

The Riches of Glory

Ephesians 3:13-21*

Question 7 of The Westminster Confession of Faith asks *What is God?*

The Answer reads: *God is a Spirit, in and of himself infinite in being, glory, blessedness, and perfection: all-sufficient, eternal, unchangeable, incomprehensible, every where present, almighty, knowing all things, most wise, most holy, most just, most merciful and gracious, long-suffering, and abundant in goodness and truth.*¹

The glory of God either eludes us completely, or is simply reduced to poster-platitudes for a Facebook generation —leaving us without an accurate biblical understanding of God's glory. The Triune Godhead's glory is the beginning point of understanding and answering life's difficult questions.

God's glory poured out in abundance (3:20-21)

God's glory manifested in this new society (2:12-16)

How we can glorify God (3:13-19) —four ways

1. *By* (13)
2. *Making* (14-17a)
3. *Comprehending* (17b-19a)
4. *Growing up* (19b)

*These notes are prayerfully prepared to aid, not replace, your personal study of God's word.

¹ Westminster Assembly, *The Westminster Confession of Faith: Edinburgh Edition* (Philadelphia: William S. Young, 1851), 169–170.