

**THE PERFECT PATH TO THE CHRISTIAN LIFE  
LIFE IN THE KINGDOM OF GOD  
VOLUME 6: CALLED TO THE GLORY AND VIRTUE  
MESSAGE 3: GOD’S PLAN FOR THE GLORY  
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• **FOUNDATIONAL SCRIPTURES:**

- **2 Peter 1:1-4 => verse 3: We ARE Called to the Glory**
- **1 Timothy 1:18-19, 6:12**
- **Haggai 2:9 (1:2-8, 2:3, 7-9)**

I. **The Whole Earth will be filled with the “knowledge” of My Glory!**

- a. Where is that knowledge going to come from? THE CHURCH
- b. The Word “glory” in Hebrew means “heavy with everything GOOD – splendor” – Habakkuk 2:14
  - i. Ephesians 1:17 = God is the Father of Glory
  - ii. Acts 7:2 = The God of Glory
  - iii. Psalm 29:3 = The God of Glory Thunders
- c. The God of Glory – God’s Manifested Presence
  - i. God’s Manifested Power
  - ii. God’s Manifested Goodness
- d. Glory and Honor are in God’s Presence: 1 Chronicles 16:27 (strength and gladness are in His Place)
  - i. Man was Crowned with Glory and Honor – God’s Presence
    - 1. When God’s presence departed, Adam became naked
    - 2. Romans 3:21-23 – Men fell short of the Glory and this still applies
    - 3. 1 Corinthians 2:6-8 – the plan or mystery is God’s plan to return man to the Glory (getting back into God’s presence)
      - a. Satan did not know this or he would not have killed Jesus
      - b. Colossians 1:26-27 – God wants that Mystery Revealed
      - c. 2 Corinthians 4 – Christ in us is our Hope of Glory
    - 4. The knowledge of God’s Glory is the knowledge of His Presence – the way it shines in Jesus’ face (Matthew 17:2)
    - 5. Mark 9:2 – they saw Jesus in God’s Presence
  - ii. Jesus said to Lazarus’ family, “You shall see the Glory” or the presence: Lazarus raised from the dead
  - iii. When God said, “Light be”, He said, “Me BE” or “Let there again be a manifestation of My Presence in the Earth”
    - 1. The Glorious Gospel is full of His Presence
    - 2. 2 Corinthians 3:18 – we look into the scriptures as a mirror for the Glory – the revealed presence of the Father Almighty
    - 3. It produces “ME BE” in us – it will take us from Glory to Glory – one level of God’s presence to another level of God’s presence

II. **Goodness overcomes evil**

- a. God's Goodness has come upon us a line at a time or it would overcome us:  
Isaiah 28:9-10
- b. Eventually we will be glorified – GONE!
- c. Jesus has God's Presence flowing through His veins, giving life to His body
- d. Ephesians 5:25-27 – Jesus washed the Church with the Word – making it a  
Glorious Church
  - i. Filled with the Father's Presence
  - ii. Overwhelmingly filled with Life and Goodness
  - iii. Exodus 33:18-19 proves that Glory is Goodness
- e. Exodus 40:34 – God's Presence overwhelmed the tabernacle
- f. His Goodness overwhelmed armies
- g. His Goodness endures forever