

## **GOD'S KNOWLEDGE - (OUR OMNISCIENT GOD)**

→ Scripture Psalm 139:1-6 Psalm 103:14

### **WHAT IS GOD'S KNOWLEDGE LIKE?**

#### **1- God's Knowledge is INFINITE (His Knowledge has NO Limitations)**

**Psalms 147:4-5** He determines the number of the stars and calls them each by name. [5] Great is our Lord and mighty in power; his understanding has no limit.

→ God's knowledge has NO LIMITS

#### **2- God's Knowledge INCLUDES the PAST, PRESENT, FUTURE, and What Might Have Been**

**Isaiah 40:12-14** Who has measured the waters in the hollow of his hand, or with the breadth of his hand marked off the heavens? Who has held the dust of the earth in a basket, or weighed the mountains on the scales and the hills in a balance? [13] Who has understood the mind of the LORD, or instructed him as his counselor? [14] Whom did the LORD consult to enlighten him, and who taught him the right way? Who was it that taught him knowledge or showed him the path of understanding?

→ God NEVER has to LEARN anything... HE has Always Known Everything

#### **3- God's Knowledge EXTENDS from the Past, Present, Future, and What Might have Been**

**Matthew 11:21** Woe to you, Korazin! Woe to you, Bethsaida! If the miracles that were performed in you had been performed in Tyre and Sidon, they would have repented long ago in sackcloth and ashes.

→ God Knows All things Past, Present, Future or Possible

#### **4- God's Knowledge is PERSONAL (He Knows ALL about ME)**

**Psalms 139:1-4** O LORD, you have searched me and you know me. [2] You know when I sit and when I rise; you perceive my thoughts from afar. [3] You discern my going out and my lying down; you are familiar with all my ways. [4] Before a word is on my tongue you know it completely, O LORD.

**Psalms 103:14** ...for he knows how we are formed, he remembers that we are dust.

**Psalms 103:14** He knows us inside and out, keeps in mind that we're made of mud. (MSG)

#### **GOD KNOWS...**

- my every action
- all my thoughts
- all my ways
- my words before I speak them
- my limitations

→ God's Knowledge of us is PERSONAL... He knows us better than we Know Ourselves

### **HOW SHOULD WE RESPOND TO GOD'S KNOWLEDGE?**

#### **1- GOD'S KNOWLEDGE SHOULD ENCOURAGE US IN PRAYER**

**Matthew 6:6-8** But when you pray, go into your room, close the door and pray to your Father, who is unseen. Then your Father, who sees what is done in secret, will reward you. [7] And when you pray, do not keep on babbling like pagans, for they think they will be heard because of their many words. [8] Do not be like them, for your Father knows what you need before you ask him.

**Matthew 6:31-33** So do not worry, saying, 'What shall we eat?' or 'What shall we drink?' or 'What shall we wear?' [32] For the pagans run after all these things, and your heavenly Father knows that you need them. [33] But seek first his kingdom and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well.

➔ **Because God KNOWS Everything He has the Power to Answer Prayer**

## **2- GOD'S KNOWLEDGE SHOULD BE A COMFORT TO US DURING TESTING AND TRIALS**

**God Knows... and Understands ALL my weaknesses (HOW?... He Knows All Things)**

**Hebrews 4:15-16** For we do not have a high priest who is unable to sympathize with our weaknesses, but we have one who has been tempted in every way, just as we are--yet was without sin. [16] Let us then approach the throne of grace with confidence, so that we may receive mercy and find grace to help us in our time of need.

**God Knows...every one of MY Trials, Tests, or Temptations - Past, Present, Future**

**Job 23:10** But he knows the way that I take; when he has tested me, I will come forth as gold.

**God Knows...my limits and how much I can handle**

**1 Corinthians 10:13** No temptation has seized you except what is common to man. And God is faithful; he will not let you be tempted beyond what you can bear. But when you are tempted, he will also provide a way out so that you can stand up under it.

**God Knows...His Promises and He has the power to fulfill them**

**2 Peter 2:9** So you see, the Lord knows how to rescue godly people from their trials, even while punishing the wicked right up until the day of judgment. (NLT)

➔ **Because God KNOWS Everything I Can Trust Him to Work in Many Ways in My Life**

## **3- GOD IS SOVEREIGN OVER HIS KNOWLEDGE**

**Jeremiah 31:34** No longer will a man teach his neighbor, or a man his brother, saying, 'Know the LORD,' because they will all know me, from the least of them to the greatest," declares the LORD. "For I will forgive their wickedness and will remember their sins no more."

**Psalms 103:11-12** For as high as the heavens are above the earth, so great is his love for those who fear him; [12] as far as the east is from the west, so far has he removed our transgressions from us.

**SO WHAT??** (So what ONE thing should I do in light of God's Knowledge?)

**Psalms 139:23-24** Search me, O God, and know my heart; test me and know my anxious thoughts. [24] See if there is any offensive way in me, and lead me in the way everlasting.

➔ **God Knows EVERYTHING about me... All that I do and Think...  
...and He Still LOVES ME!**