

Lesson Title: What Is Man - Lesson Two: You Have No Clue

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## **Sermon Title: You Have No Clue**

Scripture Focus: Psalm 8:4-6, Romans 8:28, Psalm 139:1

#### Main Text – Psalm 8:4-6

- "What is man that You are mindful of him..."
  - $\circ$  *Man (Enosh)* = frail, mortal, weak
  - o Son of Man (Ben Adam) = identity, lineage, representation
- This poetic *parallelism* emphasizes both frailty and divine function.
- **Progression of revelation**: From humility → identity → purpose

### **Key Concepts**

#### 1. God's Mindfulness

- "Mindful" in Hebrew = to call into conscious attention
- God gives deliberate, purposeful focus to man.
- His attention is not casual but **intentional**, **emotional**, and **eternal**.

#### 2. Visitation (Pakad)

- God *visits* what He's invested in—this is tied to care, inspection, intervention.
- Examples:
  - o Genesis 21:1 God visited Sarah
  - o Exodus 3:16 God visited His people in Egypt
  - o Ruth 1:6 God visited to provide
- God visits according to **purpose**, not feelings.

# Romans 8:28 – "Called According to His Purpose"

- Greek: *Kaleo* to summon, appoint, invite
- Hebrew: *To name, proclaim, assign function*
- To be "called" is to be:
  - Named with purpose
  - Appointed with function
  - Activated to operate in divine design



## Psalm 8:5-6 – "Crowned with Glory and Honor"

#### Glory (Kavod)

- Crowned = Atar = to encircle, wrap, surround
- *Kaf* capacity to carry
- *Bet* house that hosts
- *Dalet* door that releases
- Function: Carry the presence of God and release it in the earth

#### Honor

- Visible dignity, expression of glory
- Hey = revelation, breath meant to be seen
- Man was made not only to carry but to display God's glory

## Psalm 139:14 – "Fearfully and Wonderfully Made"

- Fearfully = awe-inspiring, reverent design
- Wonderfully = divinely set apart, miraculous
- Made as a divine statement of God's power and creativity
- Our lives are **masterpieces** meant to reveal the Creator

### **Closing Charge**

- You were created to function as *Adam*—a door between heaven and earth.
- Stop living beneath your design. Realize what God has crowned you with.
- Revelation must lead to application.
- When people see your life aligned with God's purpose, they'll see God.
- Don't wait for heaven—live like heaven is here **through you**.