



Come & See What God Has Done

The First to See – Day 2

Nov. 28

Adam and Eve were the first humans to see and experience the glory of creation. God placed them in the Garden of Eden to begin their lives. Can you even imagine what that would have been like? To be the first to see, feel, taste, and touch the freshly created fruits and plants must have been incredible. We can taste that dimly when we eat fruits and vegetables freshly harvested from our orchards and gardens. We can have a glimmer of what they once experienced. The glory of the Lord and the blessings of the Lord entirely on display must have been stunning.

The creation account from Genesis 1:27-31 gives the original words God the Father shared with Adam and Eve, “So God created man in his own image, in the image of God He created him; male and female he created them. And God blessed them. And God said to them, “Be fruitful and multiply and fill the earth and subdue it, and have dominion over the fish of the sea and over the birds of the heavens and over every living thing that moves on the earth.” And God said, “Behold, I have given you every plant yielding seed that is on the face of all the earth, and every tree with seed in its fruit. You shall have them for food. And to every beast of the earth and to every bird of the heavens and to everything that creeps on the earth, everything that has the breath of life, I have given every green plant for food.” And it was so. And God saw everything that he had made, and behold, it was very good. And there was evening and there was morning, the sixth day.”

We know today that Adam and Eve were blessed while in the Garden of Eden. Yet, that was soon to be found, by them, not to be enough. Satan's treachery played out, exiling them from that beautiful garden. The original sin that has haunted humanity since that day has taken us into a new reality. A reality of pain, distance from God, and death until Jesus changed the equation.

It took the suffering and death of the Son of God to right that original sin. At that terrible cost, we are restored to the righteousness once lost. Revelation 21 gives us a glimpse into a future where, once again, we will be in a place where we are no longer separated from God. Once again, we can see, feel, and touch what the Lord has done.