Isaiah 6:1-3

In the year that King Uzziah died, I saw the Lord sitting on a throne, high and lifted up, and the train of His robe filled the temple. Above it stood seraphim; each one had six wings: with two he covered his face, with two he covered his feet, and with two he flew. And one cried to another and said: "Holy, holy, holy is the LORD of hosts; The whole earth is full of His glory!"

The seraphim spoken of in today's verses are heavenly beings that were created by God, and created to be without sin, and when you read of them, you probably noticed that they have six wings, "*each one had six wings: with two he covered his face, with two he covered his feet, and with two he flew.*"

Now when people think of angels, they usually associate them with having two wings to fly with. But the bible never says that angels have wings. We never read of the angel Gabriel flying. But it does talk about seraphim having wings, and once again, not just two wings to fly with, but six wings. Yes two were to fly with, but what about the other four? Well two were for the seraphim to cover their feet. But what intrigues me the most is that these sinless beings, created by God, used two of those six wings to cover their face with, while in the presence of God Almighty. And why do they cover their face? Because God is so Holy, that even these created, sinless, beings that God created, know that God is above awesome, in fact I can never find the right words to express the awesomeness of God. Probably because there is no earthly word or language that could describe God's awesomeness. Even the word "awesome" barely scratches the surface of Who God is in all His Holiness.

But these seraphim know that, and they are before God's presence continually, and what are they doing? They are actually talking to one another or crying out (*one cried to another*) to each other the Holiness of God.

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It's kind of like us as Christians telling each other how awesome our God is, even though the one we are telling already know this. It's just that God is so awesome, that we still have to proclaim it, just like the seraphim do. We call it "preaching to the choir", which simply means you are telling others something that they already know.

But why would the seraphim do this? On this earth we don't truly understand it, but God is just that Awesome, and that Holy, beyond anything we could ever think of or imagine in a thousand lifetimes. And we won't realize the awesomeness of God until we get to heaven.

Yet we know this, but how many, including some Christians, belittle the Awesomeness of GOD here on the earth? They call God "The Big guy" or "The man upstairs" or "My buddy" Some even call God "Mother Nature" or just "a god" (Note lower case "g" meaning just like all the false gods of this world)

If God is God (Which HE is!!!) isn't it time for the church and each one of us to individually start treating Him and speaking to Him like He is? If God is so Awesome, so much so that even sinless Seraphin cover, not just their eyes, but their entire face in GOD's presence, shouldn't we fear God and be more obedient to Him? Even Isaiah said when he saw God in heaven.

Isaiah 6:5 So I said: ''Woe is me, for I am undone! Because I am a man of unclean lips, And I dwell in the midst of a people of unclean lips; For my eyes have seen the King, The LORD of hosts.''

I wonder if the reason that more people don't turn to Jesus, is that we never show, or tell them about the real GOD in heaven, Who is so beyond Awesome that even, *"The earth and sky fled from his presence, but they found no place to hide."* Revelation 20:11b (NLT2)

- Deuteronomy 7:21 You shall not be terrified of them; for the LORD your God, the great and awesome God, is among you.
- Nehemiah 1:5 And I said: ''I pray, LORD God of heaven, O great and awesome God, You who keep Your covenant and mercy with those who love You and observe Your commandments,
- Psalm 66:1-4 Make a joyful shout to God, all the earth! Sing out the honor of His name; Make His praise glorious. Say to God, ''How awesome are Your works! Through the greatness of Your power Your enemies shall submit themselves to You. All the earth shall worship You And sing praises to You; They shall sing praises to Your name.'' Selah
- Psalm 22:3 But You are holy, Enthroned in the praises of Israel.