

# **Biblical Oils: The Scent of WORSHIP**

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*God said, "Let the earth put forth grass, seed-producing plants, and fruit trees, each yielding its own kind of seed-bearing fruit, on the earth"; and that is how it was. The earth brought forth grass, plants each yielding its own kind of seed, and trees each producing its own kind of seed-bearing fruit; and God saw that it was good. Genesis 1:11-12 CJB*

**Oils in the Bible are used for worship, covering, protection, illumination & healing.**

**What Are Essential Oils?** Essential oils are highly concentrated aromatic extracts



which are distilled from a variety of fragrant plant material which would include: grasses, leaves, flowers, resins, herbs, fruit peel, wood/bark and roots. They are the life force or essence of the fragrant plant.

Recently there's been a lot of talk about ingesting essential oils as well as the benefit of taking them internally. Taking essential oils internally is a common practice in European countries and there are some companies here in the US that market and sell essential oils for cooking and are proclaimed therapeutic, therefore are safe

when taken orally. CAUTION: each of us are unique and wonderfully made, we must proceed with caution when using essential oils. What may benefit one person may have an adverse affect on another.

**Most essential oils are GRAS (Generally Recognized as Safe) by the USDA.**

The thinking that essential oils would be more beneficial if taken internally is basically a characteristic of our culture. We want the 'quick fix'. A well documented fact and one that has been proven is; **most essential oils will**



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**produce better results when directly inhaled or absorbed through the skin.** One of the BEST ways to use essential oils is to massage them onto the bottoms of the feet. Again, orally taking essential oils will not necessarily be better than the *proven methods* of inhalation and topical massage that quickly absorbs through the skin.



There are over 200 references in scriptures that speak of oils as healing medicines, illumination of the Menorah, fragrant offerings, balm, ointments and oils used for worship.

*"You shall put the holy garments on Aaron, and anoint him and consecrate him, that he may minister to Me as priest. And you shall bring his sons and clothe them with tunics. You shall anoint the (with oil), as you anointed their father, that they may minister to Me as priests; for their anointing shall surely be an everlasting priesthood throughout their generations." Genesis 40:13-15*



- Anoint: To smear or rub with oil or perfume (fragrant oil). The Hebrew term for "anoint," *masah* j;v'm\_ to be set-apart, commissioned or empowered. When a person is anointed there's a scent that can be inhaled, a scent that is one of consecration for worship unto the LORD.

*It is like fragrant oil on the head that runs down over the beard, over the beard of Aaron, and flows down on the collar of his robes. Psalm 133:2*  
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This verse speaks of the fragrant, precious oil running down the beard of Aaron the high priest. Essential oils are fragrant, precious and can be costly; they were a



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vital part of daily life of the priesthood. We too can use fragrant, essential oils on a daily basis as believers in Yeshua (Jesus).

As we anoint (smear on) ourselves with essential oils we not only to use them for healing but consecrate ourselves because we are called “priests” set-apart unto the LORD.

*You yourselves, as living stones, are being built into a spiritual house to be Cohanim (priests) set apart for God to offer spiritual sacrifices acceptable to him through Yeshua the Messiah. 1Peter 2:5*

In Psalm 133 the priesthood applied the oil topically, they smeared it on, they rubbed (massaged it in) it on. It was pouring down from the top of their head. Today we are priests (Cohanim) and we carry that same **Scent of Worship** with us wherever we go. Our consecration with oil for worship is now a lifestyle. When we anoint (massage) ourselves with fragrant oil on a daily basis that fragrance begins to become a part of us and the very **Scent of Worship** lingers.

## REFERENCES:

- [Biblical Essential Oils in the Scriptures](#) a topical list of essential oils mentioned in the Bible

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