



If God was not jealous for His own glory, he would be guilty of sharing his glory with something or someone that is [lesser](#).

If God shared his glory with someone lesser, he would be unworthy of His glory, which means He would be an [idolator](#) and not God!

SDG - Soli Deo Gloria - [To the Glory of God Alone](#)

For His Glory:

God created us. - Isa. 43:6-7

God called Israel. - Jer. 13:11

God defeated Pharaoh at the Red Sea. - Ex. 14:4

God spared Israel in the wilderness. - Ez. 20:14

God restored Israel from exile. - Isa. 48:9-11

God the Father sent Jesus. - Romans 15:8-9

We are told to do good works. - 1 Peter 2:12

God forgives our sins. - Isa. 43:25

Jesus is coming again. - 2 Thes. 1:9-10

*"The great end of God's works, which is so variously expressed in Scripture, is indeed but one; and this one end is most properly and comprehensively called the Glory of God." - Jonathan Edwards*

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## **Community Group Discussion Questions**

- 1) 13 times in the Gospels Jesus says "Follow Me". Does that offer still stand today? Practically speaking what does it mean to follow Jesus?
- 2) Looking at the 2 most important questions, are these questions you have considered before? Why or why not?
- 3) The WSC says "Man's chief end is to glorify God, and to enjoy him forever." How do we "glorify God"? How do we "enjoy God"? How are these two related?
- 4) How would you describe God's glory to someone?
- 5) Pastor Daniel shared that "God's passion for His glory is the essence of His love to us." How is it loving to us for God to be concerned about His glory?
- 6) Is it possible for God to share His glory with another? Why or why not?
- 7) Honestly speaking, what has motivated you as a follower of Jesus Christ? How would that motivation change if you were focused on Soli Deo Gloria, the Glory of God alone?

As you close take some time in your group to pray in line with Habakkuk 2:14 *"For the earth will be filled with the knowledge of the glory of the Lord as the waters cover the sea."* Pray for one another that we would reflect the glory of God wherever He has placed us. Pray that as a church we would be passionate about God's glory.