



**"You" Are  
"God'S Glory"**

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These are just two scriptures that tell us how precious we are to God and how we stand in his presence. It is almost impossible to imagine that God's love for us is so immense that he considers us **his own glory**. And he shares that glory with us frail weak human beings. That my friend is love in action, God sharing his glory with us.

**2-Corinthians-3-12-we are mirrors that brightly reflect the glory of God.**

It is no wonder Satan hates us so much, it is because he sees God in us and he can not stand to see that image before him so instead he gets us to imagine we are worthless, less than nothing to God. Someone to judge and condemn for their sins. The truth is when he looks at a born again child of God he sees the reflection of almighty God shining forth from them, but he

Does not want you to know or to believe this truth.

His only purpose in life is to destroy what God made he is jealous of you and hates you with an intensity that you cannot possibly begin to imagine.

If God says he shares his own glory with us who are we to disbelieve him. Who are we to say I'm not deserving of this, it is God who decided to do this for us not you or I. To give God glory we should be praising and thanking him forever, instead we say this could not be true, of course we are being prodded by Satan and his demonic hoard into believing we are sinners and unworthy. And so we contradict God and say, I am not worthy, I am a sinner, I am no good.

**1-Corinthians-2-9– no mere man has ever seen, heard, or imagined what wonderful things that God has in store for those who love him.**

No mere man has heard, seen or imagined what wonderful things God has in store for us. No! We can not even begin to imagine the awesome things God does out of love for us but God had it all written down and put into a book so that we could read it for ourselves what he said and thus believe for ourselves, and that book is the bible.

The most amazing thing is that it is not I who tell you these things but they are written down in God's word for you to see. I am only writing out what is shown to me and sharing this amazing truth with you. Go to your own bible and read the scriptures that I have written and see if they say what I have written is true.

This is what Jesus said about the future believers.

**John-17-10– all of them since they are mine, belong to you, and you have given them back to me with everything else of yours and so they are my glory.**

They are My glory said Jesus, all of them, not just the apostles but all Christians.

He continued, saying.

**John-17-22-I have given them the glory you gave me. The glorious unity of being one as we are. I in them and you in me, all being perfected into one.**

Jesus gave us the glory the father gave him. He transferred that glory over to us, because he loved us and died for us, not for our actions, but out of an immense love for us.

He transferred the ‘fathers glory’ the glory the father gave to him, over to us, we who did not earn it nor deserve it.

**1-Peter-4-13– and afterwards you will have the wonderful joy of sharing his glory, in that coming day when it will all be displayed.**

God’s word is full of promises, some of them remain yet to be discovered but they are there to be discovered by those who diligently search for spiritual truth in God’s word.

God’s church, and I do not mean the catholic church or the protestant or the Lutheran or some other denominational church, what I mean is the body of Christ which is his church,

All denominations together are his glorious church.

**Ephesians-5-27-so that he could give her to himself as a glorious church without a single spot or blemish or wrinkle, being holy with a single fault**

Christ died to make his church {people} holy, that was the purpose of his coming and subsequent dying, to make his church holy spotless and clean and then present that gift of his church to the father as a glorious church. He died for you and me, not for a building or institute or religion.

Jesus is presenting his church, his people to the father as a glorious gift made holy and sanctified by his death on the cross. We are the glory of God made acceptable by Jesus.

God's glory is not just made up of mankind made in his image, but his grandeur also is himself. In himself he is glorious. But he added us into his own glory by Jesus actions, something we did not deserve.

His very presence is his glory. He is glorious in his own right. He is glorious in splendour and glorious in might, and awesome to behold, but he also takes us into his glory, like a loving father proudly displays his newborn child.

**Malachi –3-17 they shall be mine says the lord of hosts, in that day when I shall **make up my jewels.****

God was speaking about the future telling how he will make up his jewels, and we are his jewels made so by Jesus.

**2-Corinthians-3-8-Shall we not expect far greater glory in these days when the Holy Spirit is giving life If the plan that leads to doom was glorious, much more glorious is the plan that makes men right with God.**

**In fact that first glory as it shone from Moses face is worth nothing at all in comparison with the overwhelming glory of the new agreement**

**So if the old system that faded into nothing was full of heavenly glory, the glory of God's new plan for our salvation is certainly far greater for it is eternal. Since we know that this new glory will never go away we can preach with great boldness.**

Shall we not expect far greater glory in these days? Truth is we don't expect anything as great as this from God, because we have been blinded to the truth by our arch enemy Satan.

If God decided long before we were born to consider us his jewels and his glory it lets you understand the plan was all God's and not something we could ever achieve by ourselves, it is indeed a gift from God our father.

Moses face shone out with the glory of God for a while then it faded. But God decided that he would share his own glory with mankind who accepted his son as lord and saviour.

If God could share his glory with Moses can he not do so with us? In fact it says should we not expect far greater glory.

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You see the old plan did not work for mankind to be saved so God devised a new plan, he would send his son to take the punishment for the worlds sins upon himself and so save mankind from hell. But that old plan had glory in it and it showed on Moses face, but the new plan had greater effect because the new glory would never go away, as God was making it his own glory, it is eternal.

Try thinking it like this, scripture says we are the **'body' {note body}** of Christ and all of us make that body complete, now we are not a flesh body with Jesus head on it, are we? No! we have become the wholeness of Jesus himself spiritually, body and head are joined as one whole complete spiritual being. This is how we become the glory of God by becoming one with his son Jesus. Do you have any doubts that Jesus is God's glory? Then you should not have any doubts either that you are God's glory. Firstly because he said it and secondly because Jesus said it.

**John-17-22-I have given them the glory you gave me. The glorious unity of being one as we are. I in them and you in me, all being perfected into one.**

The father first gave Jesus the glory, then Jesus gave us that glory, then he gave us back to the father, with the glory on us. All being perfected into one being.

## Chapter two

### God's glory has many forms.

Let us understand something here. God's glory has many forms, and **we are just one of those forms**. We are **not** the wholeness of all of God's glory but are a particular part of his glory. This does not take away from the fact that we are God's glory, but we need to understand we are just a part and not the whole of his glory, lest we become puffed up and loose sight of who we are and also, so that we don't go and think, I am the glory of God and therefore I am almighty. God alone is almighty we share in his glory but are not all of it.

I do not want you to loose sight of the awesomeness of what God has done, neither do I want you to become nutty about it.

Mary, Jesus mother is a good example, she learned many things and scripture says she pondered them in her heart, she did not go running off at the mouth about them. **No! she pondered over them**. She thought of their implication and meaning for her, and quietly contemplated them and grew in spiritual knowledge.

The knowledge of what God has done for you will increase your faith and trust as you grow in the knowledge of his immense love, and knowing how much God loves us by knowing how much he has done for us and how much he has bestowed on us makes our faith grow in leaps and bounds.



The more you know and understand your position in Christ Jesus and of the things and wonders he did for you, the more power over the enemy you will have. This is what knowledge is for. To make faith and trust grow.

Jesus sacrificed himself for me, this is amazing in itself, but that was not all he did for you or I. He gave us a position with him in heaven. We are seated with him in the heavenly realms. You are assured of a seat somewhere near him in heaven. He presented you to his father as glory. He gave you every spiritual gift and power.

There are many more things that Jesus did for us but you can research those for your self or read my other books, I am writing on the glory Jesus presented to his father in heaven you and I.

**Revelation-15-8 the temple was filled with the **smoke from his glory and power**, and no one could enter until the seven angels had completed pouring out the seven plagues.**

The glory of God is in the **smoke**. One form of his glory.

**Revelation-21-23— and the city had no need for sun or moon to light it for the **glory of God and of the lamb illuminated it.****

The glory of God illuminated it. Another form of his glory, brilliant light.

The lord has honoured us by making us his glory and we should be doing what Mary done we should be pondering everything, praying about it and so grow in spiritual strength and power.

The more you know of God and of his plan of salvation the stronger you become spiritually. You do not need to go and shove this information down someone's throat, because young Christians or the unsaved will never believe you for a start, its too much for them to understand.

Like an aunt of mine used to say, you should not try feeding a bowl of stews to a child who can only take milk.

In other words don't share this until you are convicted by it yourself and then only share as The Holy Spirit tells you

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Defeat thy enemy with the knowledge that God's word empowers you with, be bold be strong and go do the things expected of you by God. Reach out to your fellow man who are lost and misled. Be a beacon for them a light in their darkness. Open their eyes to spiritual truths, and of God's immense love for them.

AMEN

