



EXPERIENCING GOD

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## MOMENT BY MOMENT-PT. 4 GOD MOMENTS IN THE UNEXPECTED MOMENTS OF LIFE!

### Introduction:

Most everyone believes there is a God out there but that is where it ends. For so many the God "out there" never shows up, never surprises, never disrupts, never calls us to holiness in our daily lives. The God that we desperately need, is here in this moment. This is our opportunity to have what can only be described as an "unexpected God Moment."

### Scriptures:

1Peter 4:12-13-NLT

Luke 22:31-32-NLT

Exodus 3:1-14-NLT

### Discussion Questions:

1. Many of the people who God used in the Bible had a "God moment." What constitutes such a moment?
2. Moses was in the wilderness. How has God used your "wilderness" to shape your character?
3. God used a burning bush to get the attention of Moses. What are some of the cultural distractions that keep us away from experiencing God's presence?
4. Can you recall a moment where you experienced the manifested presence of God?
5. What are your thoughts on this quote from Irwin McManus?
  - "We have defined holiness through what we separate ourselves from rather than what we give ourselves to. I am convinced the great tragedy is not the sins that we commit, but the life that we fail to live."

### Moving Forward: Places Where We Can Have An Encounter With God

- UNEXPECTED TRIALS!
- UNFORESEEN FAILURES!
- UNCOMFORTABLE CIRCUMSTANCES.

### Changing Your Mind:

When the Lord saw Moses coming to take a closer look, God called to him from the middle of the bush, "Moses! Moses!" "Here I am!" Moses replied. <sup>5</sup>"Do not come any closer," the Lord warned. "Take off your sandals, for you are standing on holy ground (EXODUS 3:4-5, NLT).



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