



What Is Worship and Ritual?

John 4:23

***I Cannot
Hear
Them . . .***



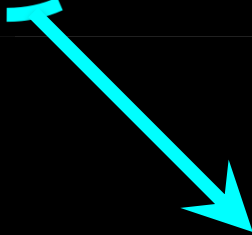
Church Splits Over Form of Worship



True Worshipers

John 4:23

... *true* worshipers ...



αληθινος = “*true, genuine, real*”

1st of Three Marks of Real Worshipers

John 4:23

... will worship the Father ...

- Exodus 20:3-5
- Ps. 81:9-10
- Ps. 66:1-4

2nd of Three Marks of Real Worshipers

John 4:23

. . . will worship the Father in spirit . . .



***Jesus Is Referring
To Your Heart***

Lyrics of “Here We Are”

Here we are lifting our hands to You

Here we are, giving You thanks for all You do

As we praise, and worship Your holy name

You are here, dwelling within our praise.

2nd of Three Marks of Real Worshipers

John 4:23

... will worship the Father in spirit ...

- Phil. 3:3
- Rom. 8:26-27
- Luke 10:21
- Neh. 12:31, 40-43
- 1 Cor. 12:4-11, 28
- Jude 20
- 1 Cor. 2:12-14
- Rom. 5:5

True Worship

Flows From The Heart

Because of the Holy Spirit

Not From Musical Instruments

Matthew 28:9



True Worship

Is Truthful Adoration of God

and

Longing To Be Like Him

3rd of Three Marks of Real Worshipers

John 4:23

. . . will worship the Father in truth . . .

- Matt. 15:9

In Vain Do They Worship Me

... *in vain* ...



ματην = “*without any result,
worthless, vain*”

Three Marks of Real Worshipers

John 4:23

... will worship the Father in truth ...

- Matt. 15:9
- Matt. 28:20
- Rom. 11:33-36
- Rom. 16:25
- Eph. 3:20
- Ex. 34:1-8



True Worship :

- ***Directed To: True God***
- ***Includes:***
 - . . . Spirit of adoration***
 - . . . Truth About God***

Contents of The Early Church Service

<i>Scripture Reading</i>	<i>1 Tim. 4:13</i>
<i>Prayer</i>	<i>Acts 2:42</i>
<i>Singing</i>	<i>1 Cor. 14:26</i>
<i>Teaching</i>	<i>Acts 2:42; 1 Tim. 4:13</i>
<i>Communion</i>	<i>Acts 2:42</i>

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