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# Worship From The Heart

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WORSHIP FROM THE HEART

*John 4:19-24* I Cor. 14:12-19  
*Right way is the genuine way.*

INT: God has given clear instructions on man's worship to Him  
 John 4:24 In spirit and in truth.  
 I Cor. 14:15 With the spirit.  
 Phil. 3:3. In the spirit.  
 Matt. 4:10 & 22:37. With the heart.

I. BIBLE RECORDS MAN'S PAST FAILURES TO DO THIS. COSTLY!

- A. Cain wanted to worship his way. Gen. 4:7. Cursed.
- B. Nadab & Abihu's hearts were wayward. Lev. 10:1-2.
- C. King Saul had an impatient heart. I Sam. 13:6-14.
- D. Jews substituted for God's way, also. Matt. 15:8-9.

II. EVERY ITEM IN N. T. WORSHIP INVOLVES THE HEART. A. 2:42.

- A. Apostle's doctrine. Romans 6:16-18.
- B. Fellowship (giving). II Cor. 9:7.
- C. Breaking of Bread. I Cor. 11:28-29.
- D. Prayers. Jas. 5:16.
- E. Singing. I Cor. 14:15.

III. MUSIC IN CHRIST'S CHURCH IS MADE WITH THE HEART.

- A. Ephesians 5:19. Make melody in your hearts.
- B. Colossians 3:16. Sing with grace in your hearts.

IV. MODE OF CHURCH MUSIC DETERMINED BY ITS PURPOSE.

- A. Speaking to one another. 5:19. "Have you been." #57
- B. Teaching one another. 3:16. "Sinners Jesus." #210
- C. Admonishing one another. 3:16. "Jesus is tender." #125
- D. Giving thanks to God. 5:18, 3:17. "Father, we thank" #583.

V. SOME ADD A MECHANICAL INSTRUMENT TO THEIR HEART. WHY?

- A. David did.
  - 1. He was censured for it also. Amos 6:5. Cain's veg.
  - 2. He under O. L. and we under N. T. Never allright!
- B. Instruments in Heaven. Rev. 14:2. None but hearts.
  - 1. All spiritual in Heaven. Harps literal. Simile.
  - 2. If were there, no reason for here. Strange music.
- C. "I LIKE IT!"
  - 1. Cain liked his vegetables too. God didn't. Curse.
  - 2. Nadab & Abihi liked a change.. God didn't. Killed.
  - 3. Saul liked his sacrifice. God didn't. Deposed

INV: John 4:24. Spirit-humble submissiveness. #213  
 Truth--Word of God, Bible teachings.

If I had followed error in my past life because of ignorance on the matter; would change now that know.  
 If life or worship a violation; repent and pray.