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**IT'S ALL ABOUT HIS
GLORY.**

**EVERYTHING GOD
HAS DONE AND
WILL DO HAS BEEN
TO BRING GLORY
TO HIS NAME.**

**THE PASSAGES
IN THIS STUDY
WILL REVEAL
THE CONSTANT
EMPHASIS IN
SCRIPTURE ON HIS
GLORY.**

Read the following passages. What has God done for the sake of His name?

i) 1 John 2:12

ii) Psalm 31:3

iii) Isaiah 48:9

All that the Lord has given us, and blessed us with, is for the sake of His name. He sent His Son to die on the cross so our sins could be forgiven. He leads and guides us. He delays and defers His anger.

What are God's people to do for the sake of His name?

i) Romans 1:5

ii) Luke 21:12

iii) Revelation 2:3

We have received grace through Christ to bring about the obedience of faith. We will be persecuted, but we'll endure for His name's sake. Everything the Lord has done and will do, whether it be in our world or in our lives, is for the glory of His name.

Read the following passages. What connections are made between Jesus and God's glory in Scripture?

i) *John 12:27-28*

ii) *John 13:31-32*

iii) *Romans 6:4*

iv) *Philippians 2:9-11*

Too often do we make Christ's work all about us. He was sent because God loves me. He died to save me from sin. He rose again to buy eternal life for me.

All these things are wonderful truths, that we should continually be thanking the Lord for. However, the ultimate purpose of Christ's coming is not about us. It's all about the glory of God.

Read the following passages. How are we, as followers of Christ, to glorify God?

i) *1 Corinthians 6:20*

ii) *1 Peter 4:10-11*

iii) *1 Peter 4:16*

iv) *Psalms 96:1-3*

v) *Matthew 5:13-16*

If the ultimate purpose of God is to bring glory to Himself, then His process in doing so is through believers like you and me. We have been bought by Christ to be His representatives on Earth. After all, the name "Christian" really means "little Christ." We are to live like Jesus in order that God will continue to be glorified.

REFLECT

In what ways can we make faith all about us, rather than all about giving glory to God?

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How are you glorifying God in the ways pointed to in these verses?

The Bible is the very Word of God; His revelation to His world He created. God desires to be known by mankind and gave His Word so we might come to know Him and give Him the glory He deserves by serving Him faithfully in the likeness of Christ.

Today, so many do not know Him and therefore do not give Him the glory He deserves. A desire to make His name known should be the chief motivation for mission.

Billions have never even heard His name. We want to see more and more come to saving faith, of course for their own eternal sakes, but ultimately to bring glory to God and see His name lifted higher and higher.



ASIA FOCUS

Each session of Mission Minded focuses on an area of ministry in Asia supported by our parent organisation, AsiaLink. Please take this opportunity to expand your knowledge and practise prayer for Gospel ministry in Asia.

THE BEAUTIFUL FEET PROJECT

"How beautiful on the mountains are the feet of those who bring good news..."
Isaiah 52:7

There is a colossal need for evangelists and gospel workers in the continent of Asia. When we consider how many workers are currently working among unreached people, we learn of a shocking imbalance. In Asia, there's just one evangelist or gospel worker for every 216,000 unreached people!

The Beautiful Feet Project identifies faithful men and women to support as they are sent into the mission field. These workers are trained and local. No one reaches Asians better than Asians! They know the culture and language, the do's and don'ts and are often converts themselves from the faith of those who don't know the Gospel.

The country of Nepal is home to some of the most glorious sights known to man. The Himalayas stretch high towards the heavens. On these mountains, you can find a man supported through the Beautiful Feet Project called Bishnu. While based in the capital, Kathmandu, he is constantly on the road, weaving his way around Himalayan tracks in order to share the glorious Gospel with those in who desperately need to hear it. One village Bishnu visits requires a 14 hour car journey. When the road runs out, it takes a further two day hike to reach this settlement nestled high in the Himalayan mountains!

HOW TO PRAY

Pray for Bishnu as he continues his work reaching unreached people in Nepal

Pray for all those supported through this project in places such as Nepal, Bangladesh, India, Bhutan and Pakistan.

Pray that the Lord would continue to raise up faithful men and women to share the Gospel with unreached people in Asia.



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