### Visionary Faith #2: The Purpose of Glorifying God

# A) Glorifying God

So whether you eat or drink, or whatever you do, do it all for the glory of God.

(1 Cor 10:31)

**Primary point:** Your ultimate purpose is to glorify God privately in the heavenly realms.

Glory is the revelation of someone's greatness to inspire awe.

### B) How do we glorify God?

Publicly glorifying God (Matt 5:16).

Privately glorifying God is the kind of glory God gets because of what only He, the Devil, and Angels and demons see you do. (Dan 10:11; Acts 19:14-15; Matt 6:4; 1 Cor 4:9).

### C) The Cosmic War for Glory

There is an ancient and ongoing war between God and the Devil for worship and the glory that comes with it.

# **Applications**

### 1) Live your life in the stadium!

God's greatest pleasure is watching you do good. You bless God! When you glorify God!

# 2) Seek private glory

Everything you do can glorify God in the heavenly realms even if no one on Earth sees or cares! Privately glorifying your Father in Heaven is the one thing that no one can ever take from you. We all want blessing more than testing. But it is our testing that usually glorifies God more than our blessing.

#### 3) Throw away your idols (Matt 4:8-9; 1 Cor 10:20)

Christians have the greatest potential to glorify God or Satan. We are the only ones who truly have free will.