

True (Genuine) Worshippers

- *But the hour is coming, and now is, when the true worshipers will worship the Father in spirit and truth; for the Father is seeking such to worship Him. 24 God is Spirit, and those who worship Him must worship in spirit and truth." Jn. 4:23-24*
- New Covenant is the '**coming hour**' that '**now is**'
- God is **SEEKING** genuine worshippers.
- Because God is Spirit we must bow to His will
- True Worship **MUST** be in spirit and truth.

If We Truly Want to Worship

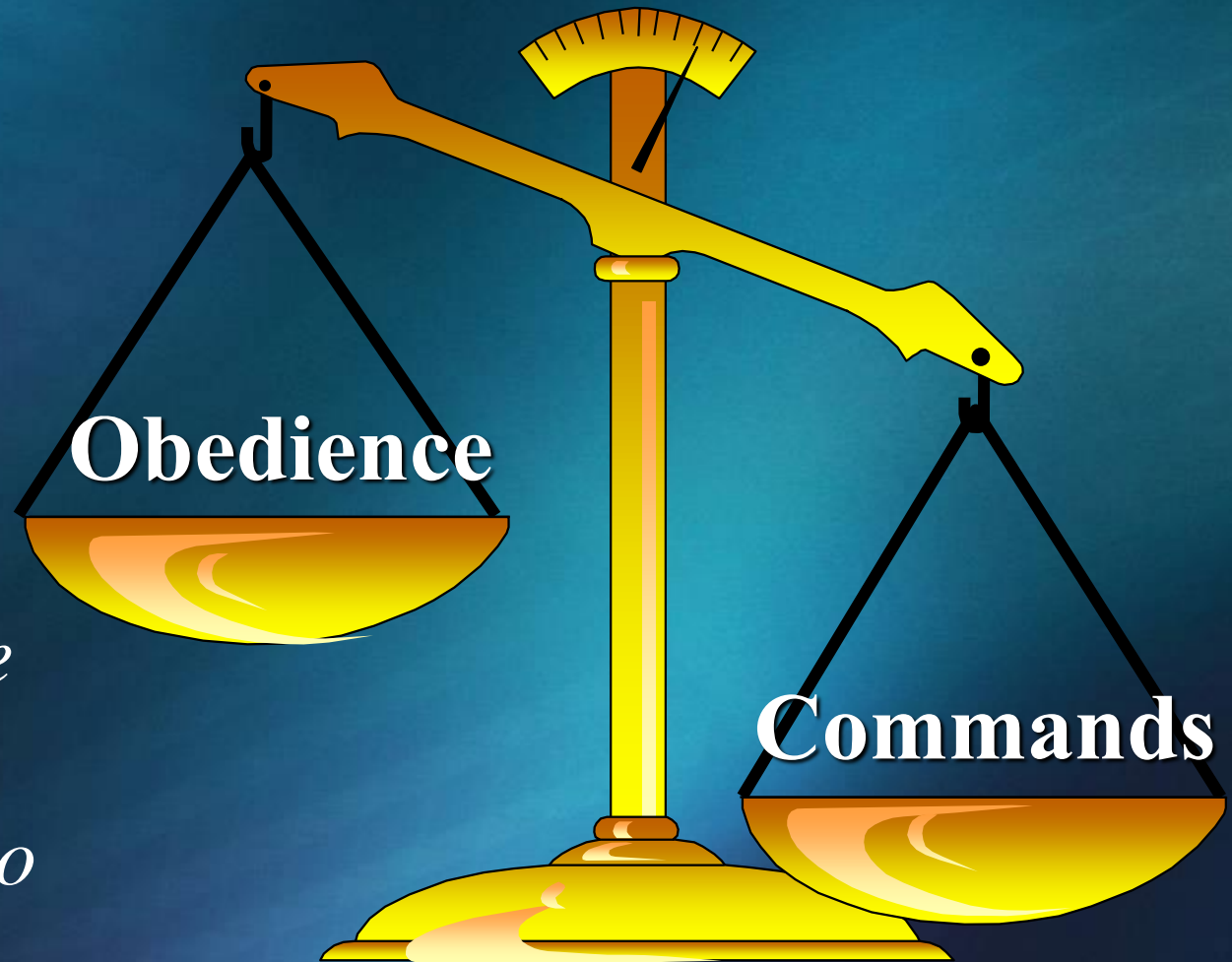
- We need to know **what** we are doing.
- We need to know **why** we are doing it.
- We need to have the **verses in our heart.**
- **Create faith that comes by hearing** the specific verses God has given for each act of worship.
- We must **do exactly what God has asked.**
- Anything more or less destroys reverence and nullifies to worship making it vain.
- How do we do this during the Lord's Supper?

An Unworthy Manner

- *Therefore whoever eats this bread or drinks this cup of the Lord in an unworthy manner will be guilty of the body and blood of the Lord. 1Cor 11:27-28*

An Unworthy Manner

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A Worthy Manner - Bread

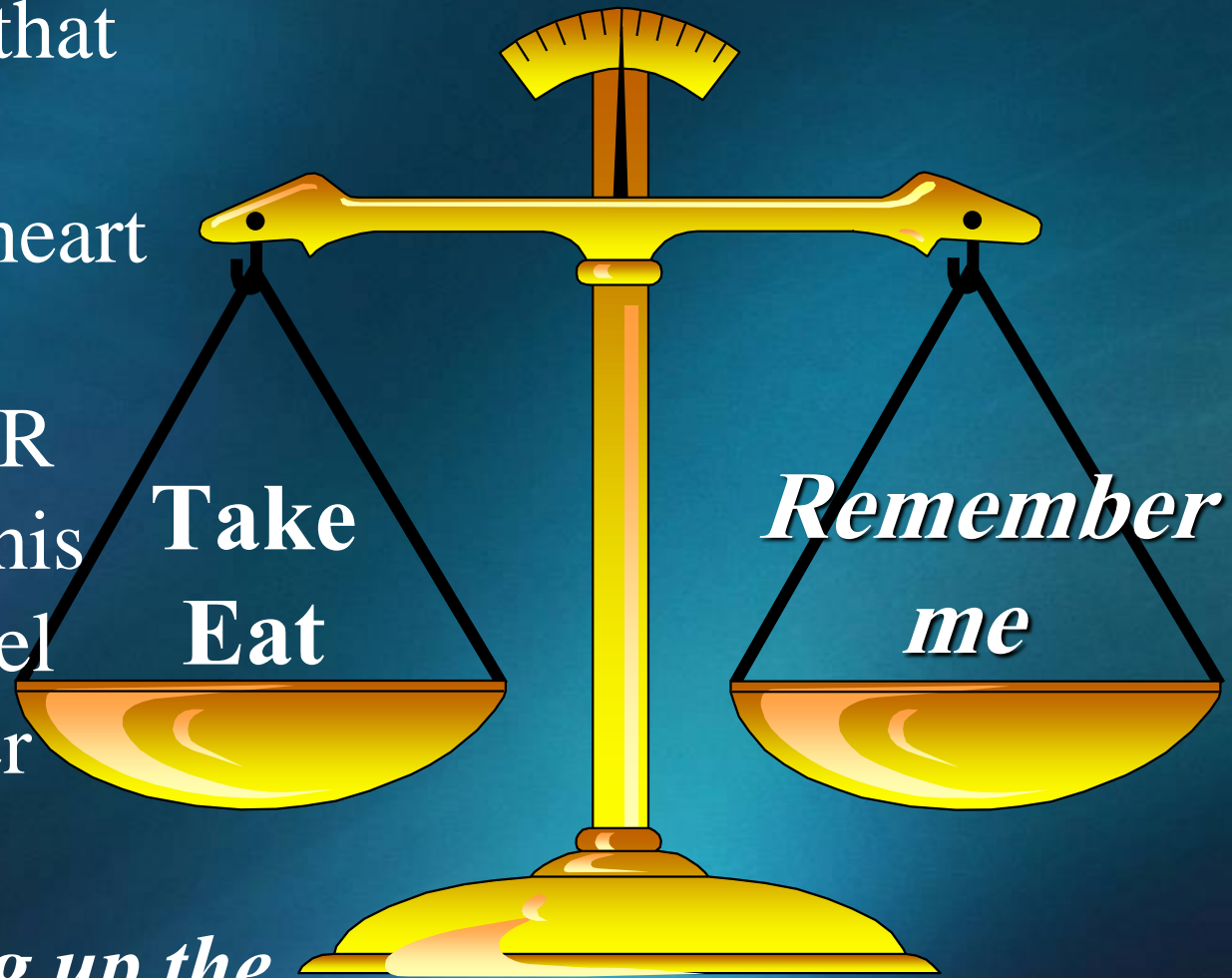
Unleavened bread
Body given for you
in remembrance
What are we to
remember



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A Worthy Manner - Bread

- (1) Find Passages that describe His body
 - (2) Write them in heart
 - (3) As we eat the bread REMEMBER
- Only after we do this can we do it as Abel in a worthy manner



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THE VERSES

- *took **bread**; and said Take, eat; this is **My body which is broken for you do this in remembrance of Me** Cor*
- *Jesus took **bread**, and **gave it to the disciples** and said, **Take, eat; this is My body.** Mt*
- *Jesus took **bread**, and **gave it to them** and said, **Take, eat; this is My body.** Mk*
- *And He took **bread**, and gave it to them, saying, "**This is My body which is given for you; do this in remembrance of Me.** Lk*

MY BODY – WHAT IS REVEALED?

MUST KNOW TO REMEMBER!

The Foundation Verse

*Therefore, when He came into the world, He said:
"Sacrifice and offering You did not desire, But a
body You have prepared for Me. 6 In burnt
offerings and sacrifices for sin You had no
pleasure. 7 Then I said, 'Behold, I have come —
In the volume of the book it is written of Me — To
do Your will, O God.'" Heb 10:5-7*

Therefore:

A body you have prepared for me.

Why is **therefore** there?

This is My Body

1 For the law, having a shadow of the good things to come, and not the very image of the things, can never with these same sacrifices, which they offer continually year by year, make those who approach perfect. ... 4 For it is not possible that the blood of bulls and goats could take away sins.

Because the Law could not make perfect(forgive)

Because it is impossible for the blood of bulls and goats to take away sin.

Therefore a body you have prepared for me!

The body of Jesus was prepared to bring forgiveness

This is My Body

Therefore: *He takes away the first that He may establish the second. 10 By that will we have been sanctified through the offering of the body of Jesus Christ once for all. Heb 10:9-11*

Because the Law could not make perfect

He was given a body *to take away the first and establish the second. Old Covenant replaced*

Because it is impossible for the blood of bulls and goats to take away sin.

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Who was in That Body?

when He came into the world, (Jn 1:1-3; 14)

The He is very Important: Who was in that body?

1 In the beginning was the Word the Word was with God the Word was God 2 He was in the beginning with God 3 All things were made through Him without Him nothing was made that was made ...

14the Word became flesh and dwelt among us

This was the moment of transition. One moment He was with God and was God and the next moment He was flesh dwelling among us.

That was the moment when He spoke: body prepared

This is My Body

Another snapshot of the moment:

*Have this attitude in yourselves which was also in Christ Jesus, 6 who, although **He existed in the form of God**, did not regard equality with God a thing to be grasped, 7 **but emptied Himself**, taking **the form of a bond-servant**, and being made in the likeness of men. **Being found in appearance as a man**, He humbled Himself by **becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross.** Phil 2:5-7*

The body was prepared to become obedient to the point of death on the cross. This is the offering of body

This is My Body

God allowed Isaiah to foretell

For He shall grow up before Him as a tender plant, And as a root out of dry ground. He has no form or comeliness; And when we see Him, There is no beauty that we should desire Him. Isa 53:1

But He was wounded for our transgressions, He was bruised for our iniquities; The chastisement for our peace was upon Him, And by His stripes we are healed. 6 All we like sheep have gone astray; We have turned, every one, to his own way; And the Lord has laid on Him the iniquity of us all. Isa 53:5-6

For all these things to come to pass God prepared a body!

This is My Body

God allowed Isaiah to foretell Isa 52:13-14

Behold, My Servant shall deal prudently; He shall be exalted and extolled and be very high. 14 Just as many were astonished at you, So His visage was marred more than any man, And His form more than the sons of men;

136 O Sacred Head

*O sacred head now wounded
with grief and shame weighed down
Now scornfully surrounded
With thorns, Thine only Crown
How art thou pale with anguish,
with sore abuse and scorn;
How does that visage languish
which once was bright as morn!*

This is My Body

To do Your will, O God." Heb 10:5-7

And He was withdrawn from them about a stone's throw, and He knelt down and prayed, 42 saying, "Father, if it is Your will, take this cup away from Me; nevertheless not My will, but Yours, be done."

43 Then an angel appeared to Him from heaven, strengthening Him. 44 And being in agony, He prayed more earnestly. Then His sweat became like great drops of blood falling down to the ground. Lk. 22:41-44

This is My Body

who, in the days of His flesh, when He had offered up prayers and supplications, with vehement cries and tears to Him who was able to save Him from death, and was heard because of His godly fear, 8 though He was a Son, yet He learned obedience by the things which He suffered. 9 And having been perfected, He became the author (captain) of eternal salvation to all who obey Him, Heb. 5:7-10

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The Scrolls were the Scriptures written to describe this moment. Do we know them ... they will help us eat in a worthy manner (in remembrance)

Isa 53-54; Ps 22; Ps 69;

Jesus took bread

- “Take, eat; this is My body” Mt 26:26; Mk 14:22
- “This is My body which is given for you; do this in remembrance of Me.” Lk 22:19
- “this is My body which is for you; do this in remembrance of Me.” 1Cor 11:24
- A body you have prepared for me ... I have come to do your will... sanctified by the body

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