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## Worship

The profound celebration of God in His supreme worth in a manner that His worthiness becomes the norm and the inspiration of human living.



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- Yes, we are of good courage, and we would rather be away from the body and at home with the Lord.
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- With hearts that are full of God's grace, we desire to persuade others with His truth in order to pave the way for relational reconciliation.

















