

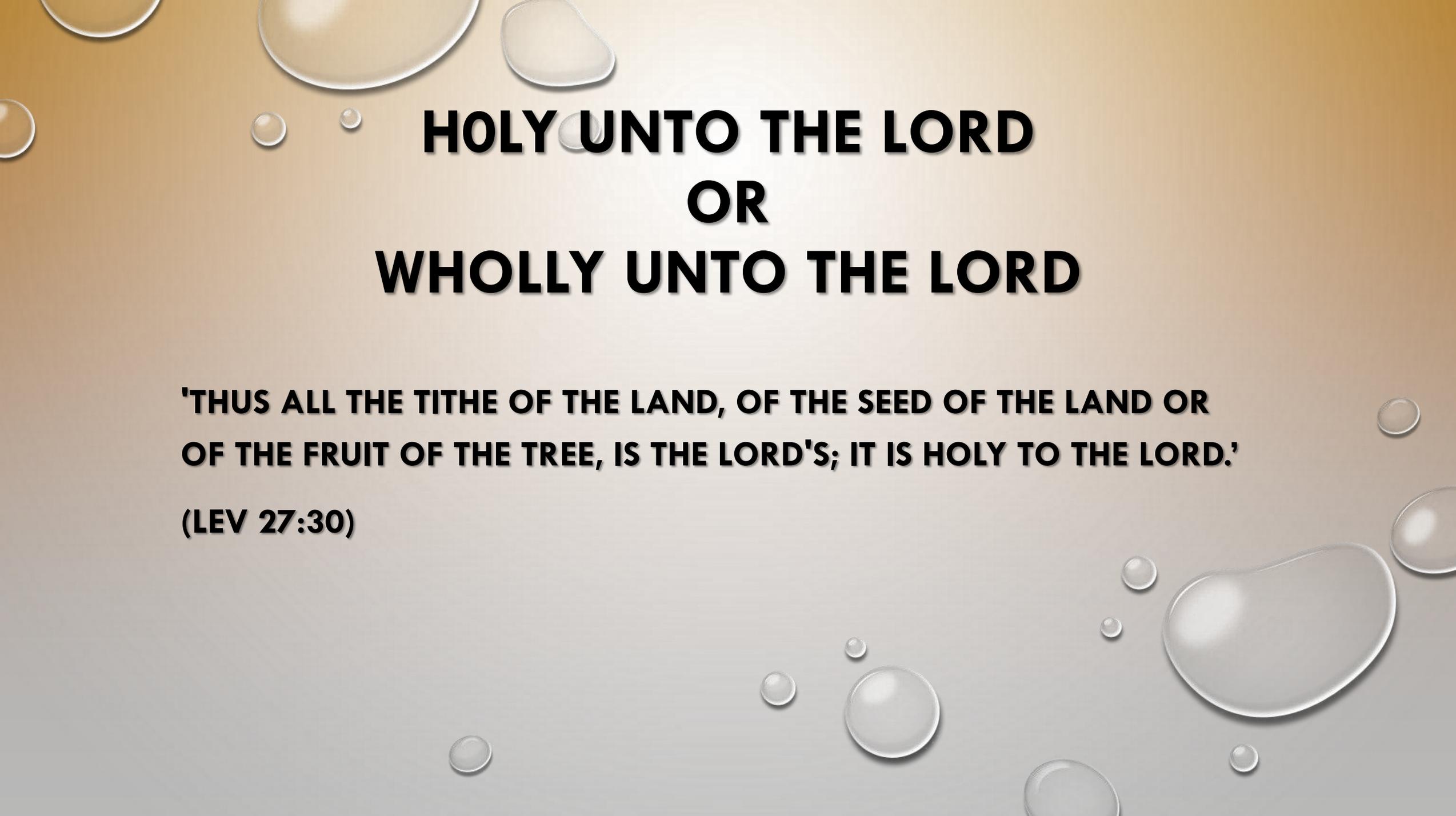
WHAT YOU SPEAK  
HAS POWER

TO EITHER INTERRUPT  
OR PARTNER WITH GOD  
IN WHAT HE IS DOING

— WATCH YOUR WORDS.

DON'T TALK YOUR  
WAY OUT OF GOD'S

BLESSING!



**HOLY UNTO THE LORD  
OR  
WHOLLY UNTO THE LORD**

**'THUS ALL THE TITHE OF THE LAND, OF THE SEED OF THE LAND OR  
OF THE FRUIT OF THE TREE, IS THE LORD'S; IT IS HOLY TO THE LORD.'**

**(LEV 27:30)**

# WHY?

- **We are created in His image to be His children.**
- **We become like what we worship**
- **He loves us so much that He wants the best for us**
- **He wants to prepare us to spend eternity with him.**
- **He loves intimacy and relationship.**
- **BUT YOU ARE A CHOSEN RACE, A ROYAL PRIESTHOOD, A HOLY NATION, A PEOPLE FOR GOD'S OWN POSSESSION, SO THAT YOU MAY PROCLAIM THE EXCELLENCIES OF HIM WHO HAS CALLED YOU OUT OF DARKNESS INTO HIS MARVELLOUS LIGHT (1PE 2:9)**

# WHAT IS WORSHIP?

- **For great is the LORD, and greatly to be praised; he also is to be feared above all gods. For all the gods of the peoples are idols, but the LORD made the heavens. Splendour and majesty are before him, strength and joy are in his place. Ascribe to the LORD, O families of the peoples, ascribe to the LORD glory and strength. Ascribe to the LORD the glory due his name; bring an offering, and come before him; worship the LORD in holy array. Tremble before him, all the earth; indeed, the world is firmly established, it will not be moved. Let the heavens be glad, and let the earth rejoice; and let them say among the nations, "the LORD reigns." (1Ch 16:25-31)**

# WORK IS WORSHIP

- **“Six days you shall labour and do all your work,” (Exo 20:9) - obedience**
- **I know that there is nothing better for them than to rejoice and to do good in one's lifetime; moreover, that every man who eats and drinks sees good in all his labour — it is the gift of God. (Ecc 3:12-13)**
- **“See, I have called by name Bezalel, the son of Uri, the son of Hur, of the tribe of Judah. I have filled him with the Spirit of God in wisdom, in understanding, in knowledge, and in all kinds of craftsmanship.” (Exo 31:2-3)**

## **GIVING HIM THE FIRST AND BEST**

- **'A son honours his father, and a servant his master. Then if I am a father, where is my honour? And if I am a master, where is my respect?' Says the LORD of hosts to you, O priests who despise my name. But you say, 'how have we despised your name?' You are presenting defiled food upon my altar. But you say, 'how have we defiled you?' In that you say, 'the table of the LORD is to be despised.' (Mal 1:6-7)**

**• A Psalm of David. Bless the LORD, O my soul, and all that is within me, bless his holy name. Bless the LORD, O my soul, and forget none of his benefits; who pardons all your iniquities, who heals all your diseases; who redeems your life from the pit, who crowns you with lovingkindness and compassion; who satisfies your years with good things, so that your youth is renewed like the eagle. The LORD performs righteous deeds and judgments for all who are oppressed. He made known His ways to Moses, his acts to the sons of Israel. The LORD is compassionate and gracious, slow to anger and abounding in lovingkindness. (Psa 103:1-8)**