Community Group Discussion Questions

"Glory"--Exodus 33:12-34:9

Question 1: What does Exodus 33:1-11 reveal about the context for 33:12-4:9?

Question 2: What is the tone or atmosphere like at this time in the history of the nation of Israel?. What is God's mood and why? How do you think Moses felt? (Also review Chapter 32 for further insight into the context.)

Question 3: What does Moses request from God in Exodus 33:12-19? In light of all the other things that Moses could have asked for, is this an odd request? Why or why not?

Question 4: According to verse 19, What does God plan to do in response to Moses request to "Show me your Glory!" What is the connection between "Glory" and "Goodness".

Question 5: How does God describe Himself as he reveals Himself to Moses in Exodus 34:5-8? Is there a connection between how he describes himself and His Glory?

Question 6: Think of a discouraging time in your life. How would catching a glimpse of God's Glory have impacted you during this time?

Question 7: Based on what you have read and studied so fare, How would you define "The Glory of God?".

Question 8: How has God revealed his Glory most comprehensively? (John 1:1-14 and Hebrews 1:1-4)