

**Let there
be light...**

**Shining
bright!!**

ARISE SHINE

Isaiah 60:1

Sunday 27 September 2026

Arise, shine, for your **light** has come, and
the **glory of the Lord** rises upon you.
(Isaiah 60:1, NIV)

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- 1) Wake Up**
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(A) Wake Up

Arise... (Isa.60:1)

Spiritual Awakening

Eph.5:14 This is why it is said:

“**Wake up**, sleeper, rise from the dead, and **Christ will shine on you.**”

(A) Wake Up

Arise... (Isa.60:1)

Decisive Action

Romans 13:11 ...understanding the present time: The hour has already come for you to **wake up** from your slumber, because our salvation is nearer now than when we first believed. 12 The night is nearly over; the day is almost here. So let us put aside the deeds of darkness and **put on the armor of light**.

(B) Light Up

... shine, for your light has come (Isa.60:1)

Actively reflect God's light in our lives

Matt.5:14 “You are the **light of the world**. A town built on a hill cannot be hidden. 15 Neither do people light a lamp and put it under a bowl. Instead they put it on its stand, and it gives light to everyone in the house. 16 In the same way, let your **light shine** before others, that they may see your good deeds and glorify your Father in heaven.

(B) Light Up

... shine, for your light has come (Isa.60:1)

A life that “shines”

Phil.2:15 ...so that you may become blameless and pure, “children of God without fault in a warped and crooked generation.” Then you will **shine** among them like **stars in the sky**...

Why can we shine? **Because “our light has come”**

2 Cor.4:6 For God, who said, “Let **light shine** out of darkness,” made his **light shine** in our hearts to give us the **light of the knowledge of God’s glory** displayed in the face of **Christ**.

Jn.8:12 When Jesus spoke again to the people, he said, “I am the **light of the world**. Whoever follows me will never walk in darkness, but will have the **light of life**.”

Psalms 36:9 For with you is the fountain of life; in **your light** we **see light**.

(C) Step Up

...the glory of the Lord is risen / has risen upon you
(Isa.60:1)

Our Light – **Jesus** – has already come, and **God's glory**
now rises over us

kavod (כבוד) means "heavy" or "weight,"
It is mostly translated as "glory," "honor," or "respect".
It can also means "distinction" and "importance"

God's manifested presence

Exo. 40:34-35 34 Then the cloud covered the tent of meeting, and **the glory of the Lord** filled the tabernacle. 35 Moses could not enter the tent of meeting because the cloud had settled on it, and **the glory of the Lord** filled the tabernacle.

Psa. 24:9, NKJV Lift up your heads, O you gates!
Lift up, you everlasting doors!
And the **King of glory** shall come in.
10 Who is this King of glory?
The Lord of hosts, He is the King of glory. Selah

How do we manifest the glory of God on earth?

- Not for ourselves, but for **others**
- As His light shines in us, **all glory to God who shines through us**

Gal.2:20 I have been crucified with Christ and I no longer live, but Christ lives in me.

Jas.2:12 Speak and act as those who are going to be judged by the law that gives freedom

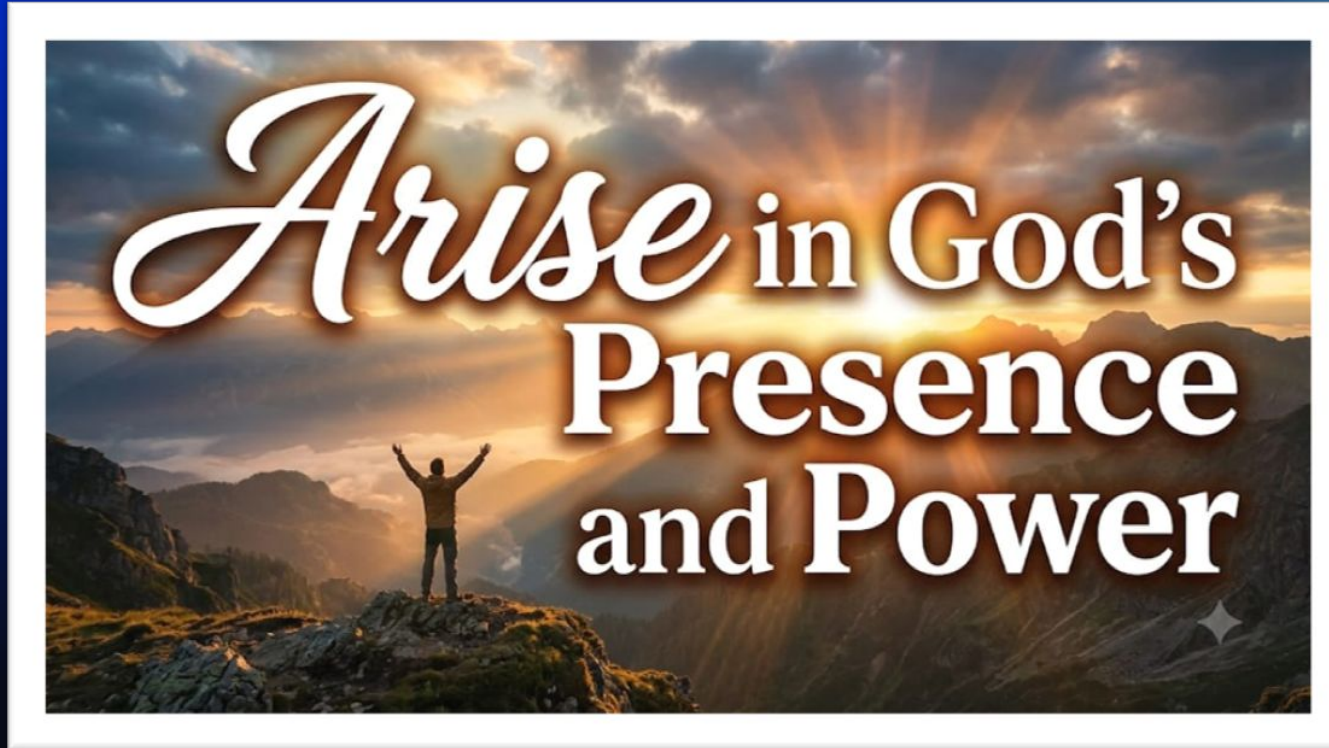
- **Our willingness to die to self**
 - **Obey His commands**
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As God's disciple, how do we show reverence to God in our everyday lives?

2 Cor. 3:18 And we all, who with unveiled faces **reflect the Lord's glory**, are being transformed into his image with ever-increasing glory, which comes from the Lord, who is the Spirit.

God's manifest **presence** and the **power** of His Holy Spirit within us make expressing kavod possible.

1 Pet.4:14 If you are insulted because of the name of Christ, you are blessed, for the Spirit of glory and of God rests on you



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