
APRIL 21/22, 2018
Pursuing Presence
Exodus 33:7-17, p. 79
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EFCC Open Wi-Fi Password: **John3:16**

Our _____ is
encountering God's _____.

IN GOD'S PRESENCE:

- We gain _____ of God's _____.
- We acquire _____ in God's _____.
- We are _____ into God's _____.

Our enjoyment of God's presence is His original
_____ and our eternal _____;
but today it must be a _____.

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DISCUSSION QUESTIONS FOR
SERMON-BASED SMALL GROUPS

*Personal preparation for your group time: Read the passage, review your outline,
and think through the questions.*

CONNECTING

1. What comes to mind when you think about the presence of God?

GROWING

2. TENT OF MEETING. Read through Exodus 33:7-11 and notice all you can about God's presence from this account.
 - What is unique about God's presence?
 - How does Moses experience God's Presence?
 - How does everyone know that it is God's presence?
 - What strikes you from this section?
3. CONVERSATION WITH GOD. Read through Exodus 33:12-16 and notice all you can about God's presence from this account.
 - What is unique about God's presence now?
 - How does Moses experience God's Presence?
 - What strikes you from this section?
4. ENCOUNTER WITH GOD'S GLORY.
 - What is unique about God's presence now?
 - How does Moses experience God's Presence?
 - What strikes you from this section?

SHARING

5. What is one way your group can pray for you as you try to apply this message this week?

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(For Scripture references and fill-in the blanks)

Our **deepest longing** is encountering God's **fullest presence**.

IN GOD'S PRESENCE:

- We gain **awareness** of God's **affection**.
- We acquire **confidence** in God's **authority**.
- We are **transformed** into God's **people**.

Our enjoyment of God's presence is His original **design** and our eternal **destiny**;
but today it must be a **decision**.