

# Knowing God - Part One

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Key Verse: (Deuteronomy 4:39) Know therefore this day, and consider *it* in thine heart, that the Lord he *is* God in heaven above, and upon the earth beneath: *there is none else.*

The purpose of this lesson is to know and love God for who He is. Not only to understand God's identity, but to love this great truth.

## What is God?

One,

(Deuteronomy 6:4) Hear, O Israel: The Lord our God *is* one Lord.

(Isaiah 44:8) Fear ye not, neither be afraid: have not I told thee from that time, and have declared *it*? ye *are* even my witnesses. Is there a God beside me? yea, *there is* no God; I know not *any*.

The First and the Last, (Isaiah 41:4) Who hath wrought and done *it*, calling the generations from the beginning? I the Lord, the first, and with the last; I *am* he.

The Creator, (Genesis 1:1) In the beginning God created the heaven and the earth.

The King, (Psalm 24:7-8) Lift up your heads, O ye gates; and be ye lift up, ye everlasting doors; and the King of glory shall come in. (8) Who *is* this King of glory? The Lord strong and mighty, the Lord mighty in battle.

The Shepherd, (Psalm 23:1) The Lord *is* my shepherd; I shall not want.

The Rock, (Psalm 31:3) For thou *art* my rock and my fortress; therefore for thy name's sake lead me, and guide me.

The Redeemer the Savior, (Isaiah 45:21-22) Tell ye, and bring *them* near; yea, let them take counsel together: who hath declared this from ancient time? *who* hath told it from that time? *have* not I the Lord? and *there is* no God else beside me; a just God and a Saviour; *there is* none beside me. (22) Look unto me, and be ye saved, all the ends of the earth: for I *am* God, and *there is* none else.

The Healer, (Hosea 6:1) Come, and let us return unto the Lord: for he hath torn, and he will heal us; he hath smitten, and he will bind us up.

Omnipotent, (Job 42:2) I know that thou canst do every *thing*, and *that* no thought can be withholden from thee.

Omnipresent, (Jeremiah 23:24) Can any hide himself in secret places that I shall not see him? saith the Lord. Do not I fill heaven and earth? saith the Lord.

Omniscient, (Psalm 139:4) For *there is* not a word in my tongue, *but*, lo, O Lord, thou knowest it altogether.

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## Who is God?

The One God was manifested in the flesh,

(1 Timothy 3:16) And without controversy great is the mystery of godliness: God was manifest in the flesh, justified in the Spirit, seen of angels, preached unto the Gentiles, believed on in the world, received up into glory.

(John 1:1,14) In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God...(14) And the Word was made flesh, and dwelt among us, (and we beheld his glory, the glory as of the only begotten of the Father,) full of grace and truth.

Jesus is God manifested in the flesh. Jesus is...

The First and the Last, (Revelations 1:17) And when I saw him, I fell at his feet as dead. And he laid his right hand upon me, saying unto me, Fear not; I am the first and the last.

The Creator, (John 1:10) He was in the world, and the world was made by him, and the world knew him not.

The King, (Revelations 19:11-16) And I saw heaven opened, and behold a white horse; and he that sat upon him *was* called Faithful and True, and in righteousness he doth judge and make war. (12) His eyes *were* as a flame of fire, and on his head *were* many crowns; and he had a name written, that no man knew, but he himself. (13) And he *was* clothed with a vesture dipped in blood: and his name is called The Word of God. (14) And the armies *which were* in heaven followed him upon white horses, clothed in fine linen, white and clean. (15) And out of his mouth goeth a sharp sword, that with it he should smite the nations: and he shall rule them with a rod of iron: and he treadeth the winepress of the fierceness and wrath of Almighty God. (16) And he hath on *his* vesture and on his thigh a name written, KING OF KINGS, AND LORD OF LORDS.

The Shepherd, (1 Peter 5:4) And when the chief Shepherd shall appear, ye shall receive a crown of glory that fadeth not away.

The Rock, (Ephesians 2:20-22) And are built upon the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Jesus Christ himself being the chief corner *stone*; (21) In whom all the building fitly framed together groweth unto an holy temple in the Lord: (22) In whom ye also are builded together for an habitation of God through the Spirit.

The Redeemer the Savior, (Jude 25) To the only wise God our Saviour, *be* glory and majesty, dominion and power, both now and ever. Amen.

The Healer, (Luke 4:18) The Spirit of the Lord *is* upon me, because he hath anointed me to preach the gospel to the poor; he hath sent me to heal the brokenhearted, to preach deliverance to the captives, and recovering of sight to the blind, to set at liberty them that are bruised.

Omnipotent, (Isaiah 9:6) For unto us a child is born, unto us a son is given: and the government shall be upon his shoulder: and his name shall be called Wonderful, Counsellor, The mighty God, The everlasting Father, The Prince of Peace.

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Omnipresent, (Acts 17:27) That they should seek the Lord, if haply they might feel after him, and find him, though he be not far from every one of us.

Omniscient, (John 16:30) Now are we sure that thou knowest all things, and needest not that any man should ask thee: by this we believe that thou camest forth from God.

Jesus is God. He is the One True God incarnated. He is the First and the Last, the Creator, the King of kings, the shepherd of our souls, the Rock - our foundation and strength, the Redeemer and Savior of our souls, our Healer, Omnipotent, Omnipresent, and Omniscient.

(Deuteronomy 4:39) Know therefore this day, and consider *it* in thine heart, that the Lord he *is* God in heaven above, and upon the earth beneath: *there is none else*.

Let us consider in our hearts that this one God was manifested in the flesh and He is our everything.

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