



ROMANS

The Greatest Letter Ever Written!

Rom 2:6-7 “He will render to each one according to his works: to those who by patience in well-doing seek for glory and honor and immortality, he will give eternal life”

Hebrews 3:14 "For we have become partakers of Christ. if we hold fast the beginning of our assurance firm until the end."

Colossians 1:21-23 "And you, who once were alienated and hostile in mind, doing evil deeds, he has now reconciled in his body of flesh by his death, in order to present you holy and blameless and above reproach before him, if indeed you continue in the faith, stable and steadfast, not shifting from the hope of the gospel".

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John 5:44 “How can you believe, when you receive glory from one another and do not seek the glory that comes from the only God?”

Literally – Faith is impossible when you seek glory from one another and not the glory of the only God”

Rom 8:17-21 “and if children, then heirs— heirs of God and fellow heirs with Christ, provided we suffer with him in order that we may also be glorified with him. For I consider that the sufferings of this present time are not worth comparing with the glory that is to be revealed to us. For the creation waits with eager longing for the revealing of the sons of God. For the creation was subjected to futility, not willingly, but because of him who subjected it, in hope that the creation itself will be set free from its bondage to decay and obtain the freedom of the glory of the children of God.”

To be glorified, or to share in the glory of God, and yet not be God is to be fitted by God in mind and spirit and body to know the glory of God and enjoy the glory of God and display the glory of God with the power of God.

The biblical meaning of glorification is radically God-centered.

2 Cor 3:18

“We all, with unveiled face, beholding the glory of the Lord, are being transformed into the same image from glory to glory, just as from the Lord, the Spirit.”

2 Cor 4:16–18 “We do not lose heart, but though our outer man is decaying, yet our inner man is being renewed day by day. For momentary, light affliction is producing for us an eternal weight of glory far beyond all comparison, while we look not at the things which are seen, but at the things which are not seen; for the things which are seen are temporal, but the things which are not seen are eternal.”

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EMPTY?

John 4:32-34

"I have food to eat that you do not know about." So the disciples said to one another, "Has anyone brought him something to eat?" Jesus said to them, "My food is to do the" will of him who sent me and to accomplish his work.

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