

WORSHIPING THE GOD OF TRANSCENDENT MAJESTY AND IMMANENT MERCY (Isaiah 6:1-13)
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I. Introduction: Beginning with God's Transcendence and Avoiding the "Rush" to the Divine Immanence

E.g., Isa 57:15; 66:1-2

II. God's Transcendent Majesty (Isa 6:1-5)

A. Aspects of God's Majesty, Glory and Holiness (6:1-4)

B. Isaiah's Response (6:5)

III. God's Immanent Mercy (Isa 6:6-7)

A. The Initiator of Mercy – God

B. The Means of Mercy – Purification (personalized!)

C. The Goal of Mercy – Restoration and Service

IV. Isaiah's Call to Ministry (Isa 6:8-13)

A. Willing Service Flows out of such Knowledge of God (6:8)

B. Perseverance in Difficult Service Flows out of such Knowledge of God (6:9-13)

V. Conclusion