

3 Mountains to climb



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(Num 14:24) But my servant Caleb,
because he has a different spirit and has
followed me fully, I will bring into the land
into which he went, and his descendants
shall possess it.

(Col 3:1) If then you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God.

(Col 3:2) Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth.

(Col 3:3) For you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God.

(Col 3:4) When Christ who is your life appears, then you also will appear with him in glory.



Everyone can experience the joy of
sunbeams, yet true satisfaction is running
up the hill to meet the Sun, its source.

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God, our provider

(Gen 12:2) And I will make of you a great nation, and I will bless you and make your name great, so that you will be a blessing.

(Gen 13:2) Now Abram was very rich in livestock, in silver, and in gold.



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(Pro 13:22) A good man leaves an inheritance to his children's children, but the sinner's wealth is laid up for the righteous.

(Luk 12:15) And he said to them, “Take care, and be on your guard against all covetousness, for one's life does not consist in the abundance of his possessions.”

(Luk 12:16) And he told them a parable, saying, “The land of a rich man produced plentifully,

(Luk 12:17) and he thought to himself, ‘What shall I do, for I have nowhere to store my crops?’

(Luk 12:18) And he said, 'I will do this: I will tear down my barns and build larger ones, and there I will store all my grain and my goods.

(Luk 12:19) And I will say to my soul, "Soul, you have ample goods laid up for many years; relax, eat, drink, be merry."

(Luk 12:20) But God said to him, 'Fool! This night your soul is required of you, and the things you have prepared, whose will they be?'

(Luk 12:21) So is the one who lays up treasure for himself and is not rich toward God."

(Mat 6:24) “No one can serve two masters, for either he will hate the one and love the other, or he will be devoted to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve God and money.

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1) Run past provision to the Provider

Community comes from God

(Joh 13:34) A new commandment I give to you, that you love one another: just as I have loved you, you also are to love one another.

(Joh 13:35) By this all people will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another.”

Community comes from God

(1Jn 4:20) If anyone says, “I love God,” and hates his brother, he is a liar; for he who does not love his brother whom he has seen cannot love God whom he has not seen.

(1Jn 4:21) And this commandment we have from him: whoever loves God must also love his brother.



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(Mat 16:18) And I tell you, you are Peter,
and on this rock I will build my church, and
the gates of hell shall not prevail against it.

Community comes from God

(Gal 1:10) For am I now seeking the approval of man, or of God? Or am I trying to please man? If I were still trying to please man, I would not be a servant of Christ.

(Rev 21:4) He will wipe away every tear from their eyes, and death shall be no more, neither shall there be mourning, nor crying, nor pain anymore, for the former things have passed away.”

(Rev 21:5) And he who was seated on the throne said, “Behold, I am making all things new.” Also he said, “Write this down, for these words are trustworthy and true.”

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- 2) When we Love our perfect God 1st, He enables us to also our love broken communities**

God blessed you with gifts

(1Pe 4:10) As each has received a gift, use it to serve one another, as good stewards of God's varied grace:

(1Pe 4:11) whoever speaks, as one who speaks oracles of God; whoever serves, as one who serves by the strength that God supplies—in order that in everything God may be glorified through Jesus Christ. To him belong glory and dominion forever and ever. Amen.

God blessed you with gifts

(Eph 4:11) And he gave the apostles, the prophets, the evangelists, the shepherds and teachers,

(Eph 4:12) to equip the saints for the work of ministry, for building up the body of Christ,



God blessed you with gifts

(Col 3:23) Whatever you do, work heartily,
as for the Lord and not for men,

(Jdg 16:20) And she said, “The Philistines are upon you, Samson!” And he awoke from his sleep and said, “I will go out as at other times and shake myself free.” But he did not know that the LORD had left him.

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- 2) When we Love our perfect God 1st, He enables us to also our love broken communities**
- 3) When we bring our service to God 1st, He fills us, that we may serve mankind with a God-given “wholeness”**



God came to the Valley to reach you

(Rom 5:8) but God shows his love for us in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us.

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(Rom 8:3) For God has done what the law, weakened by the flesh, could not do. By sending his own Son in the likeness of sinful flesh and for sin, he condemned sin in the flesh,