



Mount Zion Church | Sunday Service | 22 November 2020

# MIRACLE

*on*

# Mt. Nebo

What is special with Mount Nebo?

Nebo = prophet

The summit is only 808 m. Compared to 3 Sisters: 922 metres, 918 and 906 metres in height.

But there is something more special than its geographical feature.



The highest point of the mountain called Syagha.

Maybe this is the place where God showed the whole Land of Promise to Moses.

It is mentioned as the place where **Moses was granted a view of the Promised Land (LOOKOUT).**

The view from the summit provides a panorama of the land and, to the north, a more limited one of the valley of the River Jordan. The West Bank city of Jericho is usually visible from the summit, as is Jerusalem on a very clear day.



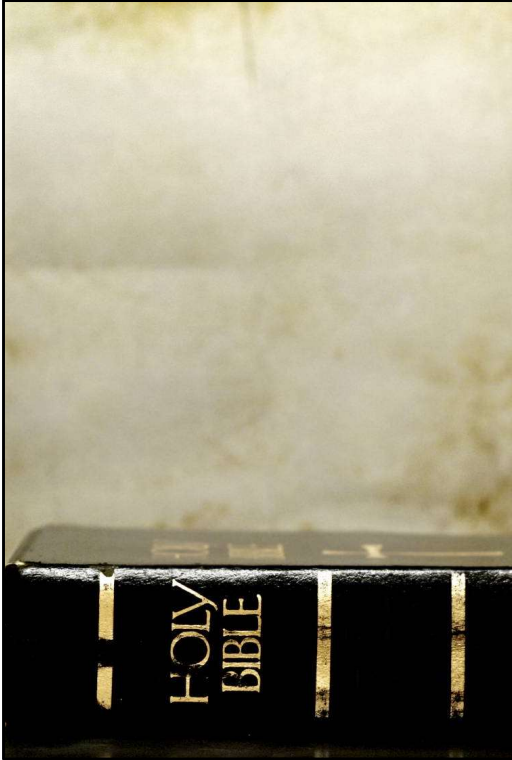
## Moses to Die on Mt. Nebo

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### Deuteronomy 32:48-52

<sup>48</sup> Then the LORD spoke to Moses that very same day, saying: <sup>49</sup> “Go up this mountain of the Abarim, **Mount Nebo**, which *is* in the land of Moab, across from Jericho;

**view the land of Canaan,** which I give to the children of Israel as a possession;





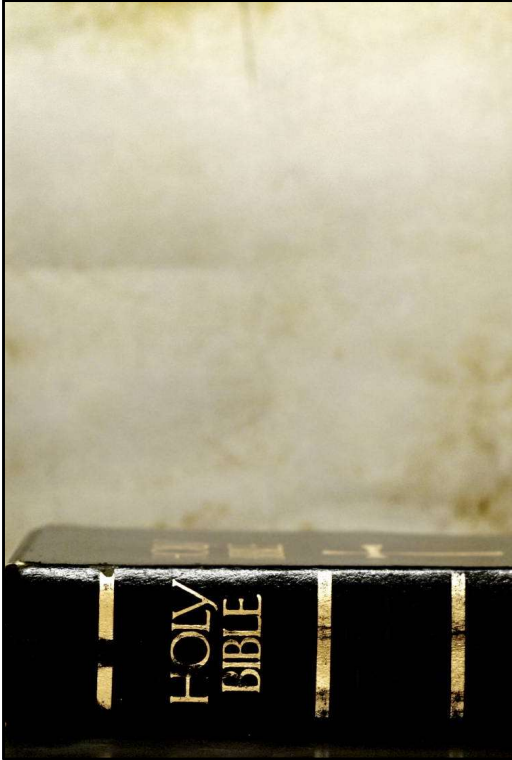
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<sup>50</sup> and die on the mountain which you ascend, and be gathered to your people, just as Aaron your brother died on Mount Hor and was gathered to his people;

<sup>51</sup> because you **trespassed** against Me among the children of Israel at the waters of Meribah Kadesh, in the Wilderness of Zin, because you **did not hallow Me** in the midst of the children of Israel.





## WHAT IF YOU WERE MOSES?

*Angry  
Give up  
Obey  
Dissapointed  
Half-hearted*



## Moses to Die on Mt. Nebo

**Deuteronomy 32:48-52**

<sup>52</sup> Yet **you shall see** the land  
before *you*, though **you shall not go**  
there, into the land which I am giving to the  
children of Israel."

What if you were Moses?  
What will you feel?



## Miracle on Mount Nebo

- Holiness
- Forgiveness

Mount Nebo is the place where God **consistently** declared His holiness and the consequences toward anyone transgressed His holiness! Having said that, the holiness of God **cannot be separated** with His love, His forgiveness. So, we can say that Mount Nebo is also the place where God **consistently** declared His forgiveness toward anyone who repent and back to God's way.



## “Did Not Hallow ME”

*What does it  
mean?*

Moses & Aaron **did not hallow God** at Meribah *Num.20:11-12*

- <sup>11</sup> Then Moses lifted his hand and struck the rock twice with his rod; and water came out abundantly, and the congregation and their animals drank.
- <sup>12</sup> Then the LORD spoke to Moses and Aaron, “Because you did not believe Me, to hallow Me in the eyes of the children of Israel, therefore you shall not bring this assembly into the land which I have given them.”

So, what is the sins of Moses? What was actually happen?

Hallow = holy

What is actually his mistake? Struck the rock twice? His words?

## “Did Not Hallow ME”

Moses **spoke rashly** with his lips  
*Psa.106:32-33*

*<sup>32</sup> They angered Him also at the waters of strife, so that it went ill with Moses on account of them;  
<sup>33</sup> Because they rebelled against His Spirit, so that he spoke rashly with his lips.*

*If anyone does not stumble in word, he is a perfect man, able also to bridle the whole body. **James 3:2***



We must be careful with our mouth.

Mat.12:34B For out of the abundance of the heart the mouth speaks.

Pro.4:23 Keep your heart with all diligence, for out of it *spring* the issues of life.



## The Lord's Prayer

### Matthew 6:9-10

In this manner,  
therefore, pray:

Our Father in heaven,  
**Hallowed be Your name.**

Your kingdom come.  
Your will be done  
On earth as it is in  
heaven.



Jesus consistent with the rule of the Kingdom of God: God is remain holy all the time, from OT to NT.

1Pet.1:15-16 but as He who called you *is* holy, you also be holy in all *your* conduct, <sup>16</sup> because it is written, "Be holy, for I am holy."



**DO NOT MOCK GOD**  
*Do not despise His goodness*



#### **GALATIANS 6**

<sup>7</sup> Do not be deceived, God is not mocked; for whatever a man **sows**, that he will also **reap**.

<sup>8</sup> For he who sows to his flesh will of the flesh reap corruption, but he who sows to the Spirit will of the Spirit reap everlasting life.

We must carefully respect and honour the holiness of God.

The law of SOW and REAP still in effect from OT to NT, at all the times.

Rom.2:4 Or **do you despise** the riches of His goodness, forbearance, and longsuffering, not knowing that the goodness of God leads you to repentance?

## Understanding His Love *The Forgiveness of God*



### PSALM 103

<sup>10</sup> He has not dealt with us according to our sins,  
Nor punished us according to our iniquities.

<sup>11</sup> For as the heavens are high above the earth,  
So great is His mercy toward those who fear Him;

Ezr.9:13 <sup>13</sup> And after all that has come upon us for our evil deeds and for our great guilt, since You our God have punished us less than our iniquities *deserve*, and have given us *such* deliverance as this,

The Law (Torah) = according to your sins, according to what you deserve

Illust. Criminal in jail that believe Jesus, criminal in the next of Jesus' cross.

## The Love of God Toward Moses

### DEUTERONOMY 34

<sup>5</sup> So Moses the servant of the LORD died there in the land of Moab, according to the word of the LORD. <sup>6</sup> And **He buried him** in a valley in the land of Moab, opposite Beth Peor; but no one knows his grave to this day.

*Body of Moses = body of Elijah*



Jude.1:9 Yet Michael the archangel, in contending with the devil, when he disputed about the body of Moses, dared not bring against him a reviling accusation, but said, “The Lord rebuke you!”

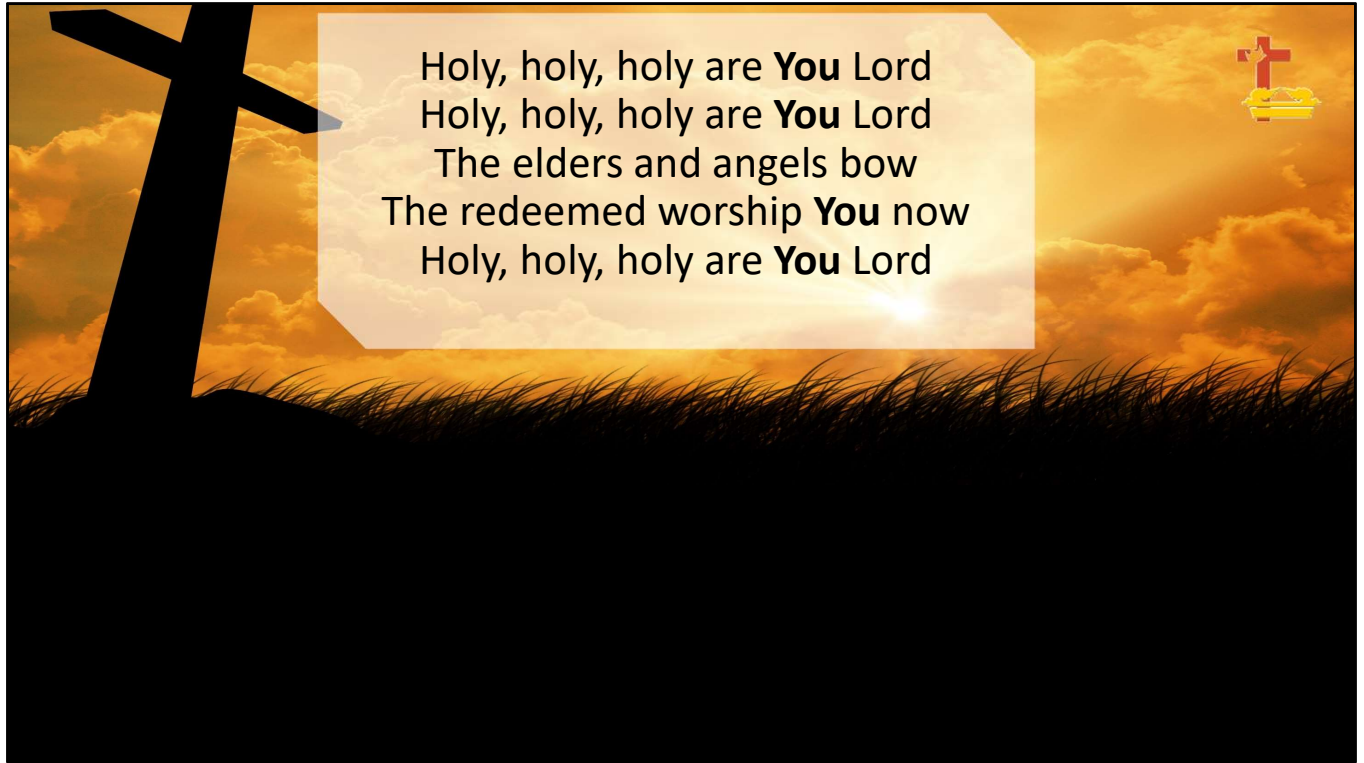
**Mat.7:13** Now after six days Jesus took Peter, James, and John his brother, led them up on a high mountain by themselves; <sup>2</sup>and He was transfigured before them. His face shone like the sun, and His clothes became as white as the light. <sup>3</sup>And behold, Moses and Elijah appeared to them, talking with Him.



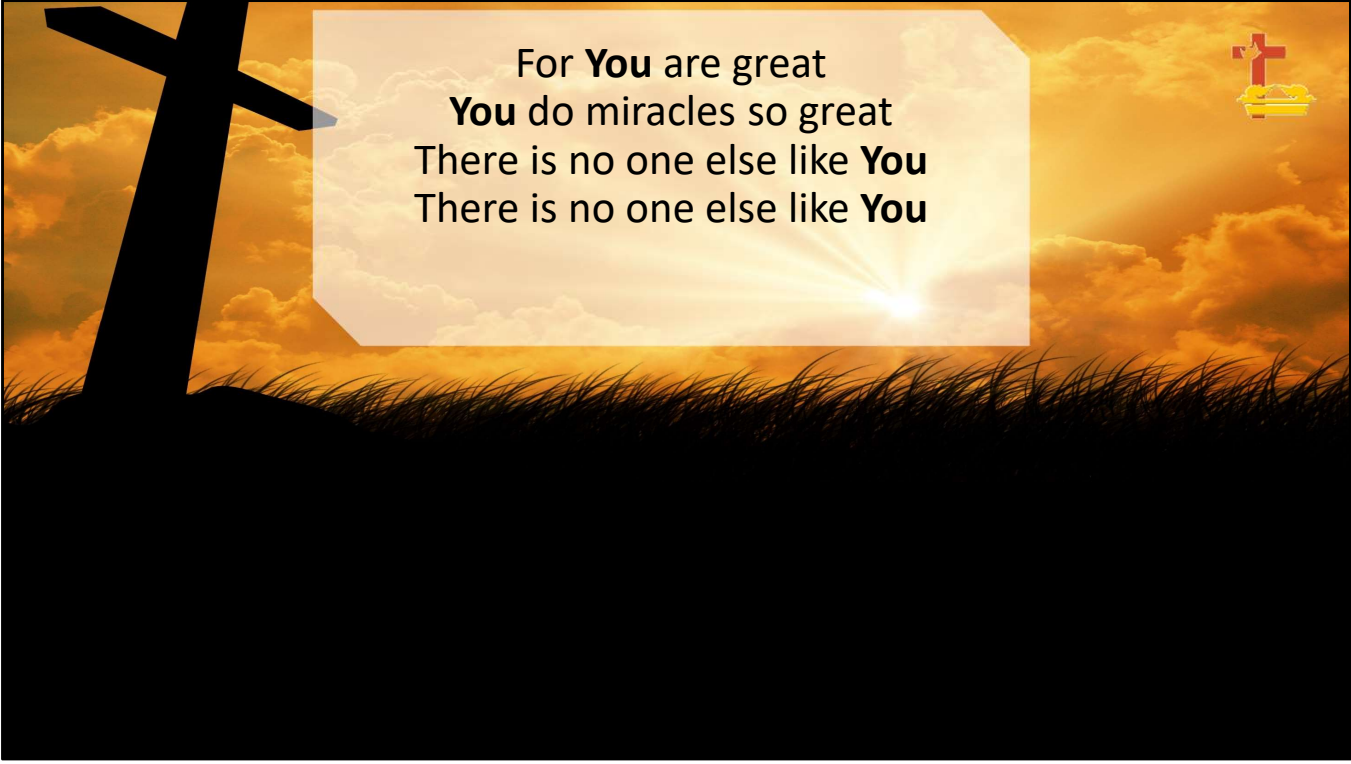


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- Live in the **holiness** of God; hallow God
- Be thankful for His **forgiveness**

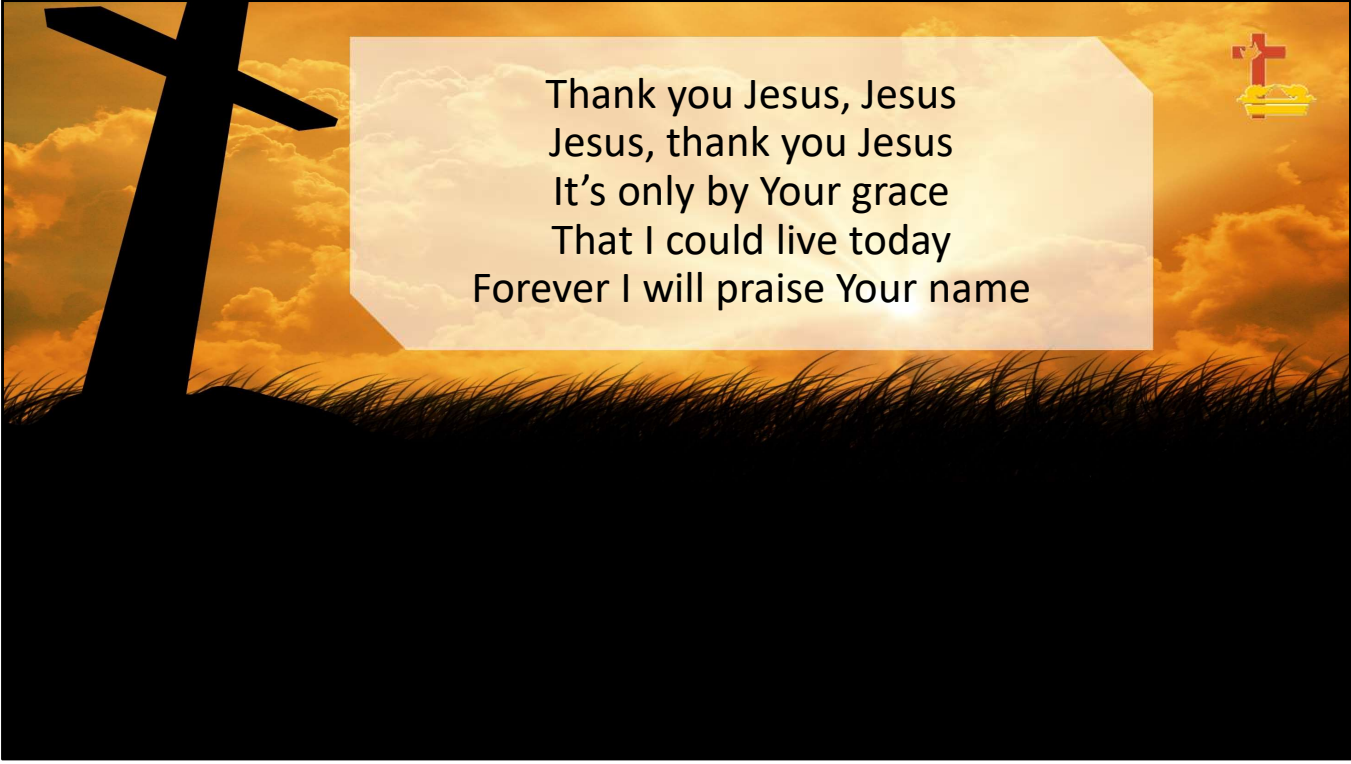


Holy, holy, holy are **You** Lord  
Holy, holy, holy are **You** Lord  
The elders and angels bow  
The redeemed worship **You** now  
Holy, holy, holy are **You** Lord



For **You** are great  
**You** do miracles so great  
There is no one else like **You**  
There is no one else like **You**





Thank you Jesus, Jesus  
Jesus, thank you Jesus  
It's only by Your grace  
That I could live today  
Forever I will praise Your name

