

Made to Worship  
Part Two: Who We Worship and Why  
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The question “what is worship?” leads us to ask, “who do we worship?” and on to “how do we worship?”

Who do we worship?

- The simple answer is God/Jesus. But is there more to it?
- Do we need a grander vision than a pat answer?
- “Isn’t it a comfort to worship a God we can’t exaggerate?” – Francis Chan, *Crazy Love*.

God is Ruler

- Revelation 4. 2-11
- Who we worship is far above any human construct.
- The only response to a God like this is worship.
- A lack of awe or humility denotes indifference toward this God.
- Hebrews 12. 28-29

God is Creator

- Genesis 1. 1
- Creation is a testimony to God’s character – majestic, beautiful, powerful, lovely, etc.
- Job 26. 7-14
- “All beauty is only reflection.” – Anne Voskamp
- Genesis 1. 26-27

God is Redeemer

- The principle motive behind worship is love. We love God because he loves us. As his creation we are made by him in love, in his image, and that relationship is a loving one.
- Love is the most powerful “why?” behind worship.
- Psalm 100

If we have lost the “awe factor”, we must do everything we can to reclaim it, to refresh our view.

**Discussion Questions:**

- What inspires you to worship God?
- Who is God to you and how do certain parts of his character inspire you to worship?
- How do we reclaim or refresh our view and relationship with God?