Worship the LORD

Psalm 96

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- A. Stirs in us a passion for the nations (vv. 1-6). What are we to do?
 - 1. Tell of his salvation (v. 2)
 - 2. Declare his glory (v. 3)
 - 3. Declare his works (v. 3) Why are we stirred?
 - 4. Because of his greatness (v. 4)
 - 5. Because of his supremacy (v. 5)
 - 6. Because of his transcendence/immanence (v. 6)

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- B. Prompts us toward humility (vv. 7-9)

 How? Is this humility enacted in our lives
 - 1. Giving to Him [his due] (vv. 7-8)
 - 2. Offering up [our praise] (v. 8b)
 - 3. Acceptance (v. 9a)
 - 4. Lowliness (v. 9b)

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- C. Deepens our expectation for his coming kingdom (vv. 10-13) What is the nature of his kingdom?
 - 1. It is upright (v. 10)
 - 2. It is comprehensive (vv. 11-12)
 - 3. It is righteous (v. 13)