



**Bible study for the week starting February 27, 2022**  
**Transfiguration: How Soon We Forget!**

**SHARE**

1. Not to be too presumptuous, but it looks like we're at the tail end of Covid being a pandemic (yes, even in California). You just gave 2 years of your life to this you'll never get back. What did you learn? How did you grow? What will you take away from this 2 years? (If the answer is "nothing/I didn't/nothing," then you just wasted 2 years!)

**READ/STUDY/DISCUSS**

2. Read Matthew 17:1-9 (parallel passages are Mark 9:2-13 and Luke 9:28-36). Put yourself in the sandals of Peter, James and John, and feel free to include the context of what happens before and after. How would you have processed this event, and what would have been the most impactful for you?
3. In Deuteronomy 34:1-12, we hear about the stature of Moses, who "knew God face to face." What is that referencing? Hebrews 11 – the "heroes of the faith" chapter – talks about all these Godly people who died without seeing the fulfillment of the promises of God they trusted and/or the fruits of their labor. How was that true for Moses, and what do we see here as Moses is present on the Mount of Transfiguration?
4. Hebrews 3:1-6 speaks of Jesus as worthy of more glory than Moses. What's the significance of saying this to an audience of Hebrew lineage people?
5. The transfiguration was a turning point in Jesus' ministry, as He went down the mountain and opposition mounted and eventually crescendoed. God clearly timed this moment of glory for a specific reason. How have you experienced those moments at just the right time in your own life? Or where else do you see them happening in Scripture?
6. We are about to enter the season of Lent (Ash Wednesday is March 2). What are you planning on adding or subtracting during this season?

**PRAY**

7. Pray for the ways God would use this 40 days of Lent to bring you closer to Him.



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1. God calls us to [CREATIVITY](#)
2. God calls us to [ADAPTABILITY](#)
3. Don't take God's [PROVISION](#) for granted
4. [TRUST](#) is hard to gain and easy to lose
5. [FEAR](#) is a powerful force
6. There continues to be a great impact in [SHOWING UP](#)
7. You were fortunate enough to be born in the time of the greatest technological shift in [COMMUNICATION](#) since the invention of the printing press.

Never let a good [CRISIS](#) go to waste.

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The ways God [TESTED](#) you

What was the purpose?