



Study questions Oct 13th '19

1. What challenges you most about continuing to be a committed follower of Jesus? What would you say are the key elements of having a faith that lasts the distance?

2. Ezekiel begins with one of the most incredible revelations of the glory of God in the Old Testament. You cannot walk away from this chapter without a sense of awe and wonder at the majesty and mystery of the Almighty.

Read Ezekiel chapter 1.

i) Where was Ezekiel when he wrote this book? (v1-3) (Check out a study Bible, timeline & map to discover the context of this book.)

ii) What came out of the whirlwind?

iii) What was the appearance of the one on the throne? (v26, 28)

iv) What did Ezekiel do when he saw the appearance of the one on the throne? (v28) What particularly strikes you about this vision?

3. Compare these passages with what we've read in Ezekiel 1 ... Genesis 17:1-8; Daniel 10:4-11; Matthew 17:1-7; Acts 9:1-6; Rev 1:10-18. What things do you see that these extraordinary experiences have in common? What confidence can we draw from this?

4. First and foremost we're called to be worshippers of God. Read David's prayer in Psalm 51:7-11 & God's promise in Ezekiel 36:24-27.

What is God's part & our part in having hearts that are right before God?

As a practical way of seeking to start each day more aware of the wonder of who God is, take time individually to write a short prayer of worship that you could pray each day this coming week.

If you're happy to do so, share them together.