

FROM THE MOUNTAIN TO THE VALLEY

Jesus is Glorified (Luke 9:29)

“Moses and Elijah were the King's servants, but Jesus was the King's Son. Moses and Elijah were planets, but Jesus is the sun. They were witness, but He is the truth.” — J.C. Ryle

Discussing Departure (Luke 9:30-31)

Departure = Exodus

Let's Stay Here (Luke 9:32-36)

“This is my Son, whom I have chosen; listen to him.” Luke 9:35

Down in the Valley (Luke 9:37-43a)

“Those who have found God in the cross of Jesus Christ know how wonderfully God hides himself in this world and how he is closest precisely when we believe him to be most distant.” — Dietrich Bonhoeffer
God is on the Cross

Discussion Questions:

- 1) Describe a time when you had a mountain top experience followed by a return to reality.
- 2) What valley-like situation in your life do you need God to meet you in?
- 3) What helps you remember the mountaintop-like experiences you've had in God's presence so that when valley life happens you can endure more easily?

