

Glory!

The Value of God Made Visible

See: II Cor 3:7-11,18; 4:4,6,15,17

Glory – the value of God made visible

‘Glory’ Defined in Words

- **Visible, shining brilliance of God’s perfections**
- **Possessing great weight, importance and value**
- **Going public with God’s infinite worth**

Summary:

Glory is the supreme value, the infinite worth and importance of God made visible.

To glorify God is to make evident for all to see that God is my greatest treasure, supremely valued above all else.

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Key Question:

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- Spend more time/effort seeking to discover God’s good purposes than asking ‘Why me?’
- Care more about what God is accomplishing in you thru the problems than having them solved.
- Your response testifies to a lost world of the sufficiency and reality of Christ.

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- Talk more about Him than about your hurts, be more preoccupied with His sufficient grace than these light, momentary afflictions.
- Focus more on others than yourself.
- Develop a distaste for sin and a superior satisfaction in God.

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- *The opportunity when blessed with great treasures of health, wealth and happiness is to use them in such a way that shows that God is treasured more!*

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When we are contemplating retirement...

- *Don't let me waste my final years!*

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