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GOD IS REAL & GOD KNOWS

- Sometimes people picture God as a fictitious character.
- Other times, people say they believe in God, but act like He doesn't exist.
- The Christian needs to realize that God is real!
- When he realizes this, he will tend to act in a godly way.

GOD KNOWS HOW WE ARE: GOD IS REAL – HE PERCEIVES WHAT IS HAPPENING

 One who can perceive has a special kind of knowledge. A perceptive person just knows things when others miss them.
 There is nobody more perceptive than God is, because he knows everything.

He knows my heart.

 O LORD, you have searched me and you know me. (v.1)

He knows my thoughts.

 You know when I sit and when I rise; you perceive my thoughts from afar. (v.2)

He knows my actions.

 You discern my going out and my lying down; you are familiar with all my ways. (v.3)

He knows my words.

 Before a word is on my tongue you know it completely, O LORD. (v.4)

He knows everything about me.

- You hem me in—behind and before; you have laid your hand upon me. (v.5)
- Such knowledge is too wonderful for me, too lofty for me to attain. (v.6)

GOD KNOWS WHERE WE ARE: GOD IS REAL - HE IS PRESENT WHEREVER I GO

- Where can I go from your Spirit? Where can I flee from your presence? (v.7)
- If I go up to the heavens, you are there; if I make my bed in the depths, you are there. (v. 8)

- If I rise on the wings of the dawn, if I settle on the far side of the sea, (v.9)
- even there your hand will guide me, your right hand will hold me fast. (v.10)
- If I say, "Surely the darkness will hide me and the light become night around me," (v.11)
- even the darkness will not be dark to you; the night will shine like the day, for darkness is as light to you. (v.12)

GOD KNOWS WHAT WE ARE: GOD IS REAL - HE IS POWERFUL

Power in creation. (v.13-16)

- For you created my inmost being; you knit me together in my mother's womb. (v.13)
- I praise you because I am fearfully and wonderfully made; your works are wonderful, I know that full well. (v.14)

- My frame was not hidden from you when I was made in the secret place. When I was woven together in the depths of the earth, (v.15)
- your eyes saw my unformed body. All the days ordained for me were written in your book before one of them came to be. (v.16)

Power towards His children. (v.17-18)

- How precious to me are your thoughts, O
 God! How vast is the sum of them! (v.17)
- Were I to count them, they would outnumber the grains of sand. When I awake, I am still with you. (v.18)

GOD KNOWS WHAT WE SHOULD BE: GOD IS REAL

- HE HAS A PLAN FOR MY LIFE
- God hates sin and want me to hate sin. (v. 19-22)
- If only you would slay the wicked, O God!
 Away from me, you bloodthirsty men! (v.19)

- They speak of you with evil intent; your adversaries misuse your name. (v.20)
- Do I not hate those who hate you, O LORD, and abhor those who rise up against you? (v. 21)
- I have nothing but hatred for them; I count them my enemies. (v.22)

God wants us to allow Him to search, know, and correct us. (v.23-24)

- Search me, O God, and know my heart; test me and know my anxious thoughts. (v.23)
- See if there is any offensive way in me, and lead me in the way everlasting. (v.24)

LET'S PRAY: