



TRANSFORMING TRUTH

Trends deceive. Traditions enslave. *God's Truth transforms.*

"Eye-Opening Encounter"

From the Series,
"Encounters"

Isaiah 6:1-8

Preached Sunday 9/07/14

Meadow Baptist Church

1. Convinced That God Is Glorious (1-4)

- a. God's peerless majesty (1) - *"In the year that King Uzziah died I saw the Lord sitting upon a throne, high and lifted up; and the train of His robe filled the temple."* **A temporary, earthly king vs. an eternal, heavenly King**
- b. God's universal supremacy (2- 3) - *"Above Him stood the seraphim. Each had six wings: with two he covered his face, and with two he covered his feet, and with two he flew. 3 And one called to another and said: "Holy, holy, holy is the LORD of hosts; the whole earth is full of His glory!"*
- c. God's overwhelming presence (4) - *"And the foundations of the thresholds shook at the voice of him who called, and the house was filled with smoke."*

"What comes into our minds when we think about God is the most important thing about us." - A.W. Tozer

2. Convinced That God Is Holy (5-7)

- a. Self-awareness arrives (5a) - *"And I said: "Woe is me! For I am lost; for I am a man of unclean lips, and I dwell in the midst of a people of unclean lips..."*
- b. Eternal perspective invades (5b) - *"...for my eyes have seen the King, the LORD of hosts!"*
- c. Gracious forgiveness is granted (6-7) - *"Then one of the seraphim flew to me, having in his hand a burning coal that he had taken with tongs from the altar. 7 And he touched my mouth and said: "Behold, this has touched your lips; your guilt is taken away, and your sin atoned for."*

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3. Convinced That God Is Missional (8)

a. Isaiah's discernment (8a) - "And I heard the voice of the Lord saying..."

Isaiah 30:21 – “And your ears shall hear a word behind you, saying, ‘This is the way, walk in it,’ when you turn to the right or when you turn to the left.”

John 10:27 - “My sheep hear My voice, and I know them, and they follow Me.”

b. God's recruitment (8b) - "Whom shall I send, and who will go for us?"

c. Isaiah's commitment (8c) - "Then I said, Here I am! Send me."