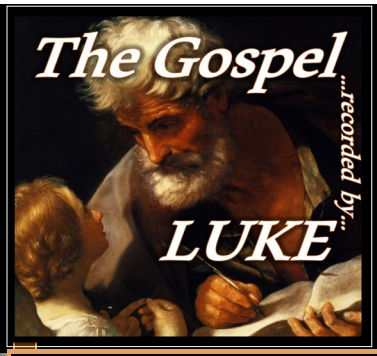

The Gospel according to LUKE

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Scripture : Luke 9:18-36

Topic : Who is this Jesus?

Experiencing a deep & genuine encounter with Jesus through the pages of the Gospel of Luke

The Question: *"Who is this Jesus?"*

Luke 1:1-4 (Acts 1:1-2) Luke has been building a case, to answer this question to Theophilus.

I. What has Luke Established?

Review what we have looked at...

A. **Miraculous Birth:**

- *Angels; miraculous conceptions (Lk.26-35)*
- *Prophecies fulfilled*
- *Confirmation & Genealogies*

B. **Galilean Ministry:** (Lk.4-9)

Again the question: Lk.9:7-9,18

- *Herod Antipas (fear it was John the Baptist)*
- *A debate was going on: Elisha; one of the prophets; the Messiah*
- **Peter:** ***"The Christ of God"*** *vs. 20* (Christ)

II. The Transfiguration:

A. **The Setting:** Went to the mountain– to pray
Disciples fell asleep *(only Luke tells us this)*

B. **Jesus Transformed:** Lk.9:29

- **Face–** Matt.17:2 *His face shown like the Sun*
- **Clothes–** bright as flashing lightning
  Mk.9:3" whiter than anyone ...could bleach them."

C. **Two Men:** Moses (Law); Elijah (Prophets)

Unique to Luke { ***Luke 9:31*** *"They spoke about* ***his departure****, which he was about to bring to* ***fulfillment at Jerusalem****."*

Refers back to:

Luke 9:22 *"The Son of Man must suffer many things and be rejected by the elders, chief priests and teachers of the law, and* ***he must be killed*** *and* ***on the third day be raised to life."*** *NIV*

D. **The Father:** ***"This is my son, whom I have chosen. Listen to Him."*** *(vs. 35; Matt.17:5 , Mk.9:7 "...whom I love"; Matt.17:5 "with Him I am well pleased")*

Baptism: Matt 3:17 (Mk.1:11, Lk.3:22)

* ***1 Pet.1:17-18*** Peter's confession...

Luke's Question:

"Who is this Jesus?"

Who do <u>you</u> say that I am?

John 1:14 *"We have seen his* ***glory****, the* ***glory*** *of the One and Only, who came from the Father, full of grace and truth."*

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