The Generations in the Worship Service

This seminar is designed to cast vision and provide practical application for children and adults together in corporate worship, including <u>all the elements</u> in the worship service. Consider these four questions that might stimulate your thinking concerning this session:

- 1. What *place* do you think your children are more likely to tremble before the greatness of the LORD and love Him at the same time?
- 2. What *place* do you think your children are more likely to sense your fear of the LORD and your affections for Jesus?
- 3. What *place* do you think your children are more likely to see your tears, joy, earnestness and silent attention?
- 4. If your answer to the first three questions is the same, here is the final question: *What spiritual impact would be kept from your children's hearts if they did not consistently visit that place with you?*

Summary Statement (in other words)

Psalm 147:11-12, "The LORD takes pleasure in those who fear him, in those who hope in his steadfast love. Praise the LORD..." in Jesus' name.

Outline

Part One: A vision for the generations together in the worship service

- Watching and Hearing for Years in the "place"
- Guidance from Scripture

Part Two: Application

- Before
- During
- After
- Supportive Thoughts
- Case Study
- ✤ A Closing Thought, Blessing and Song

Part One: A vision for the generations together in worship

Watching and Hearing for Years in the "Place"

	Years of Watching Years of Hearing				
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*	 Together Longing for and Loving G ▶ Psalm 84:1-2, 4 ▶ Isaiah 25:9 	od > Isaiah 26:8 > I Thessalonians 4:16-18	 Titus 2:11-13 Hebrews 9:27-28 			
*	 Together Trembling and Gladness Psalm 2:10-12 Psalm 118:4 	 Psalm 147:11 Jeremiah 32:40-41 				
*	Together Now and Forever ▶ Now: Romans 1:12; 15:32; I Corinthians 12:24b-26; I Peter 2:9-10; I John 3:2; II John 12; III John 13-15					
	Forever: Hosea 1:11; 6:1-3; John 10:16; John 11:51-52; II Corinthians 4:14; II Thessalonians 1:9-10; Revelation 5:13; 19:6-7					

Psalm 145

- Private worship: 145:1-2
- ➢ Family worship: 145:4-7
- > All-church family worship: 145:10-12

- Nehemiah
 - Corporate gathering (8:1-3)
 - > Corporate attentiveness to the reading of the Law (8:3)
 - Corporate standing (8:5)
 - > Corporate worship and rejoicing (8:6, 10-12; 9:3-5)
 - > Corporate confession and mourning (8:9-10; 9:1-3; 6-38)
 - > Corporate obedience in keeping the Feast of the Booths (8:13-18)
 - Corporate covenant (10)
 - > Corporate dedication of the wall with specific mention of children (12:27-43)

Part Two: Application (20 minutes) Preparation During ✤ After ✤ Supportive Thoughts Case Study ✤ A Closing Thought, Blessing and Song