

A Worship Minute ...

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The way we express unhindered worship may take many forms. Whether we sing songs of praise from a hymnbook or screen, raise a shout of acclamation, wave a flag, lift our hands, bow on our knees, play a drum, sing in a choir, or simply utter His name, God wants to see and hear our unique expressions of worship. He is interested in worship that comes from people who are being transformed by the truth of His Word and whose hearts are devoted to the one and only God.

The issue is not the style of worship. The issue is that each believer must raise his or her own expression of worship to the King of kings in response to what He alone has done. God wants to hear our unique expressions of praise. We simply cannot allow the worship leaders, the minister or the singers worship for us. They are expressing their worship, but God wants to hear our very own expressions of worship.