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Isa. 6:1-5 *"In the year that King Uzziah died, I saw the Lord seated on a throne, high and exalted, and the train of his robe filled the temple. Above him were seraphs, each with six wings: With two wings they covered their faces, with two they covered their feet, and with two they were flying. And they were calling to one another: "Holy, holy, holy is the LORD Almighty; the whole earth is full of his glory." At the sound of their voices the doorposts and thresholds shook and the temple was filled with smoke. "Woe to me!" I cried. "I am ruined! For I am a man of unclean lips, and I live among a people of unclean lips, and my eyes have seen the King, the LORD Almighty."*

On that day when we are all in the presence of the LORD, it will be an indescribable moment. We will see the glory of the LORD in His temple. Even the Seraphs were unable to look upon the glory of the LORD. His holiness and greatness is beyond explanation. When we are in His presence, all other things will pale in comparison. We will see Him like He is and we will see ourselves like we are. He is worthy of all praise and we are worthy of punishment.

But, the beautiful part of this vision is that Isaiah began to see the incredible importance of giving himself completely to the work of the LORD; reaching others for Him. **v. 6-9a** tell us of the result of his encounter with the presence of God: *"Then one of the seraphim flew to me with a live coal in his hand, which he had taken with tongs from the altar. With it he touched my mouth and said, "See, this has touched your lips; your guilt is taken away and your sin atoned for." Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying, "Whom shall I send? And who will go for us?" And I said, "Here am I. Send me!" He said, "Go and tell this people"*

When we see the LORD like He really is (worship) we will see others like He sees them (with absolute love and compassion). We need to see people with His eyes of love.

Dear LORD, please help us to see You like You really are. Help us to worship You in spirit and in truth. Please give us Your heart of compassion for those who are lost and without You. In Jesus Name, Amen.