

Reflection Questions: What do I do that brings glory to God? Do I do this consistently? Do I look at everything I do and every decision I make as potentials to bring God glory? How has God revealed His glory to you in Christ this Christmas season?

How can we pray for one another and our church this week?

Quotes to Ponder

Prophets are a very blessed means of communication, but how much more sure, how much more condescending is it for God to speak to us by His Son!

Think of it; those innumerable worlds of light that make unbounded space to look as though it were sprinkled over with golden dust, would all die out, like so many expiring sparks, and cease to be, if the Christ who died on Calvary did not will that they should continue to exist.

Charles Spurgeon

God's glory is not confined to some outward sign which appeals to the senses, but is that which expresses His inherent majesty, which may or not have some visible token.

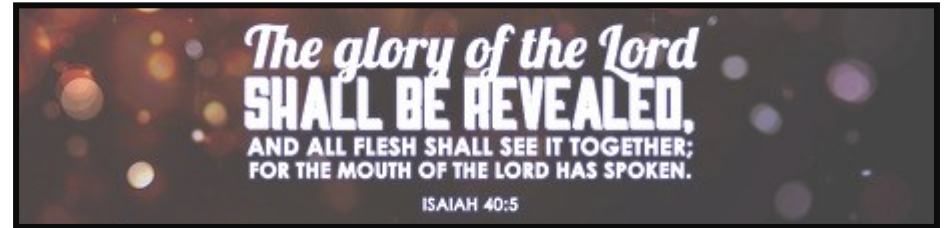
E.F. Harrison

Glory is the true apprehension of God or things. The glory of God must mean His unchanging essence. Giving glory to God is ascribing to Him His full recognition. The glory of God is what He is essentially; the glory of created things, including man, is what they are meant by God to be, though not yet perfectly attained.

Spiros Zodhiates

It appears that all that is ever spoken of in the Scripture as an ultimate end of God's works is included in that one phrase, 'the glory of God,' which is the name by which the ultimate end of God's works is most commonly called.

Jonathan Edwards



Hebrews 1:1-3

Sermon
Notes

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1. The Inheritor
2. The Creator
3. The Sustainer
4. The Radiator
5. The Representor
6. The Purifier
7. The Ruler

1. What in the text/sermon impacted you? Encouraged you? Convicted you? Challenged you? Confused you? Comforted you?

Matthew 25:31 —

1 John 3:2-3 —

2. Which of the seven descriptions of Jesus is most impressive to you? Why?

John 17:5 —

Revelation 19-20 —

3. What does *Hebrews 1:1* mean?

4. How has God spoken to us in *these last days* (*Hebrews 1:2*)? What does this mean?

9. How do the following verses help you to understand *glory* in this life?

John 7:18 —

John 12:43 —

5. Why didn't people see God's glory as Jesus walked this earth?

John 11:40-44 —

John 13:32 —

6. Why did Jesus give a few of His disciples an opportunity to see His glory on the Mount of Transfiguration?

John 12:23-24, 28 —

10. What do these verses tell us about our glorification?

Romans 8:16-21 —

Hebrews 2:10 —

7. What does it mean that Jesus has been appointed *heir of all things* (*Hebrews 1:2*; cf. *Psalm 2:8-9*; *89:27*; *Romans 11:36*; *Colossians 1:15-18*)?

Romans 8:28-30 —

1 Peter 5:4 —

8. According to the following verses about Christ's return, what does it have to do with His glory?

Matthew 16:27 —

Philippians 3:20-21 —

2 Corinthians 3:18 —

1 Peter 5:10 —

Philippians 3:20-21 —

Jude 24 —

Matthew 24:29-31 —

1 Thessalonians 4:15-17 —

11. Where is God's glory currently on display (*John 17:22*; *Romans 8:18*; *1 Peter 4:13-14*)? Explain.