God Made Man in His Own Image

Exodus 33:7–34:9, Colossians 3: 9-15

Trinity Bible Church - Adult Sunday School Class "God Is, and He Has Spoken" – Lesson 4
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Introduction

- The purpose of this study
 - \diamond To better know the person of our God \rightarrow The Lord revealed to Moses (Ex. 33-34)
 - \diamond To better know the works of our God \rightarrow The creation of the new man (Col. 3)

Outline

- ♦ The new man: God's creation
- ♦ God's proclamation of His name and character
- ♦ The new man: Renewed in the image of Christ

The New Man

- ♦ Who is the new man?
 - ♦ He is no longer the old man
 - ♦ He is a new creation of Christ (2 Cor. 5:17)
- Can the new man live like the old man?

- ♦ How is the new man to live?
 - ♦ He is to be conformed to the image of Christ (Eph. 4:24, Col. 3:10)
 - We are to live holy and righteously
- What does it mean to be renewed in knowledge in the image of Christ?

Show Me Your Ways

♦ Exodus 33-34: God's character revealed

- ♦ The reason for Moses' intercession
 - ♦ The Rebellion and sin of Israel (Ex. 32)
 - ♦ The Rejection of Israel by God (Ex. 33: 2-3)
- ♦ The 1st appeal of Moses (Ex. 33: 12-13)
 - Based on the words of the Lord
 - Request is for the Lord to reveal himself
- ♦ The Lord's 1st response (Vs. 14)
 - ♦ The Lord gives a personal response

Show Me Your Ways

- ♦ Moses' 2nd request (Vs. 15-16)
 - His prayer is for himself and the Nation
 - He requests for the Lord to show His favor and to make them separate
- ♦ The Lord's 2nd response (Vs. 17)
 - ♦ The Lord graciously answers his prayer
- Moses' 3rd request: "Show me your glory"
- \diamond The Lord's 3rd response (Vs. 19 23)
 - He will reveal His goodness and the meaning of His name
 - These things are the result of God's sovereign will

The Lord's Name Proclaimed

- ♦ The Lord proclaimed to Moses (34: 5-7)
 - ♦ The Lord's name proclaimed (Vs. 6)
 - A God who is merciful and gracious
 - A God who is slow to anger
 - A God who loves and is faithful to His people
 - A God who forgives sin, transgressions, and iniquity
 - A God who is just
- Moses Responds: He bows his head to the ground and worships