

THE SELF-SUFFICIENT AND SPIRITUAL GOD-

Revelation 4:8-11; 1 Peter 1:3-9

I-Worshipping the Self-Sufficient and Spiritual God- Psalm 50:7-15

Asaph speaks of man's worship of God and his duty to his neighbor.

A-God desires no formalism in worship-

- 1- God does not need the offerings given in the Temple- v.7-14
- 2- The Children of Israel were following God's directions for worship.

B-God desires sacrifices of thanksgiving offerings-

God is self-sufficient. He needs nothing or no one.

II-Knowing the Sufficient and Spiritual God- Acts 17:24-31

Paul speaks to the people in Athens who worship many gods.

A-God does not dwell in idols made by human hands-

- 1- This God is Lord of heaven and earth, does not live in temples made by hands
- 2- This God is not served by human hands, as though He needed anything-

B-The Self-Sufficient God commands all men to repent-

- 1- Life and breath and everything. God gives us everything that we need,
- 2- If you have not trusted in this self-sufficient God who has made you and brought salvation to you, reach out to Him today. He is waiting for you to respond to His calling in your life.

III-Serving Our Self-Sufficient, Spiritual God- 1 Timothy 6:13-16

Paul gives a charge to Timothy and to all of us who know Christ as Savior.

A-Serve God by keeping the 'commandment'-

- 1- In v.14 Paul says 'to keep the commandment...' What Commandment is he referring to? This one can just be referred to as 'the commandment.'
- 2-Paul says that we should keep the commandment until the appearing of Jesus Christ, which He will display.

B-Worship God as we serve Him-

As we share His love, we give praise to the only eternal, immortal, God of the universe because He is above all, beyond all, and because He has loved us all.

I have no items for further study. Thanks.