



Outline – Wednesday Morning Bible Study, Aug. 08, 2018

Beholding GOD’s Beauty, “To BEHOLD”

Psalm 27:1-14

1. **GOD in Christ His SALVATION** – vs 1-3
 - a. His answer to His troubles...
 - b. A radical faith expression...

2. **GOD in Christ IS His SANCTUARY** – vs 4-5
 - a. His Deepest longing of the soul...
 - b. A bosom bound believer...

3. **GOD in Christ IS His STANDING** – vs 12-14
 - a. His Persevering hope...
 - b. God’s good respond...

4. **“Therefore, GOD’S beauty”** is only in “the Eye of the beholder”
 - a. Particular – John 1:18; 5:37-38/Matt. 11:27
 - b. Selective – Gen. 12:8; 18:1-2, 14, 17/Ex. 32/Amos 3:2/Is. 53:2

5. **The Qualities of HIS beauty** – Ps. 110:3
 - a. Heavenliness or transcendence – Ezek. 1:16-18; 26-28/Rev. 4:3
 - b. Righteousness or moral purity – John 17:25/Rom. 14:17
 - c. Holiness or distinctive of being – Ps. 29:2/Is. 6:2-3/1 Tim. 6:16

6. **The Attractiveness of his beauty** – Ps. 50:2
 - a. It’s designed to adorn – Titus 2:9-12/Ezra 7:27
 - b. It’s designed to attract – Ps. 149:4/Is. 60:13-15
 - c. Summed up in Christ – John 12:31-32/Col. 2:9

7. **The Impact of His beauty** – Ps. 29:1-2
 - a. True Worship is its outcome – Ps. 96:6, 9
 - b. Our conversion leads to beauty – Is. 61:3

8. **The Responsibility to reflect that beauty** – Ps. 90:17
 - a. The Church beautiful for Christ – Ps. 45:11/Rev. 19:7-8
 - b. The Church beautiful through Christ – Titus 2:14/Rev. 21:2, 11/Acts 6:15/Ezek. 16:14/
John 17:21-23