

Reawakening: 40 Days of Prayer
The Glory of Christ
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The "Glory" Of Christ Is...

- ...the splendor, the beauty and the _____ of the Lord Jesus.

And he will be called: Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace. Isaiah 9:6b NLT

The "Glory" Of Christ Is...

- ...the praise, honor, distinction that Christ is the _____ Lamb of God.

"Worthy is the Lamb who was slaughtered— to receive power and riches and wisdom and strength and honor and glory and blessing." Revelation 5:12 NLT

The Key Thought of the Day

People who are confronted with the Glory of Christ are compelled to _____
_____ who is worthy.

He came into the very world he created, but the world didn't recognize him. He came to his own people, and even they rejected him. But to all who believed him and accepted him, he gave the right to become children of God. They are reborn—not with a physical birth resulting from human passion or plan, but a birth that comes from God. John 1:10-13 NLT

Key Verse of the Day

So the Word became human and made his home among us. He was full of unfailing love and faithfulness. And we have seen his glory, the glory of the Father's one and only Son. John 1:14 NLT

Reflections of the Glory of Christ

- The Glory of Christ is revealed in His _____.
- So the Word became human...

In the beginning the Word already existed. The Word was with God, and the Word was God. He existed in the beginning with God. God created everything through him, and nothing was created except through him. The Word gave life to everything that was created, and his life brought light to everyone. John 1:1-4 NLT

But will God really live on earth? Why, even the highest heavens cannot contain you. 1 Kings 8:27 NLT

For God in all his fullness was pleased to live in Christ... Colossians 1:19 NLT

About eight days later Jesus took Peter, John, and James up on a mountain to pray. And as he was praying, the appearance of his face was transformed, and his clothes became dazzling white. Suddenly, two men, Moses and Elijah, appeared and began talking with Jesus. They were glorious to see. Luke 9:28-31 NLT

Then a voice from the cloud said, "This is my Son, my Chosen One. Listen to him." When the voice finished, Jesus was there alone. Luke 9:35-36 NLT

Reflections of the Glory of Christ

- The Glory of Christ revealed in His _____.
- So the Word became human and made his home among us.

We are not like Moses, who put a veil over his face so the people of Israel would not see the glory, even though it was destined to fade away. But the people's minds were hardened, and to this day whenever the old covenant is being read, the same veil covers their minds so they cannot understand the truth. And this veil can be removed only by believing in Christ. Yes, even today when they read Moses' writings, their hearts are covered with that veil, and they do not understand.

But whenever someone turns to the Lord, the veil is taken away. For the Lord is the Spirit, and wherever the Spirit of the Lord is, there is freedom. So all of us who have had that veil removed can see and reflect the glory of the Lord. And the Lord—who is the Spirit—makes us more and more like him as we are changed into his glorious image. 2 Corinthians 3:13-18 NLT

For God wanted them to know that the riches and glory of Christ are for you Gentiles, too. And this is the secret: Christ lives in you. This gives you assurance of sharing his glory. Colossians 1:27 NLT

And since we are his children, we are his heirs. In fact, together with Christ we are heirs of God's glory. Romans 8:17 NLT

Reflections of the Glory of Christ

- The Glory of Christ revealed in His _____.

So the Word became human and made his home among us. He was full of unfailing love and faithfulness.

Though he was God, he did not think of equality with God as something to cling to. Instead, he gave up his divine privileges; he took the humble position of a slave and was born as a human being. When he appeared in human form, he humbled himself in obedience to God and died a criminal's death on a cross. Therefore, God elevated him to the place of highest honor and gave him the name above all other names... Philipians 2:6-9 NLT

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Revelation 1:13-18 NLT

Experiencing The Glory Of Christ

1. Spend time alone with _____.

Jesus took Peter, John, and James up on a mountain to pray. Luke 9:28

2. Refuse to be spiritually _____.

Peter and the others had fallen asleep. When they woke up, they saw Jesus' glory... Luke 9:32

3. _____ Jesus over everything in your life.

Peter, not even knowing what he was saying, blurted out, "Master, it's wonderful for us to be here!" Luke 9:33

4. _____ Jesus in every way.

Then a voice from the cloud said, "This is my Son, my Chosen One. Listen to him." Luke 9:35

The Challenge

Are you compelled to bring Glory to Christ?