WELCOME TO HAVEN

Welcome

Worship Songs "Mighty Warrior"

"Shout to the Lord/What a Beautiful Name"

Prayer

Scripture for Today Ezra 7:10 (NKJV), Isaiah 6:5, Romans 12:1 (NIV)

Message Game Ready Jack D. Cohen

Offering/Worship Song "All Hail King Jesus"

*Closing







TRUE WORSHIPER

GAME READY

"Yet a time is coming and has now come when the <u>true worshipers</u> will worship the Father in the Spirit and in truth, for <u>they are the kind of worshipers the Father seeks."</u>

– John 4:23

"For Ezra had <u>prepared his heart</u> to seek the Law of the Lord, and to do it, and to teach statutes and ordinances in Israel." – Ezra 7:10 (NKJV)

HOW TO GET GAME READY

1) Prepare your _

"In the year that King Uzziah died, <u>I saw the Lord</u> sitting on a throne, <u>high and lifted up</u>, and the train of His robe filled the temple. Above it stood seraphim...cried to another and said: "Holy, holy, holy is the Lord of hosts; The whole earth is full of His glory!" And the posts of the door were shaken by the voice of him who cried out, and the house was filled with smoke. So I said: "Woe is me, for I am undone!"

— Isaiah 6:1-5 (NKJV)

"Therefore, I urge you, brothers and sisters, in view of God's mercy, to <u>offer your bodies</u> as a living sacrifice, holy and pleasing to God—this is <u>your true and proper worship</u>." – Romans 12:1

2) Prepare your _

"If the Lord had not been on our side—let Israel say— if the Lord had not been on our side when people attacked us, they would have swallowed us alive when their anger flared against us; the flood would have engulfed us [the waters would have gone over our soul (KJV)] the torrent would have swept over us, the raging waters would have swept us away. Praise be to the Lord, who has not let us be torn by their teeth. We have escaped like a bird from the fowler's snare; the snare has been broken, and we have escaped. Our help is in the name of the Lord, the Maker of heaven and earth."

— Psalm 124

"I will praise you, Lord, with all my heart; I will tell of all the marvelous things you have done. I will be filled with joy because of you. I will sing praises to your name, O Most High." — Psalm 9:1-2 (NLT) "Keep your heart with all diligence, For out of it spring the issues of life." — Proverbs 4:23 (NKJV) O We need to address the _______ of our hearts "One thing I ask from the Lord, this only do I seek: that I may dwell in the house of the Lord all the days of my life, to gaze on the beauty of the Lord and to seek him in his temple." — Psalm 27:4 "The Lord says: "These people come near to me with their mouth and honor me with their lips, but their hearts are far from me. Their worship of me is based on merely human rules they have been taught." — Isaiah 29:13

"But <u>Martha was distracted</u> by all the preparations that had to be made. She came to him and asked, "Lord, don't you care that my sister has left me to do the work by myself? Tell her to help me!" "Martha, Martha," the Lord answered, "you are <u>worried and upset about many things</u>, but few things are needed—or indeed only one. <u>Mary has chosen what is better</u>, and it will not be taken away from her."

— Luke 10:40-42

We need a clearer

We need to identify what

[looking away from all that will <u>distract us</u> and] <u>focusing our eyes on Jesus</u>, who is the Author and Perfecter of faith [the first incentive for our belief and the One who brings our faith to maturity], who for the joy [of accomplishing the goal] set before Him <u>endured the cross</u>, ^[a]disregarding the shame, and sat down at the right hand of the throne of God [revealing His deity, His authority, and the completion of His work].

- Hebrews 12:2 (AMP)