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Leviticus 9:6

“And Moses said, “This is the thing which the LORD commanded you to do, and the glory will appear to you.” Exodus 9:6

“He who has My commandments and keeps them, it is he who love Me. And he who loves Me will be loved of My Father, and I will love him and manifest Myself to him” John 14:21

All of mankind longs to see and experience the glory of God. Man was created in the midst of His glory and we are designed to live in the midst of it as well. The fall of Man has caused the glory to withdraw, but still, it is our destiny! Upon the Cross of Calvary Jesus was separated from God that we might be once again united with the Father and experience the joys and delights of the awesome Presence and glory of God!

Obedience in the Garden, as well as in our daily lives was and is now a prerequisite for us to fully experience the blessings of God’s glory. “And Moses said, “This is the thing which the LORD commanded you to do, and the glory will appear to you.”

It is the sin in our lives that causes the glory of God to hide itself from us. That thing for which we long and yearn is delayed, all because of sin. And furthermore, should the glory of God not withdraw from us, most surely it would be our doom. (See the story of Ananias and Sapphira in Acts 5).

What problem, concern, or issue in our living wouldn’t be solved if God showed up personally with the answer? (Of course, He is here right now with us, but we speak of His manifest presence). Let us purpose now in our heart to walk in uncompromised obedience to His promptings and leadings. Obedience is such a small price to pay for the “joy unspeakable and full of glory” that is found only in His manifest presence.

Are there areas of your life where you are walking in anything less than full obedience to the Holy Spirit? Confess, repent, and obey.

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