

Worship Team Application

PAGE 1 : ABOUT YOU



LifeSpring.org
719.392.6353
3 Carson Blvd.
Fountain, CO 80817

BASIC INFORMATION

Name:

Phone:

Email:

Parent/Guardian:

Phone:

Email:

Address:

Birthday:

Gender:

Male

Female

YOUR HEART



Some things I love doing:

1: _____

2: _____

3: _____

People compliment me when:

YOUR ABILITIES/INTERESTS



The following are my strongest abilities:

1: _____

2: _____

3: _____

4: _____



Other skills and/or interests of mine are:

1: _____

2: _____

3: _____

4: _____

A few examples include:

drama, writing, speaking, fine art, photography, video, counseling, fixing things, graphic design, computer science, accounting, music, memory, tutoring/explaining, athletics, etc.

Worship Team Application

PAGE 2 : YOU AND GOD



LifeSpring.org
719.392.6353
3 Carson Blvd.
Fountain, CO 80817

WHY DO YOU WANT TO BE ON THE WORSHIP TEAM?

YOUR RELATIONSHIP WITH GOD

1. Please describe your relationship with God

Worship Team Application

PAGE 3: THE COMMITMENT

GUIDELINES AND REQUIREMENTS:

- **The Calling** - It is very important that those who participate in the worship team feel that they are “called, appointed, and anointed by God” to the ministry at hand.
- **The Lifestyle** - Participants must be born-again followers of Christ, and their lifestyle must resemble that of a born-again Christian. Participants must be worshipers on and off the platform. Anyone who has difficulty worshipping at home or in the congregation is not ready to be a leader!
- **Talent, Skill, and Auditions** - Musicians and vocalists need to have enough skill so that they can contribute to the worship experience and follow the lead of the Holy Spirit. Musicians and vocalists should have open hearts to receive advice, correction, training, and should be committed to becoming proficiently skilled at their ministry. “Kenaniah the head Levite was in charge of the singing; that was his responsibility because he was skillful at it”. (1 Chronicles 15:22 NIV) One does not need to be a professional musician to worship the Lord, but God honors the discipline of additional practice and preparation. “Failing to prepare is preparing for failure”.
- **The Commitment** - Members should be committed, members of the church who are dedicated to the leadership and pastor of LifeSpring. This commitment includes regular attendance to services, worship team rehearsals and tithing. If you are not already tithing begin at whatever level you can (.1%, 1%, 5%?) and start the journey. It is asked that the commitment on the worship team be considered a major commitment, and that it not be frequently disregarded for other events.
- **Attendance and Punctuality** - Attendance and punctuality are very important factors for being a member of the worship team. Rehearsals are required, and members should arrive ready to work on the designated material. Consistent attendance and punctuality reflect a high level of discipline and respect for the worship ministry.
- **Dress and Attire** - Realizing that outward appearance is not judged by God, we recognise that others may be distracted by improper attire. Consequently, members are encouraged to be neat, clean, and appropriately dressed. Let’s go into the Lord’s presence with respect. “All the Levites who were musicians . . . stood on the east side of the altar, dressed in fine linens . . .”. (2 Chronicles 5:12, NIV)
- **New Applicants and Waiting Periods** - Under most circumstances, new applicants to the music team will be required to attend several practices and rehearsals before “taking the platform”. Additional training may also be required, at the discretion of the church leadership.
- **Sound Engineers, Visual Equipment Operators, Etc.** - Sound engineers and visual equipment operators are important members of the music ministry. Visual equipment operators are asked to arrive early, so that lyrics and images can be setup. The sound engineers are also asked to arrive early, and help the worship team as much as possible. Sound engineers must be alert and responsive, especially during the worship, and should be ready to make adjustments with quickness!
- **Schedule Conflicts, Etc.** - If at any time, a member (including visual equipment operators, sound engineers, etc.) cannot attend a service, rehearsal, etc. they are to notify the Worship Leader or other Leadership in advance if at all possible so that proper adjustments can be made.

“ I have read and agree to follow to the best of my ability the above

Signature:

Date:



LifeSpring.org
719.392.6353
3 Carson Blvd.
Fountain, CO 80817

Worship Team Application

PAGE 4: WORSHIP BASICS



LifeSpring.org
719.392.6353
3 Carson Blvd.
Fountain, CO 80817

WORSHIP: WHAT IS IT?

Worship is anything done for the glory of God:

Worship is about the object of our worship; God.

It's purpose is not to entertain us, but to bring glory to God.

It's not about what we get, but what we give.

It's not just a musical expression, but is expressed in many ways.

It's not just action, but a lifestyle.

It begins on the inside and moves to an outward expression.

It is an expression of our love and devotion to the Triune God.

WORSHIP: WHERE AND WHEN CAN WE WORSHIP?

Worship can take place anywhere, at anytime.

It can happen alone, at work, at school, at church, with friends, family or strangers.

It doesn't have to happen just on Sundays.

Worshipping is a continual experience.

Worship isn't just for church meetings.

It isn't contingent on how we feel.

It doesn't require a band or even a building.

WORSHIP: THE "WOW!" AND THE "WHOA!"

Praise: To celebrate, to adore, to applaud, or to go wild about God.

Singing, shouting, dancing, clapping, and playing music, etc.

It's an upward explosion of energetic and creative expression to God.

Worship: To be in awe or reverence before Holy God.

Falling down, bowing, or going prostrate as a sign of humility.

It involves a downward, reverent, submission to God.

WORSHIP: WHY SHOULD WE?

Because of who God is.

When we recognize God as the origin of all power, success, or victory, it makes us want to worship him.

The names and attributes of God are matchless, and his greatness is incomprehensible.

Because we were created to worship Him.

God created us for relationship with Him, and to worship Him; to love him.

God is God, he can't get an ego boost, but he loves our worship and knows that it is good for us.

Because of His love for us.

God's sacrificial love demonstrated through His son Jesus Christ, is enough alone.

Also, though, because of his faithfulness, forgiveness, blessings and promises.

Because its powerful.

God inhabits the praises of his people.

Worshipping God empowers us and open us up to the Holy Spirit.

When we worship God we enter into his presence, we release Him to work in our lives.

Praising and worshipping God repels Satan, and sends Him running.

Because if we don't the rocks will!

Jesus said that if his disciples did not worship God even the rocks would cry out.

Someday every knee will bow and every tongue will confess that he is Lord.

Worship Team Application

PAGE 5: WORSHIP BASICS



LifeSpring.org
719.392.6353
3 Carson Blvd.
Fountain, CO 80817

WORSHIP: LEADING OTHERS

Passion

It's not about leading worship, but being a passionate worshiper of God.

Each person is a worship leader, not just the lead singer.

Don't focus on looking sincere and in-love with Jesus for others, focus on Jesus.

When you passionately worship God, that passion will overflow and others will follow your lead.

A worship leader doesn't need musical ability or even music at all, just a passion for God.

Service

A worship leader's job is to serve others by directing them in praise and worship that glorifies God.

He or she submits to the authority of God and their leaders in the church.

A worship leader does not consider themselves better than anyone else.

He/She is not concerned with fame, or being in the lime-light, only with pleasing God.

A worship leader considers the needs of others before their own.

He or she is committed to excellence, and to working hard to worship their best.

A worship leader is committed to dress appropriately and not be a distraction.

WORSHIP: POSITIONS AT LIFESPRING

Congregational Worship Leader

Helps to lead worship off-stage, where they are through singing, dancing, clapping, etc.

Does not require musical ability or additional commitment to rehearsal or practice.

Singer and/or Instrumentalist

Helps lead worship with their voice and/or instrument on-stage.

Must have some musical ability, but it doesn't have to be a tremendous amount.

Must be committed to practice and rehearsal times.

If needed a commitment to learning at home or private instruction may be necessary.

Visual Equipment Operator

Helps others in worship by preparing & displaying lyrics for worship songs.

Must be familiar with software used, and song being played.

Must be committed to creating and inputting songs for the worship schedule.

Sound Board Operator

Helps others in worship by preparing & adjusting sound level and quality.

Must be familiar with sound board and have a good ear for music.

May be responsible for audio recording as well.

Worship Team Application

PAGE 6: MUSICAL ABILITY ASSESSMENT



LifeSpring.org
719.392.6353
3 Carson Blvd.
Fountain, CO 80817

INSTRUMENTS (Include Voice)

Instrument Name:

Proficiency:	Years Played/Performed?	Have You Taken Lessons?	Need Lessons?
<input type="radio"/> Beginner <input type="radio"/> Intermediate <input type="radio"/> Advanced	_____	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No

Instrument Name:

Proficiency:	Years Played/Performed?	Have You Taken Lessons?	Need Lessons?
<input type="radio"/> Beginner <input type="radio"/> Intermediate <input type="radio"/> Advanced	_____	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No

Instrument Name:

Proficiency:	Years Played/Performed?	Have You Taken Lessons?	Need Lessons?
<input type="radio"/> Beginner <input type="radio"/> Intermediate <input type="radio"/> Advanced	_____	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No

MUSIC THEORY

Have You Studied Music Theory?	Can You Read Music Notation?	Are You Familiar w/ Lead Sheets?
<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No

Level of Knowledge:

- Beginner
- Intermediate
- Advanced
- Degree

Vocal Range/Voice:

Which Are You More Comfortable With?

- Playing by Ear
- Playing from Sheet Music