

Safety in the Sanctuary

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Deut 34: 10

Since that time no prophet has risen in Israel like Moses, whom the LORD **knew face to face**,

Journey of Moses

Ex 3: 12

And He said, "**Certainly I will be with you**, and this shall be the sign to you that it is I who have sent you: when you have brought the people out of Egypt, you shall worship God at this mountain."

Journey of Moses

Ex 25: 8,9

8 "Let them construct a **sanctuary** for Me, that I may dwell among them. 9 "According to all that I am going to show you, *as* the pattern of the tabernacle and the pattern of all its furniture, just so you shall construct *it*.

- a *consecrated* place,
- *sanctuary*,
- holy place.

Journey of Moses

Ex 33: 3

"Go up to a land flowing with milk and honey; for I **will not go up in your midst**, because you are an obstinate people, and I might destroy you on the way."

Journey of Moses

Ex 40: 34-38

34 Then the cloud covered the tent of meeting, and the glory of the LORD filled the tabernacle. 35 Moses was not able to enter the tent of meeting because the cloud had settled on it, and the glory of the LORD filled the tabernacle. 36 Throughout all their journeys whenever the cloud was taken up from over the tabernacle, the sons of Israel would set out; 37 but if the cloud was not taken up, then they did not set out until the day when it was taken up.

Journey of Moses

Ex 40: 34-38

38 For throughout all their journeys, the cloud of the LORD was on the tabernacle by day, and there was fire in it by night, in the sight of all the house of Israel.

1. Passion for His presence

Ex 33: 15-16

15 Then he said to Him, "If Your presence does not go *with us*, do not lead us up from here. 16 "For how then can it be known that I have found favor in Your sight, I and Your people? Is it not by Your going with us, so that we, I and Your people, may be distinguished from all the *other* people who are upon the face of the earth?"

Result of God's Presence

Ex 3: 4-5

4 When the LORD saw that he turned aside to look, God called to him from the midst of the bush and said, "Moses, Moses!" And he said, "Here I am." 5 Then He said, "Do not come near here; remove your sandals from your feet, for the place on which you are standing is holy ground."

Result of God's Presence

Rev 7: 11

And all the angels were standing round the throne and round the elders [of the heavenly Sanhedrin] and the four living creatures, and they **fell prostrate** before the throne and worshiped God.

Result of God's Presence

Jer 5: 22

Should you not fear me?" declares the LORD. "Should you not tremble in my presence? I made the sand a boundary for the sea, an everlasting barrier it cannot cross. The waves may roll, but they cannot prevail; they may roar, but they cannot cross it.

Result of God's Presence

Hag 1: 12

Then Zerubbabel the son of Shealtiel, and Joshua the son of Jehozadak, the high priest, with all the remnant of the people, obeyed the voice of the LORD their God, and the words of Haggai the prophet, as the LORD their God had sent him; and the people feared the presence of the LORD.

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Ex 33: 18

18 And he said, "Please, show me Your glory." 19 Then He said, "I will make all My goodness pass before you, and I will proclaim the name of the LORD before you. I will be gracious to whom I will be gracious, and I will have compassion on whom I will have compassion." 20 But He said, "You cannot see My face; for no man shall see Me, and live."

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Ex 33: 18

21 And the LORD said, "Here is a place by Me, and you shall stand on the rock. 22 So it shall be, while My glory passes by, **that I will put you in the cleft of the rock, and will cover you with My hand while I pass by.** 23 Then I will take away My hand, and you shall see My back; but My face shall not be seen."

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Ps 36: 7

How precious is Your steadfast love, O God! The children of men take refuge and put their trust under the shadow of Your wings.

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Ps 91: 1

HE WHO dwells in the secret place of the Most High shall remain stable and fixed under the shadow of the Almighty [Whose power no foe can withstand].

1 Kings 19:11-13

11 So He said, "Go forth and stand on the mountain before the LORD." And behold, the LORD was passing by! And a great and strong wind was rending the mountains and breaking in pieces the rocks before the LORD; *but* the LORD *was* not in the wind. And after the wind an earthquake, *but* the LORD *was* not in the earthquake. 12 After the earthquake a fire, *but* the LORD *was* not in the fire; and after the fire a sound of a gentle blowing.

1 Kings 19:11-13

13 When Elijah heard *it*, he wrapped his face in his mantle and went out and stood in the entrance of the cave. And behold, a voice *came* to him and said, "What are you doing here, Elijah?"

Ps 16: 11

You will show me the path of life; in Your presence is fullness of joy, at Your right hand there are pleasures forevermore.