

## When Pride Dies

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In the year that King Uzziah died, I saw the Lord, high and exalted, seated on a throne; and the train of his robe filled the temple. Above him were seraphim, each with six wings: With two wings they covered their faces, with two they covered their feet, and with two they were flying. And they were calling to one another: "Holy, holy, holy is the LORD Almighty; the whole earth is full of his glory." At the sound of their voices the doorposts and thresholds shook and the temple was filled with smoke. "Woe to me!" I cried. "I am ruined! For I am a man of unclean lips, and I live among a people of unclean lips, and my eyes have seen the King, the LORD Almighty." Then one of the seraphim flew to me with a live coal in his hand, which he had taken with tongs from the altar. With it he touched my mouth and said, "See, this has touched your lips; your guilt is taken away and your sin atoned for." Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying, "Whom shall I send? And who will go for us?" And I said, "Here am I. Send me!"

**Isaiah 6:1-8 (NASB)**

### 1. When Pride Dies, The People See God.

But after Uzziah became powerful, his pride led to his downfall. He was unfaithful to the LORD his God, and entered the temple of the LORD to burn incense on the altar of incense.

**2 Chronicles 26:16 (NIV)**

In his pride the wicked man does not seek him; in all his thoughts there is no room for God.

**Psalms 10:4 (NIV)**

### 2. God's Presence Should Evoke A Holy Reverence.

The fear of the LORD is the beginning of wisdom, And the knowledge of the Holy One is understanding.

**Proverbs 9:10 (NASB)**

Therefore, since we receive a kingdom which cannot be shaken, let us show gratitude, by which we may offer to God an acceptable service with reverence and awe;

**Hebrews 12:28 (NASB)**

### 3. We Must Acknowledge Our Sinfulness.

If we confess our sins, He is faithful and righteous to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

**1 John 1:9 (NASB)**

### 4. We Have Been Justified Through His Mercy.

But when the kindness of God our Savior and His love for mankind appeared, He saved us, not on the basis of deeds which we have done in righteousness, but according to His mercy, by the washing of regeneration and renewing by the Holy Spirit, whom He poured out upon us richly through Jesus Christ our Savior, so that being justified by His grace we would be made heirs according to the hope of eternal life.

**Titus 3:4-7 (NASB)**

### 5. When He Calls We Must Go.

And He summoned the crowd with His disciples, and said to them, "If anyone wishes to come after Me, he must deny himself, and take up his cross and follow Me.

**Mark 8:34 (NASB)**

And He said to them, "Go into all the world and preach the gospel to all creation.

**Mark 16:15 (NASB)**

#### Announcements:

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\* "At The Movies" Summer Sermon Series begins

June 28<sup>th</sup> - Growth Track 1.0 & 2.0

(Learn more about Awaken and how to get connected)

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