The Majesty and Glory of God

Psalm 96:1-10; Isaiah 40

The glory and majesty of God is declared in the physical universe. (Psalm 19:1-4)

Five Measurements:

- 1. God is measured against the size of the physical universe. (Isaiah 40:12)
- 2. God is measured against the greatest civilizations of history. (Isaiah 40:15-17)
- 3. God is measured against the earth itself. (Isaiah 40:22)
- 4. God is compared to all the great world leaders of all time. (Isaiah 40:23-25)
- 5. God is compared to the stars of the heavens. (Isaiah 40:26)

The glory and majesty of God is seen personally in Christ. (2 Corinthians 4:6)

What will a look into Jesus' face uncover?

- 1. Jesus is God incarnate. (John 1:1, 14)
- 2. Jesus is the perfect likeness of God. (Colossians 1:15)
- 3. Jesus is the full expression of God. (Colossians 1:19)

Conclusion: The glory and majesty of God calls for four responses

- 1. Step back in awe and wonder.
- 2. Step up above a life of mediocrity.
- 3. Step down to the level of Jesus' humility.
- 4. <u>Step forward</u> to serve our great God.