

Part 1: Show Us Your Glory

Exodus 33:17-23

17 And the Lord said to Moses, "I will do the very thing you have asked, because I am pleased with you and I know you by name."

18 Then Moses said, "Now show me your glory."

19 And the Lord said, "I will cause all my goodness to pass in front of you, and I will proclaim my name, the Lord, in your presence. I will have mercy on whom I will have mercy, and I will have compassion on whom I will have compassion. 20 But," he said, "you cannot see my face, for no one may see me and live."

21 Then the Lord said, "There is a place near me where you may stand on a rock. 22 When my glory passes by, I will put you in a cleft in the rock and cover you with my hand until I have passed by. 23 Then I will remove my hand and you will see my back; but my face must not be seen."

Exodus 34:1-3

1 The Lord said to Moses, "Chisel out two stone tablets like the first ones, and I will write on them the words that were on the first tablets, which you broke. 2 Be ready in the morning, and then come up on Mount Sinai. Present yourself to me there on top of the mountain. 3 No one is to come with you or be seen anywhere on the mountain; not even the flocks and herds may graze in front of the mountain."

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Message notes:

We can have confidence in who God is—in the strength of His _____ that we can depend on.

God's communicable attributes—what we have in common with God because we are made in His image. These would be His love, mercy, patience, and more.

God is immanent—He is present and near to His creation. He makes Himself smaller to be closer to us.

God _____ you better than you know yourself.

_____ can be a snowball—the more you trust Him, the more He comes through.

The _____ of God can have a heaviness to it—a weight that brings silence, not heavy as in a spirit of depression or anxiety.

Get a _____ so that you can fill in the pages with prayer and words from God—be prepared for God to be revealing His goodness.

Disciplines for a healthy quiet time:

You have to have a _____ where you can be near to God.

Meet with God _____ you meet with people.

Slow down and be _____.

Have a _____ with God. Don't be afraid to be alone.

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Discussion Questions:

1. A.W. Tozer is quoted as saying, "What comes to your mind when you think about God is the most important thing in your life." What comes to your mind when you think about God? And why is this so important?
2. The message describes God's goodness as an indescribable perfection. Can you share a personal experience where you felt God's goodness in your life?
3. Pastor Jamie encourages journaling as a way to engage with God's attributes. How could journaling this week help you see more of God's goodness in your life?
4. Moses positioned himself to see God's glory. What practical steps can you take to position yourself to hear from God more clearly in your daily life?
5. Pastor Jamie highlighted the significance of having a quiet time with God. What are some challenges you face in maintaining this discipline, and how can you overcome them?

Ministry Time:

Moses boldly asked God to show him His glory. Boldly pray for anyone who has felt distant from God and needs to see Him more clearly in their lives.

Journaling is a consistent theme throughout the teachings at the Cape Vineyard. Pray for anyone who has tried to journal and felt shame over having a difficult time hearing the Father's voice or anyone who has had difficulty remaining consistent in your quiet times.