



## I Want to See You # 9

Hello everybody. Welcome to “Notes from the Presence.” Today is the final article of “I Want To See You,” a series of short articles on the seeing realm and the secret place. Today we will end with an encouragement and some scripture.

The first thing I would like to say is that this has been the story of my own journey. It happened to me because of my love for the Lord, my passion for worship, my tenacity to believe for what seemed impossible, and my desperation to go places in Him that I had not been before. It has been my desire in this series to ignite that same passion and desperation in others, not to boast or brag about any experiences that I have personally had. I have never been into show-boating, in fact it turns me off like no other thing on the face of this planet.

I am also very aware that sharing this kind of material tends to polarize people into two camps. There are those with whom it resonates, and these are highly encouraged. Then there are others who it does quite the opposite to - it actually brings out varying degrees of negative reaction. I have experienced both of these reactions in my journey. For that reason, if I were not convinced that the same was available to every follower of Christ, there is no way I would have shared these experiences, they would have stayed mine alone forever. I have always been much more comfortable with remaining anonymous.

That being said, I believe with all my heart that there is a "secret place" journey waiting for you; however, it won't be the same as mine. It will be uniquely you. Cry out, let desperation run wild, and listen for the knocking at the door. I promise you, what Jesus has led me into He will also do for you. He is no respecter of persons. Today, I will leave you with a few more of my favorite "seeing" Scripture verses. I pray that the eyes of your heart would be opened to realms you never dreamed possible. Here is to the discovery of the kingdom of God within you!

The hearing ear and the seeing eye, the Lord has made both of them. (Proverbs 20:12)

In the year of King Uzziah's death I saw the Lord sitting on a throne, lofty and exalted, with the train of His robe filling the temple. (Isaiah 6:1)

I will stand on my guard post and stationed myself on the rampart; and I will keep watch to see what He will speak to me (Habakkuk 2:1)

“To you it has been granted to know the mysteries of the kingdom of heaven, but to them it has not been granted. For whoever has, to him more shall be given, and he will have an abundance; but whoever does not have, even what he has shall be taken away from him. Therefore I speak to them in parables; because while seeing they do not see, and while hearing they do not hear, nor do they understand. In their case the prophecy of Isaiah is being fulfilled, which says, ‘you will keep on hearing, but will not understand; you will keep on seeing, but will not perceive; for the heart of this people has become dull, with very ears they scarcely hear, and they have closed their eyes, otherwise they would see with their eyes, hear with their ears, and understand with their heart and return, and I would heal them.’ But blessed are your eyes, because they see; and your ears, because they hear. For truly I say to you that many prophets and righteous men desired to see what you see, and did not see it, and to hear what you hear, and did not hear it.” (Matthew 13:11–16)

Truly, truly, I say to you, you will see the heavens opened and the angels of God ascending and descending upon the Son of Man. (John 1:51)

Truly, truly, I say to you, unless one is born again he cannot see the kingdom of God. (John 3:3)

Now the Lord is the Spirit, and where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is liberty. But we all, with unveiled face, beholding as in a mirror the glory of the Lord, are being transformed into the same image from glory to glory, just as from the Lord the Spirit. (1 Corinthians 3:17–18)

I know a man in Christ who fourteen years ago – whether in the body I do not know, or out of the body I do not know, God knows – such a man was caught up to the third heaven. And I know how such a man – whether in the body or apart from body I do not know, God knows – was caught up into Paradise and heard inexpressible words, which the man is not permitted to speak. (2 Corinthians 12:2-4)

Blessed are the pure in heart, for they shall see God. (Matthew 5:8)

Then Moses said, "I pray You, show me Your glory!" And He said, "I myself will make all My goodness pass before you, and will proclaim the name of the Lord before you; and I will be gracious to whom I will be gracious, and will show compassion on whom I will show compassion." (Exodus 33:18-19)

Thanks for reading. Jesus is real - and He is EVER PRESENT!