

Sharpening the Skill of Christmas #3

“The Skill of Worship”

selected Scriptures

“Worship is the m_____ element in the monstrosity that Christmas has become.”

Worship in Scripture is p_____, living one’s l_____ as a testimony of God’s truth.

Worship by Singing Our Praise

Luke 2:13-14 - The group of angels (“heavenly host”) praised God, s_____, “Glory to God in the highest.”

Revelation 4:8 - Even now the angels are w_____ God.

John 4:23 - God the Father is s_____ those who worship Him.

Hebrews 13:15 - “Let us continually offer to God a s_____ of praise.”

Worship by Sharing Our Possessions

Matthew 2:11 - The wise men (magi) worshiped baby Jesus and gave Him g_____.

Matthew 25:40 - Jesus said, “Whatever you did for one of the l_____ of these, you did for Me.”

Worship by Submitting Our Person

Luke 1:38 - When Mary was told that she would be the mother of the Messiah, she said, “I am the Lord’s, b_____ and s_____.

Romans 12:1 - We offer our bodies as l_____ sacrifices to God.

Romans 6:12-13 - We submit the p_____ of our bodies to God.

John 3:16; Philippians 2:6-7 - Considering what God (and Jesus) gave to us, we should give ourselves c_____ to Him.

1 John 5:21 - Don’t let anything take God’s p_____ in our hearts.

Word Search - Luke 2:1-7

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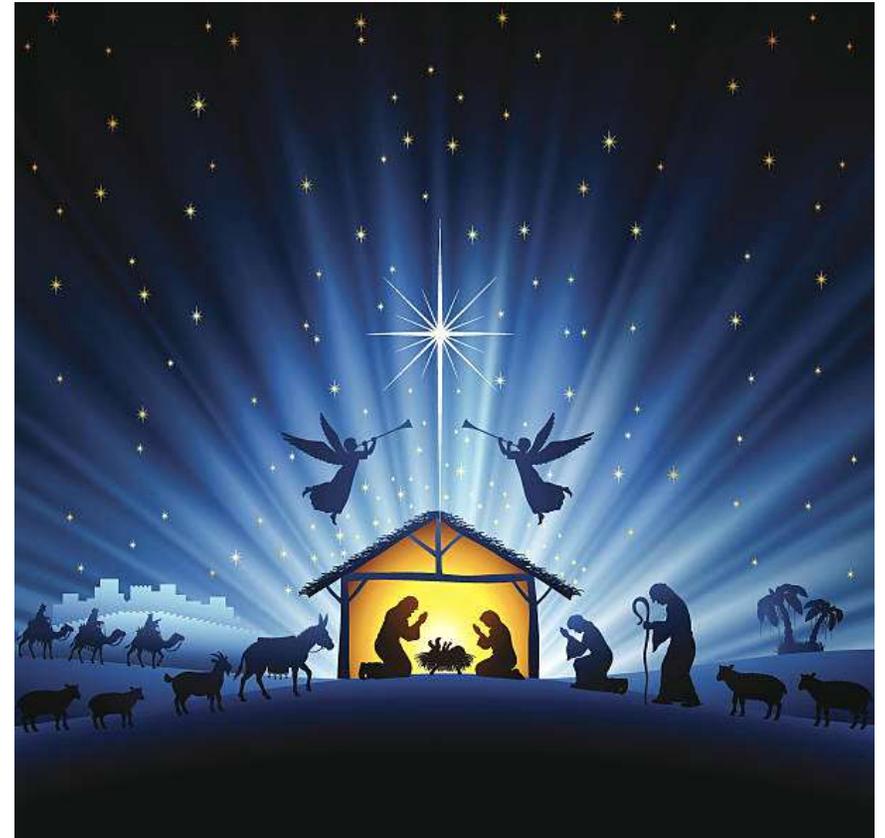
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How can we worship Jesus?



Dear children, keep away from anything that might take God's place in your hearts.
(1 John 5:21)

The Skill of Worship



Offer your bodies as living sacrifices, holy and pleasing to God—this is your spiritual act of worship.
(Romans 12:1)