

The Mystery of the Gospel

1 Corinthians 2:6-10

Intro: Man oftentimes is confused about God's plan. Maybe this is due to **pride**, to **lack of information**, or to **being stubborn**. We must always be willing to humbly follow the plan of God.

I. Man's Confusion

- A. Eve: Gen. 3:15 From your seed Satan shall be destroyed
Gen 4:25 So she names Seth
- B. Abraham: Gen 12:1-2 From you all nations will be blessed
Gen 16:1-2 So he father's Ishmael
- C. David: 2 Sam 17. Your Kingdom Shall Last Forever
1 Kings 1:29-35 So he tells Solomon to build the Temple
- D. Peter: Mt 17:1-7. Witnesses the Transfiguration
Mt 17:4. So he offers to build three memorials
- E. Apostles: Acts 1: Heard about the Kingdom
Acts 1:16. "Are you going to restore Kingdom to Israel?"

II. Jesus is the Answer

- A. To Eve's Prophecy Mt 1:21 Name Jesus, take away sin
- B. To Abraham's Prophecy Jn 3:16 God gave only son
- C. To David's Prophecy Acts 2:25-36 David's tomb
- D. Beyond's Pete's Assumption Mt. 17:5
- E. Beyond the Apostle's Thoughts Acts 2:47 added to church

III. God's Plan For Man

- A. It was unknown to prophets and angels

1 Peter 1:10-12 Of this salvation the prophets have inquired carefully, who have prophesied of the grace that would come to you, searching what, or what manner of time, the Spirit of Christ was in them was indicating when he testified beforehand the sufferings of Christ who was in them was indicating when he testified beforehand the sufferings of Christ, and the glories that would follow . To them it was revealed that, not to themselves, but to us they were ministering the things which now have been reported to you through those who have preached the gospel to you by the Holy Spirit sent from heaven—things which angels desire to look into.

- B. But it has been made known to us, 1 For 15:1-4

- C. It is all about Jesus

Belief in Him

Repentance for his name

Confession in Christ

Baptism in the Lord's name