

Transfiguration
Matthew 17:1-13

1. _____ and _____ are not mutually exclusive categories.

2. The main purpose of Transfiguration in Matthew's Gospel is to proclaim the true _____ and glory of Jesus.
 - a. Matthew 16:13-23
 - b. Jesus is likened to _____.

3. With Moses and Elijah speaking to Jesus it should remind us of when they did this in their earthly life.
 - a. Moses in Exodus 24 and 34
 - b. Elijah in 1 Kings 19

4. Why Moses and Elijah?
 - a. Some say it signifies that Jesus fulfills the Law and the Prophets
 - i. 2 objections
 - 1.
 - 2.
 - ii. Elijah and John the Baptist play similar eschatological roles in Matthew's narrative
 - b. A better alternative
 - i. Scripture contains God's plan to save Israel and all of creation and Jesus is the _____ of that plan therefore *Moses* is there.
 - ii. The day will come when all things are _____. This has begun with Jesus and who brings the reign of God. Therefore, *Elijah* is there as well.

