

Leviticus 7.11 – 21 Are You Qualified November 13, 2011

INTRODUCTION: God provides us with some qualifications as we worship Him. (John 4.23)

Leviticus 7 places focus on spontaneous praise, payment of vows, and freewill offerings. These verses speak to the theology of true, spiritual worship.

As we read in Leviticus 7 the major qualifications of praising God are the generosity and purity of the worshippers.

As we study Leviticus 7, versus 11 – 21 this morning, we will be encouraged to **Praise God in Purity.**

1. The first aspect that is presented in this passage regarding praise is that **Praise is _____**. **READ 7.11 – 14**

Biblical praise was given in public to edify other people, draw attention away from self and to God, was spontaneous and lavish, and was accompanied by an animal sacrifice.

- i. Praise is God-focused
- ii. Praise benefits others
- iii. See Acts 16.22 - 30

2. _____ in Praise READ 15 - 18

It is not about you... Colossians 1.16

Leviticus 7 helps us understand that praise is a public activity. Participating in praise brings benefit to all involved. In the last three verses of this section, God raises the bar for those who participate in praise.

3. In verses 19 – 21 God indicates that we should **Praise in
_____. **READ 19 – 21.****

Celebration of peace with God through the blood of Jesus in a public service of praise requires sincerity, genuineness, and authenticity.

God wants all of you; and when He gets you, He wants you to sing His praises in the midst of others.