

Idols of the Heart

Learning to Long for God Alone

Lesson #12: "Delighting in God"

□ Read Chapter Twelve and answer the following questions from pages 191-205.

Psalms 42:1-2 "As the deer pants for the water brooks, So pants my soul for You, O God. 2 My soul thirsts for God, for the living God. When shall I come and appear before God?."

1. Why did God adopt us?
2. How are we to cease worshipping other gods?
3. What must we do to no longer desire idols?
4. How do we become powerful worshippers?
5. How can we have warm godly affections for God?
6. What questions do we need to ask ourselves to verify if we have true worship?
7. What are we not free to do in our worship of the one true God?

8. Why should our worship exceed that of angels in heaven?
9. “Our emotions _____ our thoughts and intentions; they reveal the _____ we’ve made about our circumstances. Our _____, sorrows, our _____ are the ways we vividly experience the _____ of our thoughts and _____.”
10. What is the by-product of meditation on the character and attributes of God?
11. How does Matthew Henry suggest a Christian to live?
12. “As you _____ to put off idolatrous _____, replacing it with _____, you’ll need to put on a _____ that appreciates, _____, rejoices, in, and celebrates the _____, kindness, _____ and majesty of your King.”
13. What do we need to do to burst forth with praises for our God?
14. Why must we have an intellectual and emotional response to God?
15. What is your favorite hymn that helps you worship God? Why?