

# **Day 5: God's Unchanging Moral Standard**

## KNOW IT!

#### Hebrews 13:8-9

Jesus Christ is the same yesterday and today and forever. Do not be led away by diverse and strange teachings, for it is good for the heart to be strengthened by grace, not by foods, which have not benefited those devoted to them.

#### Romans 2:14-16

For when Gentiles, who do not have the law, by nature do what the law requires, they are a law to themselves, even though they do not have the law. They show that the work of the law is written on their hearts, while their conscience also bears witness, and their conflicting thoughts accuse or even excuse them on that day when, according to my gospel, God judges the secrets of men by Christ Jesus.

While our world often promotes moral relativism, God's character and moral standards remain constant. In the Romans passage above, Paul speaks of a moral law written on human hearts. Think about times when you've instinctively known something was right or wrong. How does this internal sense of morality point to God's existence? Reflect on how God's moral standard, revealed in Scripture, provides a firm foundation for life, and consider areas where you have been tempted to compromise God's standards to fit in with culture.

## LIVE IT! SHARE IT!

- Pray for the courage to align your life with God's standards, even when it's challenging.
  - Reflect on how God's unchanging nature provides stability and guidance.
- Ask God to strengthen your commitment to His unchanging truth and to help you lovingly share that truth with others.

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