

PRAYER: Start by praying to God for help on your transformation.

SCRIPTURE:

"All of us, then, reflect the glory of the Lord with uncovered faces; and that same glory, coming from the Lord, who is the Spirit, transforms us into his likeness in an ever greater degree of glory."

2 Corinthians 3:18 GNT

EXPLANATION:

Just as Moses used a veil to cover the glory shining on his face (Exodus 34:33), so he used types and shadows to cover the glory of the Lord. Christians can now see Christ's glory with the veil of types and shadows taken away. In reading Moses' law, the veil of types and shadows still covered Christ for the Jews. Their hardened hearts refused to see Christ. However, they could see him in the New Testament (e.g. 2 Corinthians 3:13-14).

Those rejecting Christ still fail to see him in the Old Testament. They overlook the purpose of that covenant (e.g. Galatians 3:24). However, those who sincerely strove to see God's will found the veil removed. Earlier (verses 6-7) Moses was used to stand for the letter. In the same way Christ stands for the Spirit. In Him is freedom (e.g. 2 Corinthians 3:15-17).

One of the greatest freedoms enjoyed by those in the New Covenant is seeing Christ clearly. Christians see His glory reflected in the New Covenant and their faces are made to shine with His glory as Moses' face shone (e.g. 2 Corinthians 3:18).

MEDITATE:

Meditate on these questions: Are you reflecting Christ? Can others see the glory of God in you? Are you proud that you can reflect God? Are you taking the privilege of reflecting Him seriously?

PRAYER: Finish with a prayer asking God for wisdom to surrender all to Him.