

For God's sake, don't praise man, praise God! Give Him all the glory.



AT THE TOWER OF BABEL, the people said, “Now we’re going to make a name for ourselves. Look how big and powerful we are! Look how great we are!” Instead of giving God the credit, they tried to take it for themselves, so God came down and scattered them and laid waste to their tower (Genesis 11:1–9).

One of the biggest dangers you have is to begin thinking too highly of yourself. The minute you start patting yourself on the back, God will see to it that you’re humbled (Romans 12:3; 1 Corinthians 10:12; James 4:6). He’s a jealous God, and He wants and deserves all the glory (Exodus 20:5; Isaiah 42:8).

Whatever you do in word or in deed, you are to do all to the glory of God (1 Corinthians 10:31; Colossians 3:17). So make that your prayer—that you will please the Lord by doing all things to His glory. “God forbid that I should boast except in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ” (Galatians 6:14). To Him be the glory forever and ever!