

# The Manifest Presence of Christ

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⇒ Throughout the Bible \_\_\_\_\_ is often used to represent God's manifest presence! Genesis 15:17 (Abraham); Exodus 3:2 (Moses); Exodus 13:21-22 (Israel); 1 Chronicles 21:26 (David); 2 Chronicles 7:1-3 (Solomon); Isaiah 6:1-7 (Isaiah); 1 Kings 18:38 (Elijah); Acts 2:1-4 (early church); Hebrews 12:29; 1 Thessalonians 5:19

⇒ The risen, ascended, glorified Christ appears on \_\_\_\_\_ from head to toe! Revelation 1:12-13

⇒ \_\_\_\_\_ are the lampstands that contain God's manifest presence! Revelation 1:20

⇒ "The Presence and the manifestation of the Presence are \_\_\_\_\_ the same. There can be one without the other. God is here when we are wholly unaware of it. He is manifest only when and as we are aware of His presence." ~ A.W. Tozer

## How to Welcome Christ's Manifest Presence into Your Life, Home, Job, Church

1. Consistently \_\_\_\_\_ God's manifest presence! Isaiah 55:6; James 4:8
2. \_\_\_\_\_ God's manifest presence in your daily life! 1 Thessalonians 5:19; John 16:14
3. Be \_\_\_\_\_ with the Holy Spirit! Matthew 3:11; Luke 24:49
4. Always give \_\_\_\_\_ to God's manifest presence! Galatians 5:25; Romans 8:14
5. Embrace our church identity as a \_\_\_\_\_! Revelation 1:20

Lord, fan into \_\_\_\_\_ the fire of your manifest presence in my life and our church!