



SHINING TO THE GLORY OF GOD™

Discussion Notes

Part 1. Why are We Here?

Quotes:

“Man’s chief end is to glorify God, and to enjoy him forever.” - Westminster Shorter Catechism of 1647

“All that is ever spoken of in the Scripture as an ultimate end of God’s works is included in that one phrase, the glory of God.” - Jonathan Edwards (1703-1758)

Verses:

- *Isaiah 43:6b-7* “Bring my sons from afar and my daughters from the end of the earth, everyone who is called by My name, and whom I have created for My glory, whom I have formed, even whom I have made.”
- *Romans 11:36* “For from him and through him and to him are all things. To him be glory forever.”
- *1 Corinthians 10:31b* “whatever you do, do it all for the glory of God.”
- *Revelation 4:11* “Worthy are you, our Lord and God, to receive glory and honor and power, for you created all things, and by your will they existed and were created.”

Prayer:

“God, thank you for creating me for your glory! Please help me to understand this more so that I can live up to my life’s great purpose.”

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