

MOSES – THE BEGGAR

EXODUS 33:9-17



God is angry with the children of Israel, but, as he does several times in this book, Moses pleads with the Lord on behalf of the people.

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God is so angry with these “stiff-necked” people that He tells Moses to lead them into the land of Canaan, only without His presence, lest He would consume them.

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(13) Now therefore, if I have found favor in your sight, please show me now your ways, that I may know you in order to find favor in your sight. Consider too that this nation is your people.”
... (15) And he said to him, “If your presence will not go with me, do not bring us up from here.

MOSES BEGS FOR GUIDANCE



- “...please show me now your ways...” (V. 13),
- “Show me your ways, O Lord. Teach me your paths.
(Psalm 25:4)

MOSES BEGS FOR GOD'S FRIENDSHIP



- “...that I may know you...” (v. 13)
- “that I may know him and the power of his resurrection, and may share his sufferings, becoming like him in his death, (Philippians 3:10)

MOSES BEGS FOR GOD'S GRACE



- “...in order to find favor in your sight... (V. 13)
- “Now the law came in to increase the trespass, but where sin increased, grace abounded all the more,” (Romans 5:20)
- But he said to me, “My grace is sufficient for you,...” (II Cor. 12:9)

MOSES BEGS FOR GOD'S PRESENCE



- “If your presence will not go with me, do not bring us up from here.” (v. 15)
- “...I will fear no evil, for you are with me;...” (Psalm 23:4)
- “Behold, I am with you and will keep you wherever you go, and will bring you back to this land...” (Genesis 28:15)

GOD'S PROMISE



“And he said, “My presence will go with you, and I will give you rest.” (Exodus 33:14)