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*Example of:* **Building a Solid Foundation for Worship**  
(*Leader Guide*)

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*(Useful Information for effectively leading this Worship Workshop...)*

**Time:** 2 Hours (Full Workshop) OR 10 – 15 Min. each week (Mini - Workshops)

**Audience:** Entire Worship Team

**Supplies:** Bible, Pencil, Paper, Tissues, Team Edition copies (1 per team member)

**Suggestions:** This Workshop is an excellent resource in building a true teamwork environment within your Worship Team. Read this content carefully and apply it within your team as you see best, given your Worship Team's own unique dynamics. (Team members should have the "*Building a Solid Foundation for Worship, Team Edition*".) **Note:** Review this workshop prior to leading, as there are parts you should complete ahead of time.

**Alternative:** It may work better for your team to do this as a "mini – workshop" at each practice. In this case, use one of the topics for each week. Amount of time needed for each topic will likely vary from 10 – 15 minutes.

**Guides:** *(Visual Guides for the participants...)*



**Check it Out:** Concepts to understand and practice.



**Exercise:** Work on team - building skills.



**A Closer Look:** A deeper look into scripture.

**Welcome!** *(This is to warm up your Worship Team / audience...)*

I'm glad to be with you today! This Worship Workshop is designed to challenge and stretch us as we desire to build a strong and cohesive worship team. I encourage you to take notes and refer back to them often to refresh yourself on these all - important topics. For us to make the most of our time together, we will all need to participate and interact with each other a lot. Can everyone agree to participate?



*(Sample Module from this Workshop...)*

### Exercise: Affirmation Sessions

(Mini Workshop #11 - Mini Version)

*(Full Version of Affirmation Sessions is below in "Additional Activities")*

*During this exercise team members will verbally affirm each other, as they feel led. Anyone can be affirmed at any time during this exercise. Those doing the affirming will share memorable moments, character traits, and special events they have experienced by being around the one being affirmed.*

*Here are the ground rules to implement during this exercise:*

#### *Rules for the one being affirmed:*

1. You must "accept" the compliments and statements being made about you (you cannot down - play them or minimize their significance).
2. You should wait to respond to all of the affirmations at once, at the very end.
3. If someone chooses to not speak about you, do not take offense to this.

#### *Rules for the rest of the team:*

1. Only make statements that are heart - felt and with pure intentions.
2. All comments should be appropriate for public knowledge.
3. Only positive, encouraging statements may be made.
4. Not everyone has to speak. You can speak more than once if you feel led to do so.
5. The worship leader is always the last person to comment; then allow the affirmed person to respond. (The length of time should be loosely controlled by the leader.)

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