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God Tabernacles with Humanity (2 lessons)

Joshua 5:13-15 *Once when Joshua was by Jericho, he looked up and saw a man standing before him with a drawn sword in his hand. Joshua went to him and said to him, "Are you one of us, or one of our adversaries?"¹⁴ He replied, "Neither; but as commander of the army of the Lord I have now come." And Joshua fell on his face to the earth and worshiped, and he said to him, "What do you command your servant, my lord?"¹⁵ The commander of the army of the Lord said to Joshua, "Remove the sandals from your feet, for the place where you stand is holy." And Joshua did so.¹*

- Holy Ground- Mt. Horeb
 - 1 Kings 19:1-18 (7-8) *The angel of the Lord came a second time, touched him, and said, "Get up and eat, otherwise the journey will be too much for you."⁸ He got up, and ate and drank; then he went in the strength of that food forty days and forty nights to Horeb the mount of God.²*
 - 1 Kings 8:9 *There was nothing in the ark except the two tablets of stone that Moses had placed there at Horeb, where the Lord made a covenant with the Israelites, when they came out of the land of Egypt.³*
 - Exodus 19:2 *They had journeyed from Rephidim, entered the wilderness of Sinai, and camped in the wilderness; Israel camped there in front of the mountain.⁴*
 - Connection between Mt. Horeb and Mt. Sinai
 - Galatians 4:24-25 *Now this is an allegory: these women are two covenants. One woman, in fact, is Hagar, from Mount Sinai, bearing children for slavery.²⁵ Now Hagar is Mount Sinai in Arabia and corresponds to the present Jerusalem, for she is in slavery with her children.⁵*
 - Sinai Peninsula (The Wilderness of Sinai) and the forebearers crossing it to get from Palestine to Egypt
 - The Eternal Flame-
 - The fire Exodus 3: 2-*What's going on here? I can't believe this! Amazing! Why does the bush burn up?*
 - Acts 2:1-3 *When the day of Pentecost had come, they were all together in one place.² And suddenly from heaven there came a sound like the rush of a violent wind, and it filled the entire house*

¹ [The Holy Bible: New Revised Standard Version](#). (1989). (Jos 5:13–15). Nashville: Thomas Nelson Publishers.

² [The Holy Bible: New Revised Standard Version](#). (1989). (1 Ki 19:7–8). Nashville: Thomas Nelson Publishers.

³ [The Holy Bible: New Revised Standard Version](#). (1989). (1 Ki 8:9). Nashville: Thomas Nelson Publishers.

⁴ [The Holy Bible: New Revised Standard Version](#). (1989). (Ex 19:2). Nashville: Thomas Nelson Publishers.

⁵ [The Holy Bible: New Revised Standard Version](#). (1989). (Ga 4:24–25). Nashville: Thomas Nelson Publishers.

where they were sitting. ³ Divided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them, and a tongue rested on each of them.⁶

- The instructions
 - How to come before God- Mt 5-7; As related to the 613 purity laws of Torah; to bring the Kingdom of God now!
 - Take off your Shoes-
 - Ex 3:4-6 *When the Lord saw that he had turned aside to see, God called to him out of the bush, “Moses, Moses!” And he said, “Here I am.” ⁵ Then he said, “Come no closer! Remove the sandals from your feet, for the place on which you are standing is holy ground.” ⁶ He said further, “I am the God of your father, the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob.” And Moses hid his face, for he was afraid to look at God. ⁷*
 - Isaiah 52: 7 *How beautiful upon the mountains are the feet of the messenger who announces peace, ⁸*
 - (Romans 10:14-15)
 - Matthew 17:1-8
 - What is the significance of Moses and Elijah in the transfiguration story?
 - What does Peter’s response mean?
 - Take 2 (3,4,5...)-
 - Exodus 3:8
 - Isa 54:1-31
 - Cor 6:19 ¹⁹ *Or do you not know that your body is a temple of the Holy Spirit within you, which you have from God, and that you are not your own? ⁹*

Where is your Holy Ground?

What extraordinary things have you seen?

Do you feel closer to God with sand or dirt between your toes?

Where or When do you feel closer to God?

If God showed God’s self to you, how would God get your attention?

What do you think the Kingdom of God looks like?

⁶ [*The Holy Bible: New Revised Standard Version*](#). (1989). (Ac 2:1–3). Nashville: Thomas Nelson Publishers.

⁷ [*The Holy Bible: New Revised Standard Version*](#). (1989). (Ex 3:4–6). Nashville: Thomas Nelson Publishers.

⁸ [*The Holy Bible: New Revised Standard Version*](#). (1989). (Is 52:7). Nashville: Thomas Nelson Publishers.

⁹ [*The Holy Bible: New Revised Standard Version*](#). (1989). (1 Co 6:19). Nashville: Thomas Nelson Publishers.