



Announcement

We would like to gather your Contact Information to keep in touch with you. Our Member Care Team would call you from each month to enquire about your well-being. So in case you are regularly attending APC we request you to please provide us with your contact details, if you have not done so in the past. Could you please raise your hand and our ushers will come to you with a Contact Information Card. Kindly fill this in, and hand it back to them.

(Pastors, please collect this information, mark as Regular Attendee and send this back to the church office)

Also if you are facing personal challenges please do not hesitate to reach out and contact APC pastors or Chrysalis counseling for assistance. We are here to serve you.

Encourage people come to SECRET PLACE Friday evening.

Sunday November 15, 2015

Revive us Again (Part-2)

Every genuine cry for revival is really a cry for God's glory to be revealed

Psalm 85:6 Will You not revive us again, That Your people may rejoice in You?

(Pastors please do a quick 3 mins review of last Sunday's sermon)

Every genuine cry for revival is really a cry for God's glory to be revealed, a desperation for the glory of God to be seen upon His people. This in fact, is the very desire of God's heart. God desires for His glory to be revealed through His people here on earth.

Habakkuk 2:14

For the earth will be filled With the knowledge of the glory of the LORD, As the waters cover the sea.

(see also Numbers 14:20-21, Isaiah 11:9)

God's desires for His glory and the knowledge of His glory to fill the earth.

Isaiah 60:1-3

1 Arise, shine; For your light has come! And the glory of the LORD is risen upon you.

2 For behold, the darkness shall cover the earth, And deep darkness the people; But the LORD will arise over you, And His glory will be seen upon you.

3 The Gentiles shall come to your light, And kings to the brightness of your rising.

God's glory will be revealed through His people.

Psalm 63:1-2 (A psalm of David)

1 O God, You are my God; Early will I seek You; My soul thirsts for You; My flesh longs for You In a dry and thirsty land Where there is no water.

2 So I have looked for You in the sanctuary, To see Your power and Your glory.



Here is in essence a cry for revival. As a person would long for water in a dry and barren land, so David expresses his hunger and thirst for God. And he longs to see God's "power and glory" revealed among His people as they gather in the sanctuary.

What does a manifestation of God's glory look like?

Exodus 33:11-23

11 So the LORD spoke to Moses face to face, as a man speaks to his friend. And he would return to the camp, but his servant Joshua the son of Nun, a young man, did not depart from the tabernacle.

12 Then Moses said to the LORD, "See, You say to me, 'Bring up this people.' But You have not let me know whom You will send with me. Yet You have said, 'I know you by name, and you have also found grace in My sight.'

13 Now therefore, I pray, if I have found grace in Your sight, show me now Your way, that I may know You and that I may find grace in Your sight. And consider that this nation is Your people."

14 And He said, "My Presence will go with you, and I will give you rest."

Moses wanted to know whom God will send with them and what God's plans were so that Moses could follow them ('show me your way')

God replied that His Presence will go with them and He will give them victory ('rest').

Moses continues his conversation and expresses his dependence on God's Presence.

15 Then he said to Him, "If Your Presence does not go with us, do not bring us up from here.

16 For how then will it be known that Your people and I have found grace in Your sight, except You go with us? So we shall be separate, Your people and I, from all the people who are upon the face of the earth."

17 So the LORD said to Moses, "I will also do this thing that you have spoken; for you have found grace in My sight, and I know you by name."

Moses then makes another request:

18 And he said, "Please, show me Your glory."

19 Then He said, "I will make all My goodness pass before you, and I will proclaim the name of the LORD before you. I will be gracious to whom I will be gracious, and I will have compassion on whom I will have compassion."

20 But He said, "You cannot see My face; for no man shall see Me, and live."

21 And the LORD said, "Here is a place by Me, and you shall stand on the rock.

22 So it shall be, while My glory passes by, that I will put you in the cleft of the rock, and will cover you with My hand while I pass by.

23 Then I will take away My hand, and you shall see My back; but My face shall not be seen."

What can we learn from this passage?

The expressions of God's glory:

#1, "I will make all My goodness pass before you" : God's glory among us brings expressions and manifestations of His goodness. The goodness of God leads us to repentance.



#2, *"I will proclaim the name of the LORD before you"* : God's glory among us brings a revelation of who He is.

#3, *"I will be gracious to whom I will be gracious, and I will have compassion on whom I will have compassion"* : God's glory among us brings a sovereign demonstration of His grace and compassion on His people. God sovereignly meets our needs, releases miracles, turns situations around, as He moves amongst us.

Two other important facts we see when God reveals His glory:

While my glory passes by:

#1, He EXPOSES us to only the level of glory we can handle, and PROTECTS us from being completely destroyed.

#2, There are some things He REVEALS and some things He CONCEALS. We will not be able to fully understand or explain everything that God does or reveals during a time of revival.

These are the things we can expect during a revival, a season of God's visitation where a measure of the glory of God is released among His people. And we can cry out for more of His glory to be released upon us.

Praying for Revival

Here are some Scriptures we can use to pray and ask God for revival, for His glory to be released in an increasing measure among us, His people:

Psalms 132:13-18

Isaiah 60:1-3

Isaiah 62:1-7

Isaiah 64:1-4

Hosea 6:1-3

Hosea 10:12

Zechariah 10:1

Every genuine cry for revival is really a cry for God's glory to be revealed, a desperation for the glory of God to be seen upon His people. And this is the very same thing God desires, for His glory to be seen upon His people.

Will you raise up a fervent cry for more of Him, more of His Presence and Power, for more of His glory, amongst us?



USEFUL RESOURCES



Watch our online Sunday Church service live stream every Sunday at 10:30am (Indian Time, GMT+5:30). Spirit filled, anointed worship, Word and ministry for healing, miracles, and deliverance.

YOUTUBE: <https://youtube.com/allpeopleschurchbangalore>

WEBSITE: <https://apcwo.org/live>

Our other websites and free resources:

CHURCH: <https://apcwo.org>

FREE SERMONS: <https://apcwo.org/resources/sermons>

FREE BOOKS: <https://apcwo.org/books/english>

DAILY DEVOTIONALS: <https://apcwo.org/resources/daily-devotional>

JESUS CHRIST: <https://examiningjesus.com>

BIBLE COLLEGE: <https://apcbiblecollege.org>

E-LEARNING: <https://apcbiblecollege.org/elearn>

WEEKEND SCHOOLS: <https://apcwo.org/ministries/weekend-schools>

COUNSELING: <https://chrysalislife.org>

MUSIC: <https://apcmusic.org>

MINISTERS FELLOWSHIP: <https://pamfi.org>

CHURCH APP: <https://apcwo.org/app>

CHURCHES: <https://apcwo.org/ministries/churches>

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