

BRANNON CARNES MINISTRIES INTERNATIONAL PRESENTS

HEART-CORE

worship webinar

THE INTERACTIVE FOUNDATIONAL WORSHIP TRAINING SERIES

Q1 Webinar

Outline 4

SESSION 2 – HEART MATTERS

PREPARE THE WAY OF YOUR HEART

Everything genuine comes from our hearts, our core, or what Scripture calls the innermost being. We have the responsibility of giving God complete access to our hearts. He alone can recalibrate our hearts to their original purpose and affections: to worship God.

When talking about our lifestyles of worship to God, we can't help but think about the condition of our hearts. We must understand that true worship comes from this deep place inside of our hearts that is connected to God through Jesus.

Isaiah 40 opens our eyes to the realities of the depths of the human heart. We plunge into the extreme contrast of emotions and passions that span the entire scale of human expression. Let's take a closer look at what lies within the heart of man through the eyes of the prophet Isaiah.

1. Prepare the way of the Lord

Open Your Heart [preparation for God's Word and His nature]

2. Valleys Exalted

Humility Rewarded [those that have been forgotten are remembered and honored]

3. Mountains and Hills Made Low

Pride Pulled Down [arrogance, competition, selfish ambition are all removed]

4. Crooked Places Straightened Out

Wickedness Made Righteous [God will deliver those ensnared by deception]

5. Rough Places Smoothed Out

All Offenses Are Forgiven [they will forgive and be forgiven; God will melt the heart of stone; Eph. 4:32; Mark 11:25]

6. The Glory Revealed

Knowledge of God's glory starts in the heart [Hab. 2:14; 2Cor. 4:6]

THREE CHAMBERS of the HEART

The Word of the Lord came to me saying:

I have placed inside of you a cathedral of praise, a chapel of adoration, and a room of worship. You access them by faith. There is no limit to what I can do with you as you flow in and out of these places.

1. **CATHEDRAL of PRAISE** – The Gates of Thanksgiving
2. **CHAPEL of ADORATION** – The Courts of Praise
3. **ROOM of WORSHIP** – The Holy of Holies with Worship

Cathedral of Praise

1. This is the place for the masses.
2. It's a large gathering; a mega church.
3. It's a place where diversities and variety of genres are celebrated.
4. Talent, skill-set and cultures are acknowledged here.

Chapel of Adoration

1. This is the place of oneness.
2. It's a place where everyone gathered is on one accord; they have all things in common.
3. All affection is on things above.
4. Lyrically sound doctrine and God-centered songs are acknowledged.

Room of Worship

1. This is the place of solitude.
2. It's a place where you do business with God; a safe, secret place.
3. Your heart is exposed.
4. Music becomes optional; few words are exchanged.

Read Hebrews 12:18-24 – In the New Covenant, we come to Mount Zion (the Kingdom of God).