IT'S STILL A MYSTERY



....The glory of this mystery, which is Christ in you, the hope of glory.

Colossians 1:27

Christ in you.

Alive in you.

Flooding you with the life of the coming glory.

Who can fathom it?

But the fact that it's a mystery doesn't make it any less true.

The person who puts himself/herself under the authority of Jesus' words is invaded by the Source of those words.

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When we are indwelt by the Messiah...

We are breathing the atmosphere of the world to come.

We are energized by the life of the world to come.

We are under the authority of the world to come.

We speak as citizens of the world to come.

And yet.....

.....we remain ordinary, down-to-earth human beings.

The supernatural is wrapped in the natural.

The heavenly treasure is contained in an earthen vessel.

No flash.

No glitter.

Just matter-of-fact living.



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Is not this the carpenter's son? Is not his mother called Mary? And are not his brothers James and Joseph and Simon and Judas? And are not all his sisters with us? Where then did this man get all this?" And they took offense at him. (Matthew 13:55-57)

Prayer- Kind Lord... what a gift... what glory... <u>You</u> in us...alive in us. Thank you, thank you for this beautiful mystery...that you would bestow on us... these broken and unworthy souls...these earthen vessels...the life of Heaven. May it flood us, pouring out and flooding those around us...and as it does may we mysteriously remain the earthen vessels that keep us clinging to you.

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