

1 Thing God Can't Do

John 4:23 Yet a time is coming and has now come when the true worshipers will worship the Father in the Spirit and in truth, for they are the kind of worshipers the Father seeks.

You were born a worshiper.

We were made to worship.

The first question we have to ask is what or whom are we worshipping?

Emotions have a lot to do with worship but an emotional experience can happen without it being a spiritual experience.

- To say it a little differently, a spiritual experience will always involve the emotions.
- But an emotional experience will not always involve the spirit.

Worship is not an emotional response, it is a spiritual discipline.

- Therefore God is worthy of worship on your worst day as much as he is on your best day.

Psalm 34:1-6 I will bless the Lord at all times; his praise shall continually be in my mouth. 2 My soul makes its boast in the Lord; let the humble hear and be glad. 3 Oh, magnify the Lord with me, and let us exalt his name together! I sought the Lord, and he answered me and delivered me from all my fears. 5 Those who look to him are radiant, and their faces shall never be ashamed. 6 This poor man cried, and the Lord heard him and saved him out of all his troubles.

There are 7 Hebrew words that will explain why we do what we do when we come to church.

1. **Todah:** A Thanksgiving Choir
2. **Barak:** Kneel in Thanksgiving
3. **Tehillah:** Sing a song of Thanksgiving
4. **Halal:** Give thanks by being clamorously foolish.
 - a. Psalm 149:3 "Let them praise his name with dancing and make music to him with tambourine and harp."
 - i. Hallelujah!
5. **Yadah:** Give Thanks with extended hands.
 - a. Why we ask you to raise your hands when we worship.
 - b. Ps 134:2 Lift up your hands in the sanctuary, and bless the LORD.
 - c. 1 Tim 2:8 I will therefore that men pray every where, lifting up holy hands...
6. **Zamar:** Give thanks with a musical instrument.
7. **Shaback:** to give thanks in a loud tone.