

SERMON NOTES We Are A People - The Presence of God Pt.2 Ben Wickel // 10-15-23

6 Truths Every Disciple Should Know about Experiencing God's Presence.

#1- Our Faith Revolves Around a Person (Not Creeds or Causes) (Revelation 2:2, 2:4)

#2- God's Presence is Revealed in Varying Degrees (1 Kings 8:27; Ps 193:7-8)

#3- God's Presence is Better than His Presents (Exodus 33:15-16)

#4-Greater Encounters of His Presence fuels Greater Consecration (Exodus 33:7-11; Galatians 3:1-5)

#5- There are certain Attitudes and Activities that attract and stir God's presence within Us (John 1:29-32; Psalm

22:3, 1-2, 22-23)

#6- It is Possible to Feel the "touch" of His Presence

Constructive Emotions	Deconstructive Emotions
 Peace Love Joy Acceptance Pleasure Faith Hope Courage Comfort 	 Conviction Caution/Warning Grieving Zealous/Righteous Anger

Declarations

Psalms 5:12 For you bless the righteous, O LORD; you cover him with favor (delight) as with a shield.

- I Believe wholeheartedly in your favor and delight for me.
- I surrender completely to your favor and delight over me.
- I *Receive abundantly* your favor and delight in me.
- I Delight fully in your favor and delight of me.
- I Trust without reservation in our favor and delight in me.
- I Rest securely in your favor and delight.
- I *Rejoice exceedingly* in your favor and delight of me.