) ; [2 Chronicles 7:19](#) ; [7:22](#) ; [33:3](#) ; [Psalms 97:7](#) ; [106:19](#) ; [Isaiah 2:8](#) ; [37:38](#) ; [44:15](#) , [17](#) ; [46:6](#) ; [Jeremiah 1:16](#) ; [8:2](#) ; [13:10](#) ; [16:11](#) ; [22:9](#) ; [25:6](#) ; [44:19](#) ; [Ezekiel 8:16](#) ; [Daniel 3:5](#) , [6](#) , [7](#) , [10](#) , [11](#) , [12](#) , [14](#) , [15](#) ; [Zephaniah 1:5](#) ; [2:11](#) ; [Matthew 4:9](#) ; [Luke 4:7](#) ; [Acts 7:42](#) ; [7:43](#) ; [19:27](#) , [35](#) ; [Romans 1:25](#)) In particular, the devil and all who follow him want to be worshipped as God. ([2 Thessalonians 2:4](#)). Those who do so will be damned by God ([2 Thessalonians 2:7-12](#) ; [Revelation 9:20](#) ; [13:4](#) , [8](#) , [12](#) , [15](#) ; [14:9](#) , [11](#) ; [16:2](#) ; [19:20](#)).

Webster's 1828 Dictionary - worship

1. WORSHIP, n. *See Worth.*

1. Excellence of character; dignity; worth; worthiness.
2. A title of honor, used in addresses to certain magistrates and other of respectable character.
 - My father desires your worships company.

3. A term of ironical respect.
 4. Chiefly and eminently, the act of paying divine honors to the Supreme Being; or the reverence and homage paid to him in religious exercises, consisting in adoration, confession, prayer, thanksgiving and the like.
 - The worship of God is an eminent part of religion.
 - Prayer is a chief part of religious worship.
 5. The homage paid to idols or false gods by pagans; as the worship of Isis.
 6. Honor; respect; civil deference.
 - Then shalt thou have worship in the presence of them that sit at meat with thee. [Luke 14](#)
 7. Idolatry of lovers; obsequious or submissive respect.
2. WORSHIP, v.t.
 1. To adore; to pay divine honors to; to reverence with supreme respect and veneration.
 - Thou shalt worship no other God. [Exodus 34](#).
 2. To respect; to honor; to treat with civil reverence.
 3. To honor with extravagant love and extreme submission; as a lover.
 - With bended knees I daily worship her.
 3. WORSHIP, v.i.
 1. To perform acts of adoration.
 2. To perform religious service.
 - Our fathers worshiped in this mountain. [John 4](#)

Verses-Worship

- [Genesis 22:5](#) And Abraham said unto his young men, Abide ye here with the ass; and I and the lad will go yonder and **worship** , and come again to you.
- [Genesis 24:26](#) And the man bowed down his head, and **worshipped** the LORD.
- [Genesis 24:48](#) And I bowed down my head, and **worshipped** the LORD, and blessed the LORD God of my master Abraham, which had led me in the right way to take my master's brother's daughter unto his son.
- [Genesis 24:52](#) And it came to pass, that, when Abraham's servant heard their words, he **worshipped** the LORD, bowing himself to the earth.
- [Exodus 4:31](#) And the people believed: and when they heard that the LORD had visited the children of Israel, and that he had looked upon their affliction, then they bowed their heads and **worshipped** .
- [Exodus 12:27](#) That ye shall say, It is the sacrifice of the LORD'S passover, who passed over the houses of the children of Israel in Egypt, when he smote the Egyptians, and delivered our houses. And the people bowed the head and **worshipped** .
- [Exodus 24:1](#) And he said unto Moses, Come up unto the LORD, thou, and Aaron, Nadab, and Abihu, and seventy of the elders of Israel; and **worship** ye afar off.
- [Exodus 32:8](#) They have turned aside quickly out of the way which I commanded them: they have made them a molten calf, and have **worshipped** it, and have sacrificed thereunto, and said, These be thy gods, O Israel, which have brought thee up out of the land of Egypt.
- [Exodus 33:10](#) And all the people saw the cloudy pillar stand at the tabernacle door: and all the people rose up and **worshipped** , every man in his tent door.
- [Exodus 34:8](#) And Moses made haste, and bowed his head toward the earth, and **worshipped** .
- [Exodus 34:14](#) For thou shalt **worship** no other god: for the LORD, whose name is Jealous,

is a jealous God:

- [Deuteronomy 4:19](#) And lest thou lift up thine eyes unto heaven, and when thou seest the sun, and the moon, and the stars, even all the host of heaven, shouldst be driven to **worship** them, and serve them, which the LORD thy God hath divided unto all nations under the whole heaven.
- [Deuteronomy 8:19](#) And it shall be, if thou do at all forget the LORD thy God, and walk after other gods, and serve them, and **worship** them, I testify against you this day that ye shall surely perish.
- [Deuteronomy 11:16](#) Take heed to yourselves, that your heart be not deceived, and ye turn aside, and serve other gods, and **worship** them;
- [Deuteronomy 17:3](#) And hath gone and served other gods, and **worshipped** them, either the sun, or moon, or any of the host of heaven, which I have not commanded;
- [Deuteronomy 26:10](#) And now, behold, I have brought the firstfruits of the land, which thou, O LORD, hast given me. And thou shalt set it before the LORD thy God, and **worship** before the LORD thy God:
- [Deuteronomy 29:26](#) For they went and served other gods, and **worshipped** them, gods whom they knew not, and whom he had not given unto them:
- [Deuteronomy 30:17](#) But if thine heart turn away, so that thou wilt not hear, but shalt be drawn away, and **worship** other gods, and serve them;
- [Joshua 5:14](#) And he said, Nay; but as captain of the host of the LORD am I now come. And Joshua fell on his face to the earth, and did **worship** , and said unto him, What saith my lord unto his servant?
- [Judges 7:15](#) And it was so, when Gideon heard the telling of the dream, and the interpretation thereof, that he **worshipped** , and returned into the host of Israel, and said, Arise; for the LORD hath delivered into your hand the host of Midian.
- [1 Samuel 1:3](#) And this man went up out of his city yearly to **worship** and to sacrifice unto the LORD of hosts in Shiloh. And the two sons of Eli, Hophni and Phinehas, the priests of the LORD, were there.
- [1 Samuel 1:19](#) And they rose up in the morning early, and **worshipped** before the LORD, and returned, and came to their house to Ramah: and Elkanah knew Hannah his wife; and the LORD remembered her.
- [1 Samuel 1:28](#) Therefore also I have lent him to the LORD; as long as he liveth he shall be lent to the LORD. And he **worshipped** the LORD there.
- [1 Samuel 15:25](#) Now therefore, I pray thee, pardon my sin, and turn again with me, that I may **worship** the LORD.
- [1 Samuel 15:30](#) Then he said, I have sinned: yet honour me now, I pray thee, before the elders of my people, and before Israel, and turn again with me, that I may **worship** the LORD thy God.
- [1 Samuel 15:31](#) So Samuel turned again after Saul; and Saul **worshipped** the LORD.
- [2 Samuel 12:20](#) Then David arose from the earth, and washed, and anointed himself, and changed his apparel, and came into the house of the LORD, and **worshipped** : then he came to his own house; and when he required, they set bread before him, and he did eat.
- [2 Samuel 15:32](#) And it came to pass, that when David was come to the top of the mount, where he **worshipped** God, behold, Hushai the Archite came to meet him with his coat rent, and earth upon his head:
- [1 Kings 9:6](#) But if ye shall at all turn from following me, ye or your children, and will not keep my commandments and my statutes which I have set before you, but go and serve other gods, and **worship** them:
- [1 Kings 9:9](#) And they shall answer, Because they forsook the LORD their God, who brought forth their fathers out of the land of Egypt, and have taken hold upon other gods, and have **worshipped** them, and served them: therefore hath the LORD brought upon them all this

evil.

- [1 Kings 11:33](#) Because that they have forsaken me, and have **worshipped** Ashtoreth the goddess of the Zidonians, Chemosh the god of the Moabites, and Milcom the god of the children of Ammon, and have not walked in my ways, to do that which is right in mine eyes, and to keep my statutes and my judgments, as did David his father.
- [1 Kings 12:30](#) And this thing became a sin: for the people went to **worship** before the one, even unto Dan.
- [1 Kings 16:31](#) And it came to pass, as if it had been a light thing for him to walk in the sins of Jeroboam the son of Nebat, that he took to wife Jezebel the daughter of Ethbaal king of the Zidonians, and went and served Baal, and **worshipped** him.
- [1 Kings 22:53](#) For he served Baal, and **worshipped** him, and provoked to anger the LORD God of Israel, according to all that his father had done.
- [2 Kings 5:18](#) In this thing the LORD pardon thy servant, that when my master goeth into the house of Rimmon to **worship** there, and he leaneth on my hand, and I bow myself in the house of Rimmon: when I bow down myself in the house of Rimmon, the LORD pardon thy servant in this thing.
- [2 Kings 10:19](#) Now therefore call unto me all the prophets of Baal, all his servants, and all his priests; let none be wanting: for I have a great sacrifice to do to Baal; whosoever shall be wanting, he shall not live. But Jehu did it in subtilty, to the intent that he might destroy the **worshippers** of Baal.
- [2 Kings 10:21](#) And Jehu sent through all Israel: and all the **worshippers** of Baal came, so that there was not a man left that came not. And they came into the house of Baal; and the house of Baal was full from one end to another.
- [2 Kings 10:22](#) And he said unto him that was over the vestry, Bring forth vestments for all the **worshippers** of Baal. And he brought them forth vestments.
- [2 Kings 10:23](#) And Jehu went, and Jehonadab the son of Rechab, into the house of Baal, and said unto the **worshippers** of Baal, Search, and look that there be here with you none of the servants of the LORD, but the **worshippers** of Baal only.
- [2 Kings 17:16](#) And they left all the commandments of the LORD their God, and made them molten images, even two calves, and made a grove, and **worshipped** all the host of heaven, and served Baal.
- [2 Kings 17:36](#) But the LORD, who brought you up out of the land of Egypt with great power and a stretched out arm, him shall ye fear, and him shall ye **worship**, and to him shall ye do sacrifice.
- [2 Kings 18:22](#) But if ye say unto me, We trust in the LORD our God: is not that he, whose high places and whose altars Hezekiah hath taken away, and hath said to Judah and Jerusalem, Ye shall **worship** before this altar in Jerusalem?
- [2 Kings 19:37](#) And it came to pass, as he was **worshipping** in the house of Nisroch his god, that Adrammelech and Sharezer his sons smote him with the sword: and they escaped into the land of Armenia. And Esarhaddon his son reigned in his stead.
- [2 Kings 21:3](#) For he built up again the high places which Hezekiah his father had destroyed; and he reared up altars for Baal, and made a grove, as did Ahab king of Israel; and **worshipped** all the host of heaven, and served them.
- [2 Kings 21:21](#) And he walked in all the way that his father walked in, and served the idols that his father served, and **worshipped** them:
- [1 Chronicles 16:29](#) Give unto the LORD the glory due unto his name: bring an offering, and come before him: **worship** the LORD in the beauty of holiness.
- [1 Chronicles 29:20](#) And David said to all the congregation, Now bless the LORD your God. And all the congregation blessed the LORD God of their fathers, and bowed down their heads, and **worshipped** the LORD, and the king.
- [2 Chronicles 7:3](#) And when all the children of Israel saw how the fire came down, and the

glory of the LORD upon the house, they bowed themselves with their faces to the ground upon the pavement, and **worshipped** , and praised the LORD, saying, For he is good; for his mercy endureth for ever.

- [2 Chronicles 7:19](#) But if ye turn away, and forsake my statutes and my commandments, which I have set before you, and shall go and serve other gods, and **worship** them;
- [2 Chronicles 7:22](#) And it shall be answered, Because they forsook the LORD God of their fathers, which brought them forth out of the land of Egypt, and laid hold on other gods, and **worshipped** them, and served them: therefore hath he brought all this evil upon them.
- [2 Chronicles 20:18](#) And Jehoshaphat bowed his head with his face to the ground: and all Judah and the inhabitants of Jerusalem fell before the LORD, **worshipping** the LORD.
- [2 Chronicles 29:28](#) And all the congregation **worshipped** , and the singers sang, and the trumpeters sounded: and all this continued until the burnt offering was finished.
- [2 Chronicles 29:29](#) And when they had made an end of offering, the king and all that were present with him bowed themselves, and **worshipped** .
- [2 Chronicles 29:30](#) Moreover Hezekiah the king and the princes commanded the Levites to sing praise unto the LORD with the words of David, and of Asaph the seer. And they sang praises with gladness, and they bowed their heads and **worshipped** .
- [2 Chronicles 32:12](#) Hath not the same Hezekiah taken away his high places and his altars, and commanded Judah and Jerusalem, saying, Ye shall **worship** before one altar, and burn incense upon it?
- [2 Chronicles 33:3](#) For he built again the high places which Hezekiah his father had broken down, and he reared up altars for Baalim, and made groves, and **worshipped** all the host of heaven, and served them.
- [Nehemiah 8:6](#) And Ezra blessed the LORD, the great God. And all the people answered, Amen, Amen, with lifting up their hands: and they bowed their heads, and **worshipped** the LORD with their faces to the ground.
- [Nehemiah 9:3](#) And they stood up in their place, and read in the book of the law of the LORD their God one fourth part of the day; and another fourth part they confessed, and **worshipped** the LORD their God.
- [Nehemiah 9:6](#) Thou, even thou, art LORD alone; thou hast made heaven, the heaven of heavens, with all their host, the earth, and all things that are therein, the seas, and all that is therein, and thou preservest them all; and the host of heaven **worship** peth thee.
- [Job 1:20](#) Then Job arose, and rent his mantle, and shaved his head, and fell down upon the ground, and **worshipped** ,
- [Psalms 5:7](#) But as for me, I will come into thy house in the multitude of thy mercy: and in thy fear will I **worship** toward thy holy temple.
- [Psalms 22:27](#) All the ends of the world shall remember and turn unto the LORD: and all the kindreds of the nations shall **worship** before thee.
- [Psalms 22:29](#) All they that be fat upon earth shall eat and **worship** : all they that go down to the dust shall bow before him: and none can keep alive his own soul.
- [Psalms 29:2](#) Give unto the LORD the glory due unto his name; **worship** the LORD in the beauty of holiness.
- [Psalms 45:11](#) So shall the king greatly desire thy beauty: for he is thy Lord; and **worship** thou him.
- [Psalms 66:4](#) All the earth shall **worship** thee, and shall sing unto thee; they shall sing to thy name. Selah.
- [Psalms 81:9](#) There shall no strange god be in thee; neither shalt thou **worship** any strange god.
- [Psalms 86:9](#) All nations whom thou hast made shall come and **worship** before thee, O Lord; and shall glorify thy name.
- [Psalms 95:6](#) O come, let us **worship** and bow down: let us kneel before the LORD our

maker.

- [Psalms 96:9](#) O **worship** the LORD in the beauty of holiness: fear before him, all the earth.
- [Psalms 97:7](#) Confounded be all they that serve graven images, that boast themselves of idols: **worship** him, all ye gods.
- [Psalms 99:5](#) Exalt ye the LORD our God, and **worship** at his footstool; for he is holy.
- [Psalms 99:9](#) Exalt the LORD our God, and **worship** at his holy hill; for the LORD our God is holy.
- [Psalms 106:19](#) They made a calf in Horeb, and **worshipped** the molten image.
- [Psalms 132:7](#) We will go into his tabernacles: we will **worship** at his footstool.
- [Psalms 138:2](#) I will **worship** toward thy holy temple, and praise thy name for thy lovingkindness and for thy truth: for thou hast magnified thy word above all thy name.
- [Isaiah 2:8](#) Their land also is full of idols; they **worship** the work of their own hands, that which their own fingers have made:
- [Isaiah 2:20](#) In that day a man shall cast his idols of silver, and his idols of gold, which they made each one for himself to **worship** , to the moles and to the bats;
- [Isaiah 27:13](#) And it shall come to pass in that day, that the great trumpet shall be blown, and they shall come which were ready to perish in the land of Assyria, and the outcasts in the land of Egypt, and shall **worship** the LORD in the holy mount at Jerusalem.
- [Isaiah 36:7](#) But if thou say to me, We trust in the LORD our God: is it not he, whose high places and whose altars Hezekiah hath taken away, and said to Judah and to Jerusalem, Ye shall **worship** before this altar?
- [Isaiah 37:38](#) And it came to pass, as he was **worshipping** in the house of Nisroch his god, that Adrammelech and Sharezer his sons smote him with the sword; and they escaped into the land of Armenia: and Esarhaddon his son reigned in his stead.
- [Isaiah 44:15](#) Then shall it be for a man to burn: for he will take thereof, and warm himself; yea, he kindleth it, and baketh bread; yea, he maketh a god, and **worship** peth it; he maketh it a graven image, and falleth down thereto.
- [Isaiah 44:17](#) And the residue thereof he maketh a god, even his graven image: he falleth down unto it, and **worshippeth** it, and prayeth unto it, and saith, Deliver me; for thou art my god.
- [Isaiah 46:6](#) They lavish gold out of the bag, and weigh silver in the balance, and hire a goldsmith; and he maketh it a god: they fall down, yea, they **worship** .
- [Isaiah 49:7](#) Thus saith the LORD, the Redeemer of Israel, and his Holy One, to him whom man despiseth, to him whom the nation abhorreth, to a servant of rulers, Kings shall see and arise, princes also shall **worship** , because of the LORD that is faithful, and the Holy One of Israel, and he shall choose thee.
- [Isaiah 66:23](#) And it shall come to pass, that from one new moon to another, and from one sabbath to another, shall all flesh come to **worship** before me, saith the LORD.
- [Jeremiah 1:16](#) And I will utter my judgments against them touching all their wickedness, who have forsaken me, and have burned incense unto other gods, and **worshipped** the works of their own hands.
- [Jeremiah 7:2](#) Stand in the gate of the LORD'S house, and proclaim there this word, and say, Hear the word of the LORD, all ye of Judah, that enter in at these gates to **worship** the LORD.
- [Jeremiah 8:2](#) And they shall spread them before the sun, and the moon, and all the host of heaven, whom they have loved, and whom they have served, and after whom they have walked, and whom they have sought, and whom they have **worshipped** : they shall not be gathered, nor be buried; they shall be for dung upon the face of the earth.
- [Jeremiah 13:10](#) This evil people, which refuse to hear my words, which walk in the imagination of their heart, and walk after other gods, to serve them, and to **worship** them, shall even be as this girdle, which is good for nothing.

- [Jeremiah 16:11](#) Then shalt thou say unto them, Because your fathers have forsaken me, saith the LORD, and have walked after other gods, and have served them, and have **worshipped** them, and have forsaken me, and have not kept my law;
- [Jeremiah 22:9](#) Then they shall answer, Because they have forsaken the covenant of the LORD their God, and **worshipped** other gods, and served them.
- [Jeremiah 25:6](#) And go not after other gods to serve them, and to **worship** them, and provoke me not to anger with the works of your hands; and I will do you no hurt.
- [Jeremiah 26:2](#) Thus saith the LORD; Stand in the court of the LORD'S house, and speak unto all the cities of Judah, which come to **worship** in the LORD'S house, all the words that I command thee to speak unto them; diminish not a word:
- [Jeremiah 44:19](#) And when we burned incense to the queen of heaven, and poured out drink offerings unto her, did we make her cakes to **worship** her, and pour out drink offerings unto her, without our men?
- [Ezekiel 8:16](#) And he brought me into the inner court of the LORD'S house, and, behold, at the door of the temple of the LORD, between the porch and the altar, were about five and twenty men, with their backs toward the temple of the LORD, and their faces toward the east; and they **worshipped** the sun toward the east.
- [Ezekiel 46:2](#) And the prince shall enter by the way of the porch of that gate without, and shall stand by the post of the gate, and the priests shall prepare his burnt offering and his peace offerings, and he shall **worship** at the threshold of the gate: then he shall go forth; but the gate shall not be shut until the evening.
- [Ezekiel 46:3](#) Likewise the people of the land shall **worship** at the door of this gate before the LORD in the sabbaths and in the new moons.
- [Ezekiel 46:9](#) But when the people of the land shall come before the LORD in the solemn feasts, he that entereth in by the way of the north gate to **worship** shall go out by the way of the south gate; and he that entereth by the way of the south gate shall go forth by the way of the north gate: he shall not return by the way of the gate whereby he came in, but shall go forth over against it.
- [Daniel 2:46](#) Then the king Nebuchadnezzar fell upon his face, and **worshipped** Daniel, and commanded that they should offer an oblation and sweet odours unto him.
- [Daniel 3:5](#) That at what time ye hear the sound of the cornet, flute, harp, sackbut, psaltery, dulcimer, and all kinds of musick, ye fall down and **worship** the golden image that Nebuchadnezzar the king hath set up:
- [Daniel 3:6](#) And whoso falleth not down and **worshippeth** shall the same hour be cast into the midst of a burning fiery furnace.
- [Daniel 3:7](#) Therefore at that time, when all the people heard the sound of the cornet, flute, harp, sackbut, psaltery, and all kinds of musick, all the people, the nations, and the languages, fell down and **worshipped** the golden image that Nebuchadnezzar the king had set up.
- [Daniel 3:10](#) Thou, O king, hast made a decree, that every man that shall hear the sound of the cornet, flute, harp, sackbut, psaltery, and dulcimer, and all kinds of musick, shall fall down and **worship** the golden image:
- [Daniel 3:11](#) And whoso falleth not down and **worshippeth** , that he should be cast into the midst of a burning fiery furnace.
- [Daniel 3:12](#) There are certain Jews whom thou hast set over the affairs of the province of Babylon, Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego; these men, O king, have not regarded thee: they serve not thy gods, nor **worship** the golden image which thou hast set up.
- [Daniel 3:14](#) Nebuchadnezzar spake and said unto them, Is it true, O Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego, do not ye serve my gods, nor **worship** the golden image which I have set up?
- [Daniel 3:15](#) Now if ye be ready that at what time ye hear the sound of the cornet, flute, harp,

sackbut, psaltery, and dulcimer, and all kinds of musick, ye fall down and **worship** the image which I have made; well: but if ye **worship** not, ye shall be cast the same hour into the midst of a burning fiery furnace; and who is that God that shall deliver you out of my hands?

- [Daniel 3:18](#) But if not, be it known unto thee, O king, that we will not serve thy gods, nor **worship** the golden image which thou hast set up.
- [Daniel 3:28](#) Then Nebuchadnezzar spake, and said, Blessed be the God of Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego, who hath sent his angel, and delivered his servants that trusted in him, and have changed the king's word, and yielded their bodies, that they might not serve nor **worship** any god, except their own God.
- [Micah 5:13](#) Thy graven images also will I cut off, and thy standing images out of the midst of thee; and thou shalt no more **worship** the work of thine hands.
- [Zephaniah 1:5](#) And them that **worship** the host of heaven upon the housetops; and them that **worship** and that swear by the LORD, and that swear by Malcham;
- [Zephaniah 2:11](#) The LORD will be terrible unto them: for he will famish all the gods of the earth; and men shall **worship** him, every one from his place, even all the isles of the heathen.
- [Zechariah 14:16](#) And it shall come to pass, that every one that is left of all the nations which came against Jerusalem shall even go up from year to year to **worship** the King, the LORD of hosts, and to keep the feast of tabernacles.
- [Zechariah 14:17](#) And it shall be, that whoso will not come up of all the families of the earth unto Jerusalem to **worship** the King, the LORD of hosts, even upon them shall be no rain.
- [Matthew 2:2](#) Saying, Where is he that is born King of the Jews? for we have seen his star in the east, and are come to **worship** him.
- [Matthew 2:8](#) And he sent them to Bethlehem, and said, Go and search diligently for the young child; and when ye have found him, bring me word again, that I may come and **worship** him also.
- [Matthew 2:11](#) And when they were come into the house, they saw the young child with Mary his mother, and fell down, and **worshipped** him: and when they had opened their treasures, they presented unto him gifts; gold, and frankincense, and myrrh.
- [Matthew 4:9](#) And saith unto him, All these things will I give thee, if thou wilt fall down and **worship** me.
- [Matthew 4:10](#) Then saith Jesus unto him, Get thee hence, Satan: for it is written, Thou shalt **worship** the Lord thy God, and him only shalt thou serve.
- [Matthew 8:2](#) And, behold, there came a leper and **worshipped** him, saying, Lord, if thou wilt, thou canst make me clean.
- [Matthew 9:18](#) While he spake these things unto them, behold, there came a certain ruler, and **worshipped** him, saying, My daughter is even now dead: but come and lay thy hand upon her, and she shall live.
- [Matthew 14:33](#) Then they that were in the ship came and **worshipped** him, saying, Of a truth thou art the Son of God.
- [Matthew 15:9](#) But in vain they do **worship** me, teaching for doctrines the commandments of men.
- [Matthew 15:25](#) Then came she and **worshipped** him, saying, Lord, help me.
- [Matthew 18:26](#) The servant therefore fell down, and **worshipped** him, saying, Lord, have patience with me, and I will pay thee all.
- [Matthew 20:20](#) Then came to him the mother of Zebedee's children with her sons, **worshipping** him, and desiring a certain thing of him.
- [Matthew 28:9](#) And as they went to tell his disciples, behold, Jesus met them, saying, All hail. And they came and held him by the feet, and **worshipped** him.
- [Matthew 28:17](#) And when they saw him, they **worshipped** him: but some doubted.

- [Mark 5:6](#) But when he saw Jesus afar off, he ran and **worshipped** him,
- [Mark 7:7](#) Howbeit in vain do they **worship** me, teaching for doctrines the commandments of men.
- [Mark 15:19](#) And they smote him on the head with a reed, and did spit upon him, and bowing their knees **worshipped** him.
- [Luke 4:7](#) If thou therefore wilt **worship** me, all shall be thine.
- [Luke 4:8](#) And Jesus answered and said unto him, Get thee behind me, Satan: for it is written, Thou shalt **worship** the Lord thy God, and him only shalt thou serve.
- [Luke 14:10](#) But when thou art bidden, go and sit down in the lowest room; that when he that bade thee cometh, he may say unto thee, Friend, go up higher: then shalt thou have **worship** in the presence of them that sit at meat with thee.
- [Luke 24:52](#) And they **worshipped** him, and returned to Jerusalem with great joy:
- [John 4:20](#) Our fathers **worshipped** in this mountain; and ye say, that in Jerusalem is the place where men ought to **worship** .
- [John 4:21](#) Jesus saith unto her, Woman, believe me, the hour cometh, when ye shall neither in this mountain, nor yet at Jerusalem, **worship** the Father.
- [John 4:22](#) Ye **worship** ye know not what: we know what we **worship** : for salvation is of the Jews.
- [John 4:23](#) But the hour cometh, and now is, when the true **worshippers** shall **worship** the Father in spirit and in truth: for the Father seeketh such to **worship** him.
- [John 4:24](#) God is a Spirit: and they that **worship** him must **worship** him in spirit and in truth.
- [John 9:31](#) Now we know that God heareth not sinners: but if any man be a **worshipper** of God, and doeth his will, him he heareth.
- [John 9:38](#) And he said, Lord, I believe. And he **worshipped** him.
- [John 12:20](#) And there were certain Greeks among them that came up to **worship** at the feast:
- [Acts 7:42](#) Then God turned, and gave them up to **worship** the host of heaven; as it is written in the book of the prophets, O ye house of Israel, have ye offered to me slain beasts and sacrifices by the space of forty years in the wilderness?
- [Acts 7:43](#) Yea, ye took up the tabernacle of Moloch, and the star of your god Remphan, figures which ye made to **worship** them: and I will carry you away beyond Babylon.
- [Acts 8:27](#) And he arose and went: and, behold, a man of Ethiopia, an eunuch of great authority under Candace queen of the Ethiopians, who had the charge of all her treasure, and had come to Jerusalem for to **worship** ,
- [Acts 10:25](#) And as Peter was coming in, Cornelius met him, and fell down at his feet, and **worshipped** him.
- [Acts 16:14](#) And a certain woman named Lydia, a seller of purple, of the city of Thyatira, which **worshipped** God, heard us: whose heart the Lord opened, that she attended unto the things which were spoken of Paul.
- [Acts 17:23](#) For as I passed by, and beheld your devotions, I found an altar with this inscription, TO THE UNKNOWN GOD. Whom therefore ye ignorantly **worship** , him declare I unto you.
- [Acts 17:25](#) Neither is **worshipped** with men's hands, as though he needed any thing, seeing he giveth to all life, and breath, and all things;
- [Acts 18:7](#) And he departed thence, and entered into a certain man's house, named Justus, one that **worshipped** God, whose house joined hard to the synagogue.
- [Acts 18:13](#) Saying, This fellow persuadeth men to **worship** God contrary to the law.
- [Acts 19:27](#) So that not only this our craft is in danger to be set at nought; but also that the temple of the great goddess Diana should be despised, and her magnificence should be destroyed, whom all Asia and the world **worshippeth** .

- [Acts 19:35](#) And when the townclerk had appeased the people, he said, Ye men of Ephesus, what man is there that knoweth not how that the city of the Ephesians is a **worshipper** of the great goddess Diana, and of the image which fell down from Jupiter?
- [Acts 24:11](#) Because that thou mayest understand, that there are yet but twelve days since I went up to Jerusalem for to **worship** .
- [Acts 24:14](#) But this I confess unto thee, that after the way which they call heresy, so **worship** I the God of my fathers, believing all things which are written in the law and in the prophets:
- [Romans 1:25](#) Who changed the truth of God into a lie, and **worshipped** and served the creature more than the Creator, who is blessed for ever. Amen.
- [1 Corinthians 14:25](#) And thus are the secrets of his heart made manifest; and so falling down on his face he will **worship** God, and report that God is in you of a truth.
- [Philippians 3:3](#) For we are the circumcision, which **worship** God in the spirit, and rejoice in Christ Jesus, and have no confidence in the flesh.
- [Colossians 2:18](#) Let no man beguile you of your reward in a voluntary humility and **worshipping** of angels, intruding into those things which he hath not seen, vainly puffed up by his fleshly mind,
- [Colossians 2:23](#) Which things have indeed a shew of wisdom in will **worship** , and humility, and neglecting of the body; not in any honour to the satisfying of the flesh.
- [2 Thessalonians 2:4](#) Who opposeth and exalteth himself above all that is called God, or that is **worshipped** ; so that he as God sitteth in the temple of God, shewing himself that he is God.
- [Hebrews 1:6](#) And again, when he bringeth in the firstbegotten into the world, he saith, And let all the angels of God **worship** him.
- [Hebrews 10:2](#) For then would they not have ceased to be offered? because that the **worshippers** once purged should have had no more conscience of sins.
- [Hebrews 11:21](#) By faith Jacob, when he was a dying, blessed both the sons of Joseph; and **worshipped** , leaning upon the top of his staff.
- [Revelation 3:9](#) Behold, I will make them of the synagogue of Satan, which say they are Jews, and are not, but do lie; behold, I will make them to come and **worship** before thy feet, and to know that I have loved thee.
- [Revelation 4:10](#) The four and twenty elders fall down before him that sat on the throne, and **worship** him that liveth for ever and ever, and cast their crowns before the throne, saying,
- [Revelation 5:14](#) And the four beasts said, Amen. And the four and twenty elders fell down and **worshipped** him that liveth for ever and ever.
- [Revelation 7:11](#) And all the angels stood round about the throne, and about the elders and the four beasts, and fell before the throne on their faces, and **worshipped** God,
- [Revelation 9:20](#) And the rest of the men which were not killed by these plagues yet repented not of the works of their hands, that they should not **worship** devils, and idols of gold, and silver, and brass, and stone, and of wood: which neither can see, nor hear, nor walk:
- [Revelation 11:1](#) And there was given me a reed like unto a rod: and the angel stood, saying, Rise, and measure the temple of God, and the altar, and them that **worship** therein.
- [Revelation 11:16](#) And the four and twenty elders, which sat before God on their seats, fell upon their faces, and **worshipped** God,
- [Revelation 13:4](#) And they **worshipped** the dragon which gave power unto the beast: and they **worshipped** the beast, saying, Who is like unto the beast? who is able to make war with him?
- [Revelation 13:8](#) And all that dwell upon the earth shall **worship** him, whose names are not written in the book of life of the Lamb slain from the foundation of the world.
- [Revelation 13:12](#) And he exerciseth all the power of the first beast before him, and causeth the earth and them which dwell therein to **worship** the first beast, whose deadly wound was

healed.

- [Revelation 13:15](#) And he had power to give life unto the image of the beast, that the image of the beast should both speak, and cause that as many as would not **worship** the image of the beast should be killed.
- [Revelation 14:7](#) Saying with a loud voice, Fear God, and give glory to him; for the hour of his judgment is come: and **worship** him that made heaven, and earth, and the sea, and the fountains of waters.
- [Revelation 14:9](#) And the third angel followed them, saying with a loud voice, If any man **worship** the beast and his image, and receive his mark in his forehead, or in his hand,
- [Revelation 14:11](#) And the smoke of their torment ascendeth up for ever and ever: and they have no rest day nor night, who **worship** the beast and his image, and whosoever receiveth the mark of his name.
- [Revelation 15:4](#) Who shall not fear thee, O Lord, and glorify thy name? for thou only art holy: for all nations shall come and **worship** before thee; for thy judgments are made manifest.
- [Revelation 16:2](#) And the first went, and poured out his vial upon the earth; and there fell a noisome and grievous sore upon the men which had the mark of the beast, and upon them which **worshipped** his image.
- [Revelation 19:4](#) And the four and twenty elders and the four beasts fell down and **worshipped** God that sat on the throne, saying, Amen; Alleluia.
- [Revelation 19:10](#) And I fell at his feet to **worship** him. And he said unto me, See thou do it not: I am thy fellowservant, and of thy brethren that have the testimony of Jesus: **worship** God: for the testimony of Jesus is the spirit of prophecy.
- [Revelation 19:20](#) And the beast was taken, and with him the false prophet that wrought miracles before him, with which he deceived them that had received the mark of the beast, and them that **worshipped** his image. These both were cast alive into a lake of fire burning with brimstone.
- [Revelation 20:4](#) And I saw thrones, and they sat upon them, and judgment was given unto them: and I saw the souls of them that were beheaded for the witness of Jesus, and for the word of God, and which had not **worshipped** the beast, neither his image, neither had received his mark upon their foreheads, or in their hands; and they lived and reigned with Christ a thousand years.
- [Revelation 22:8](#) And I John saw these things, and heard them. And when I had heard and seen, I fell down to **worship** before the feet of the angel which shewed me these things.
- [Revelation 22:9](#) Then saith he unto me, See thou do it not: for I am thy fellowservant, and of thy brethren the prophets, and of them which keep the sayings of this book: **worship** God.