
Experiencing God

"God Working Through You"

John 14:21, Ephesians 2:10

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Introduction: We have spent the past six weeks focused on developing an experiential relationship with God.

1. That kind of relationship is rooted in seven realities.
 - God is always at work, all around us.
 - God pursues a continuing love relationship with us.
 - God invites us to join Him in His work.
 - God reveals what He wants to do through us.
 - God's revelation leads to a crisis of belief.
 - To join God in His work requires major adjustments.
2. This morning, we conclude our study by focusing on the seventh reality: You come to know God experientially as you obey and He begins working through you.
3. This is not the end of a process; it's the beginning of a rest of life experience.
 - Realities 1-4 prepare us.
 - Realities 5-6 are a turning point.
 - Reality 7 our abstract theological knowledge becomes concrete personal experience.

I. A Scriptural Foundation

A. We Are God's Handiwork

B. We Were Made To Do Good Works

C. This Is God's Plan

II. How It Works In Real Life

A. There Is A Difference Between Knowing About God And Knowing God

B. The Key To An Experiential, Intimate Relationship With God Is Obedience

C. Case Studies: Moses, Peter

Conclusion:

1. When we experience God, an ongoing cycle begins.
 - Every experience leads to growth.
 - That growth prepares us for the next, larger experience.
 - This continues for the rest of our lives.
2. Is that the kind of Christianity you have?
3. Is it the kind you want?
4. It's definitely the kind God wants for you.
5. That's why He gave us this path.
6. Will you take it?