Sermon Questions Exodus 30-31

This week we studied Exodus 30 and 31 as God gave further instructions for how the tabernacle was to be erected. As we continue to learn about God's dealings with Israel, we see just how important it was for His people to understand how to worship Him. In this section of the Scriptures, we learned five ways of being an authentic worshipper. This was not a message about style and structure but rather what was needed in the heart of a worshipper of God. These five truths about authentic worship will be helpful to the new believer as well as to the seasoned veteran in their faith. Until we meet Jesus Christ we can continue to grow in our knowledge and ability to worship the Lord. May this week's message and the following questions encourage and challenge you to grow as a worshipper of the Lord Jesus Christ.

Here are some notes to review from this week's sermon...

Authentic Worship Exodus 30-31

Authentic worship...

Perspires to seek the Lord (Exodus 30:1-10; 34-38)

Requires your financial resources (11-17)

Desires <u>transformation</u> by God's <u>presence</u> (18-33)

Inspires your greatest giftings for His greatest glory (Exodus 30:1-11)

Admires and obeys His statues (12-18)

Hearing the Word of God and responding to Him is extremely important. If you haven't had the chance to listen to the message from this week you can now watch it HERE. After watching, please use the following questions, if you find them helpful, in your personal study or discuss them with your family and/or friends. If you are not in a CADRE now is a great time to get involved. Please email info@bravechurch.online and we help you take your next step.

Questions

1. What is an authentic worshipper? Why is it important that we worship the Lord in an authentic way? Why does God want to be worshipped? Why should He be worshipped? What is the benefit to us of being an authentic worshipper?

- 2. What does it mean that we have to perspire to seek the Lord? Why is seeking the Lord hard work? How does the enemy distract you when you are pursuing the Lord's presence? Why does the enemy want to keep believers from seeking God?
- 3. How can we start our day if we want God to be first? How can we end our day if we want God to be first? How can we spend our day if we want God to be first? Why is placing God first so important?
- 4. Why does authentic worship require your financial resources? Why is tithing (although not mandated in the New Testament) a good place to start? How does giving generously to your local church benefit you? How does generosity and contentment help a believer?
- 5. How do you steward your financial resources so that everything in your possession is simply something that you are managing for Jesus? What changes have you made to honor the Lord? What changes do you need to change to make God first in your finances?
- 6. Why should an authentic worshipper desire transformation by God's presence? Why should a believer have a continual desire to change? How does a desire to change make worshipping that goes beyond a ritual? How does worshipping and experiencing God's presence change you?
- 7. How does worship inspire your greatest giftings for His greatest glory? Who is the One who gifted you? Why has he gifted you in this way? Why has He chosen this season and place for you to live? How can you serve God uniquely by giving your best to Him?
- 8. What is the difference between using your best giftings for God and using your best giftings for your gain? How can all that you are be best used for the Lord? What freedom does it provide knowing that God made you unique and wants you to worship Him just the way you are?
- 9. What does it mean to admire and obey God's statues? Why is obedience essential as a believer? Why is the application of God's Word so important? How can you grow in your rest in the Lord and in living for Him?
- 10. What was your greatest take-a-way from this week's message? What do you need to apply right now as an authentic worshipper?