Luke Part 2, Chapter 9 "Let these words sink into your ears..."—Jesus Luke 9:44

The Transfiguration Jesus in His glory Moses and Elijah with Him Speaking of His departure Soon, in Jerusalem

Moses and Elijah

Cease to exist?

Living men

Appearing in glory

Death simply exodus from here

Not cessation of existence

Witnessed by Peter, James, and John

Saw His glory

Connects to 9:27

Not dead

Seeing the kingdom of God Jesus in His glory

Kingdom of God

Broad sense

Everything that is

Sovereign God

Rules over universe

Ps. 103:9; Dan. 4:3; Rom. 13:1

Kingdom of God

Narrow sense

God's rule over our hearts

We become part of K of God

Jn. 18:36; Mt. 4:17; Jer. 3:5-7; 1

Cor. 6:9

Kingdom of God

Another sense

Literal rule of Christ

During Millenium

Dan. 2:44; 7:13-14; Oba. 1:21;

Hab. 2:14; Mic. 4:2; Zach. 14:19

Kingdom of God Church becomes part of K of God Jesus rules in His glory As seen in Transfiguration Preview of when Lord sets up His Kingdom

Transfiguration

Prayer changes one's countenance Glory vs ashamed [26]

Glory x 3—triple splendor

Glory >>> shame endured for Him

Transfiguration

Peter – tabernacles

Live with Jesus' glory forever

Jesus would avoid future cross

So would Peter

Mistake Jesus equal with Moses, Elijah

Transfiguration

Disciples hear God testify

My Son, Chosen One,

Listen to Him!

More than Law, Prophets

- Transfiguration
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 - Reported to no one
 - In those days
 - What they had seen

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Luke 9:44-50

Jesus told disciples again what would happen to Him

Concealed from them

Lord or self?

Afraid

Focus on earthly kingdom

Mission and outcome unchanged

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Greatest among them Jesus understood their motives Receive (learn from) this child Humility is path to greatness Jesus/child not concerned about status; similar in nature, humble

Luke 9:44-50

Man casting out demons

In Your name

Tried to prevent

Not following along with us

Jesus—do not hinder

Not against you, for you

Issue? Pride. Only us.

Days approaching for His ascension Leaving earth

Returning to heaven with Father Determined to go to Jerusalem Compare [22; 29-31]

Days approaching for His ascension Determined to go to Jerusalem Isa. 50:7 Set His face like flint Samaritans did not receive Him He was traveling toward Jerusalem Racially driven, prejudiced

Luke 9:51-62 Samaritans did not receive Him James, John angry Want vengeance Jesus, come not to destroy But to save

Three potential disciples

First volunteers after long delay?

Did not wait for the call

Do you know the price?

Investigated this life?

Three potential disciples Second responded to His call Permit me...first Spiritually dead bury own physically dead

Preach gospel—dead cannot

Three potential disciples

Third volunteers after short delay

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As farmer plowing a field

With all his strength

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Plowmen may not be learned

Their virtue? Quietly holding to it *Morrison, George H.* "Press on"

Jesus lived this

Steadfastly set His face to go to Jerusalem