Prayers That Resonate With God: Show Me Your Glory

Scripture

- **Exodus 33:12-13, 15-16**

  12 Then Moses said to the Lord, “See, You say to me, ‘Bring up this people,’ But You Yourself have not let me know whom You will send with me. Moreover, You have said, ‘I have known you by name, and you have also found favor in My sight.’ 13 Now therefore, I pray You, if I have found favor in Your sight, let me know Your ways that I may know You, so that I may find favor in Your sight. Consider too, that this nation is Your people.”

  15 Then he said to Him, “If Your presence does not go with us, do not lead us up from here. For how then can it be known that I have found favor in Your sight, I and Your people?

  16 Is it not by Your going with us, so that we, I and Your people, may be distinguished from all the other people who are upon the face of the earth?”

18 Then Moses said, “I pray You, show me Your glory.”

Other Scriptures

- I Kings 3:5-14
- John 16:24
- Genesis 32:26
- Numbers 12:6-8
- Ex. 33:11
- Mark 9:24
- Romans 8:39-40

Main Points

- Prayer changes what we experience.
- Much of the spiritual atmosphere that you walk in is determined by your prayer life.
- Moses is the prayer of this famous prayer.
  - Leader chosen by God for Israel to lead them out of Egypt.
  - Moses and Elijah are the two primary figures in the Hebrew Bible.
  - God spoke to Moses face to face, like a friend.
  - God called him the most humble man on earth.
- Moses knew that God knew him by name. Jesus knows you intimately.
- David said He knew us in the womb.
- God loves you, knows you by name, and has a specific destiny for your life!
- Moses realized his favor with God, yet he asked for reassurance of it.
- God’s favor is on your life!
Moses’ humility directed his prayer to ask God to go before Him.
We need to allow God to go before us every day. We depend on Him for all things.

Discussion Questions

1. Think about the truth that prayer changes your experience in the spirit. What does this mean? Are there some specific areas that you would want God to change in your spiritual experience with God? Would this include more intimacy with God, as a friend and Father? Talk to Him about this now.

2. Do you sense a spiritual urgency and faith to lay hold of what He has to give you? Spend some time exploring your current life path. Is God in front of you leading? Have you invited Him to have that place of leadership? Acknowledge that you want His ways to be your ways…lay your will at His feet and ask Him to lead you by His Word and His spirit. Write about some areas in which you will see change if this is so.

3. Could you use some reaffirmation of His favor? Ask Him to show you His glory. Surrender your life today to His purposes and leading, for His glory.