

HILLS AND VALLEYS...

Those closest to us are almost always resistant or indifferent to our ideas of spirituality. They don't have to be family. Our co-workers or anyone close to us that we have any interactions with will usually be the most critical of our stand on spiritual matters.

This is because we all without exception make assessments more or less, by the behavior of the ones we are observing. I can know that God is not finished with me by the way I react to say, an abrasive person. We often attract situations, circumstances and people into our life experience that rock our boat and rain on our parade.

My reactions to all of this acts as a monitor and lets me know if I have ears to hear that I'm not all that much different from anyone else. In other words providence has a way of reminding me to continue pressing on, not by works and good deeds, not by trying a little harder to be a member of the "Good Sam's Club, but to look more to *"the hills from which my salvation cometh."*

What this verse speaks to me is that the hills are those situations, circumstances and people that I attract into my experience that tend to make my journey an often uphill climb that only serve to encourage me to keep on trucking due to my reaction to them. They serve to remind me that *I chose to come here for the hills and the valleys* and all the challenges that entering this dream of forgetfulness would do for me in the way of expansion for me and all that is.