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The man healed from blindness answered and said, "Whether [Jesus] is a sinner or not I do not know. One thing I know: that though I was blind, now I see."

John 9: 25

How many times have you spoken to someone who has their cataract operation and they have said how much a difference it had made for them? They can see the colours again. My friend was so surprised when she could see right to the end of the shop we were in. it is difficult to realise just how bad your eyes are when cataracts are growing as it is a slow, gradual process. I do know from the people that I have personally been with when they have come out from the hospital and in a very short time an amazing new world with its wonderful colours have been renewed for them. Restoring sight is a wonderful gift and it almost feels as if it is an everyday run of the mill operation nowadays. But oh! What a treat for the recipient of their sight restored. We of course can be in our daily lives unseeing of the world around us. we forget that that through the Holy Spirit we should be seeing what God requires of us. as the Blind man in the passage did not know Jesus or even if Jesus was someone he could trust. But as god promised that if we live our lives as we should and that our sins will be at an end Jesus would open the eyes of the spiritually blind. Through the power of God who is the only one to open the eyes of the repentant believer. By the Grace of God, we can be forgiven and our eyes will once again see the world in it's wonderful colours created by God. I was blind said the beggar, but now I see. What an amazing grace we are given give thanks every day for this precious gift.

I pray that the eyes of your heart may be enlightened in order that you may know the hope to which he has called you, the riches of his glorious inheritance in his holy people,