

Thought for the day – Wednesday 7th February 2024

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The Transfiguration Steven Shakespeare

We build dark walls to hide creation's light,
settle for the second-hand shades of glory.
He calls us away, draws us to the height,
brings kindling for a different story
He show's the sun's heart, the bright shining air,
the diamond sparkling of the dancing sea;
he shows us the way to walk with him there,
in uncreated rays of ecstasy.
And when the glow fades and words lose their hold,
he is still the fire from whom we once came;
burning with love in a world grown too cold,
anointing us with a Spirit of flame
This is the light that will never grow pale,
the undying star that never can fail.

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We were thinking about green spaces at coffee morning and several of us remembered climbing hills and mountains and the wonderful experience of it.

Peter, Andrew and John had a tremendous experience on the mountain when Jesus was transfigured.

How have we had mountain top experiences with Jesus?