

What is True Worship?

The look and sound of worship in churches today is a far cry from what it was in past generations. We have great sound, tech-savvy video directors, lights and well-trained musicians that lead us into worship during our services. So why is there so much discussion about getting back to the heart of worship?

We've compiled the thoughts of seasoned and new worship artists at to help answer that. They share why it's important that everyone, from worship leaders to tone-deaf Christians, discover God's true intent for worship.

Worship Under Pressure

Former Hillsong Church worship pastor Darlene Zschech candidly shares her struggles as a worship leader. She also discusses how understanding the anointing of God, already on the inside of us, will ease the pressure many worship leaders feel.

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Praise vs. Performance

Recording artist and song writer Paul Baloche, known for writing songs commonly sung on Sunday mornings such as "Above All," "Open the Eyes of My Heart" and "Your Name," examines the difference between praise and performance.

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Why I'm NOT a Musician

Matt Redman has been leading worship full time since he was 20

years old, singing and playing instruments. But Redman doesn't call himself a musician; instead he says he's a worship leader. He says there's a big difference. Check out why.

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Shaking Up the Routine

Veteran worship leader Don Moen, who released his first album in the early 1990s, tells of his journey as the music industry changed over the years and how he overcame redundancy and stagnation. His story will be an encouragement to seasoned worship leaders.

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Facing Fear

Jesus Culture's Kim Walker-Smith shares how worship leaders can overcome fear and timidity. She knows all about the topic: Though she now sings before thousands, she ran offstage crying the first time she led a song.

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