

“WHAT IS THE LORD YOUR GOD REALLY LIKE?”

(A Study of the Attributes of God)

I. CAN YOU REALLY KNOW THE LORD GOD?

II. HOW CAN GOD REALLY BE KNOWN BY US?

III. WHAT IS GOD REALLY LIKE?

A. God is a SPIRIT Being. (John 4:24)

1. This means that God is a _____ with intelligence, emotion, and volition. (John 4:24)

* Does God have a gender?

2. This means that God is _____ - _____ (Luke 24:39) and _____ (John 1:18) unless revealed.

Applications:

* To the unbeliever: Because of the grace of God and the cross-work of Jesus Christ, you can now have a _____ with God by grace alone, through faith alone, in Christ alone.

* To the believer: God is _____ to be _____ in spirit and in truth. (John 4:23-24)

B. God is a LIVING Being. (Dan. 6:26)

1. This is why He is referred to as “the _____ God” in various places in Scripture (Deut. 5:26; 1 Sam. 17:26, 36; Jer. 10:7-10, Dan. 6:26; John 6:69; 1 Thess. 1:9; 1 Tim. 4:10, 6:17; Heb. 10:31).

2. This means that He is the ultimate _____ and _____ of physical and spiritual life. (Isa. 42:5; Dan. 5:23; John 1:1-3; Acts 14:15, 17:24-25; Col. 1:16-17)

C. God is an ETERNAL Being. (Isa. 57:15)

1. This means that God is _____ limited to _____ for He has no beginning and no end. (1 Tim. 1:17, 6:16; Rom. 16:26)
2. This means that God is _____ - _____ and _____ for He depends on no one or nothing for His existence. (Ex. 3:14-15)
3. The eternity of God is significant in Scripture.
- a. God's _____ and _____ are everlasting. (Ps. 100:5)
 - b. God's _____ is everlasting. (Ps. 119:142)
 - c. God's _____ is everlasting. (Rom. 1:20)
 - d. God's _____ will be forever and ever. (Luke 1:31-33)
 - e. God's _____ is everlasting. (Dan. 7:27)
 - f. God's _____ stands forever. (Matt. 24:35)
 - g. God's _____ is an everlasting love. (Jer. 31:3)
 - h. God's _____ is also everlasting. (Isa. 54:8)

* How can this personally apply to you today?