



THE WORD IS THE QUEEN OF THE WORLD (AUT. 449)

After six days Jesus took with him Peter, James and John the brother of James, and led them up a high mountain by themselves. There he was transfigured before them. His face shone like the sun, and his clothes became as white as the light. Just then there appeared before them Moses and Elijah, talking with Jesus. Peter said to Jesus, "Lord, it is good for us to be here. If you wish, I will put up three shelters—one for you, one for Moses and one for Elijah." While he was still speaking, a bright cloud covered them, and a voice from the cloud said, "This is my Son, whom I love; with him I am well pleased. Listen to him!" When the disciples heard this, they fell facedown to the ground, terrified. But Jesus came and touched them. "Get up," he said. "Don't be afraid." When they looked up, they saw no one except Jesus. As they were coming down the mountain, Jesus instructed them, "Don't tell anyone what you have seen, until the Son of Man has been raised from the dead."

Mt 17: 1-9

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Word of God is the primary
of our spirituality
(Sourcebook 37)

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A COMMENTARY TO THE SUNDAY
GOSPEL FOR AND FROM
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REFLECTIONS TO FEED OUR RELATIONSHIP WITH GOD



There are moments in our lives when we see difficulties in front of us, especially when we are facing important decisions. We often feel discouraged by so many situations of injustice, selfishness and discrimination that we live in today's society. However, Jesus teaches us that in difficult times we must "go up into the mountain" to meet the Father and pray from the heart to ask for courage; Only He can show us His light to see the right way. And with his strength we will be able to make fair decisions, for our good and that of all the brothers we accompany every day.

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REFLECTIONS TO FEED OUR MISSION IN THE WORLD



Lent is for us the privileged time for change, transformation, transfiguration. Our complacent and guilty faces must become faces of joy, love and service. The face of our world must also transform itself from injustice into integrity, from hatred into kindness and friendship. We are afraid of change, especially if it is at the expense of ourselves. Today Jesus shows us the way. He saw how suffering and death awaited him, and so his face and heart were sad. But then the Father turned the face of Jesus radiant, because he was going to encounter life and resurrection; His face became shining with joy and glory. If we follow Jesus and let him transform us, our own face will also become resplendent and our life will be a testimony of his love.

IT IS THE WORD OF LIFE (AUT. 450)

PRAYER FROM THE WORD

Lord Jesus, you are a model and a sign of hope for us. Help us to transform ourselves for you, for your love. Help us to transform ourselves by your example, by your courage. How wonderful it is for us to be here in the presence of your Beloved Son! May your radiant face communicate light and peace. Do not allow sin to distort us even more, or divide our communities. May the light of your transfigured face shine upon all of us and give us courage so that we can be the men and women that the world needs today, that we be the lights that illuminate and accompany the lives of so many brothers who need you.

