

The Glory of God Coming Together as One

Read: Entire Chapter of John 17

Focus on Jesus words...

JOHN 17:20-23 NKJV

“I do not pray for these alone, but also for those who will believe in Me through their word; that they all may be one, as You, Father, are in Me, and I in You; that they also may be one in Us, that the world may believe that You sent Me. And the glory which You gave Me I have given them, that they may be one just as We are one: I in them, and You in Me; that they may be made perfect in one, and that the world may know that You have sent Me, and have loved them as You have loved Me.”

Oneness / Unity - is NOT uniformity - it is operating from Kingdom perspective and position - as THE Body - for His Glory, for our benefit and the benefit of others.

We are in this world but we are not of this world.

He is also concerned with HIS WILL BEING DONE ON EARTH AS IT IS IN HEAVEN.

(Jesus' prayer: Luke 11:2, Matt 6:10)

His Glory is just that, His - He chooses to allow us to manifest / represent to this world (re-present), Revealed so they, *the World*, would know.

DOES ANYONE KNOW OR SEE HIS GLORY THROUGH YOU?

CORRESPOND TO OUR WORK.

Work is mentioned over 450 times in the bible.

God is concerned about our work.

As we have spent these past 12 weeks looking at the blueprint for building the Kingdom through our work, how has this changed your perspective and application of this truth?

PSALM 133 NKJV

“Behold, how good and pleasant it is to for brethren to dwell together in unity! It is like the precious oil upon the head, running down on the beard, the beard of Aaron, running down on the edge of His garments. It is like the dew of Hermon, descending upon the mountains of Zion; for there the LORD commanded the blessing—life forevermore.”

The Hebrew word for Glory is “Chabod.” Its meaning is “that which is heavy.” His tangible substance, magnificence, and presence at work in the lives of His people. This is most evident when His people set their hearts to forsake their differences and make the decision to focus on the foundational elements of the faith. Only in unity is the Glory evident to the eyes a lost world.

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