

**Victory Connect Lesson**  
**Worship Changes the Outcome**  
**Pastor Paul Daugherty**  
**November 30, 2025**

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**1. Worship should be our first response, not last resort.**

*(Go to God first in battles, in blessings, and in bruises).*

2Ch 20:20,21 NIV - Early in the morning...As they set out, ...Jehoshaphat appointed men to sing to the LORD and to praise him for the splendor of his holiness...

**2. Worship is your choice.**

*(You don't have to feel it to do it.)*

2Co 5:7 NIV - For we live by faith, not by sight.

**3. Worship opens the door to His presence, power, and provision.** Psa 100:4 NIV - Enter his gates with thanksgiving and his courts with praise; give thanks to him and praise his name.

**4. Worship shifts the focus from the problem to the presence of the promise keeper.**

a.) 2Ch 20:12 NIV – "...For we have no power to face this vast army that is attacking us. We do not know what to do, but our eyes are on you."

b.) Phl 4:6 NIV - Do not be anxious about anything, but in every situation, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God.

**5. Worship renews your mind and restores your soul.**

Psa 103:1,2 KJV Bless the LORD, O my soul: and all that is within me, [bless] his holy name. 2 Bless the LORD, O my soul, and forget not all his benefits:

**Discussion Questions:**

1. Who or what do you turn to when you are stressed?
2. What is holding you back from worship?
3. Are you fighting a battle that belongs to the Lord?

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