

## God's Omniscience

The Glorious Know-It-All

From the Series, "What Is God Like?"

Psalm 139:1-17 Preached 5/3/15 Meadow Baptist Church

- 1. God's Knowledge Is Emphasized In Scripture
  - a. Psalm 147:5 "Great is our Lord, and abundant in power; His understanding is beyond measure."
  - b. 1 John 3:20 "For whenever our heart condemns us, God is greater than our heart, and He knows everything."
  - c. Job 28:24 "For He looks to the ends of the earth and sees everything under the heavens."
  - d. 1 Samuel 2:3 "Talk no more so very proudly, let not arrogance come from your mouth; for the Lord is a God of knowledge, and by Him actions are weighed."

## Not only does God know everything, but he also knows how everything fits together

- 2. God's Knowledge Is Superior To Our Knowledge
  - a. Romans 11:33-34 Oh, the depth of the riches and wisdom and knowledge of God! How unsearchable are his judgments and how inscrutable his ways!
  - b. For who has known the mind of the Lord, or who has been His counselor?
  - c. Isaiah 55:8-9 "For My thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways My ways, saith the Lord. 9 For as the heavens are higher than the earth, so are My ways higher than your ways, and My thoughts than your thoughts."

- d. Isaiah 40:13-14, 28 Who has measured the Spirit of the Lord, or what man shows him his counsel? Whom did he consult, and who made him understand? Who taught him the path of justice, and taught him knowledge, and showed him the way of understanding?... Have you not known? Have you not heard? The Lord is the everlasting God, the Creator of the ends of the earth. He does not faint or grow weary; his understanding is unsearchable.
- 3. God's Knowledge Is Comprehensive
  - a. Proverbs 15:3 "The eyes of the Lord are in every place, beholding the evil and the good."
  - b. Isaiah 46:10 "Declaring the end from the beginning and from ancient times things not yet done, saying, 'My counsel shall stand, and I will accomplish all My purpose.'
  - c. Isaiah 42:9 "Behold, the former things have come to pass, and new things I now declare; before they spring forth I tell you of them."
  - d. Job 28:24 "For He looks to the ends of the earth and sees everything under the heavens."
- 4. God's Knowledge Is Personal & Precise
  - a. Psalm 139:1-6 "O Lord, You have searched me and known me! You know when I sit down and when I rise up; You discern my thoughts from afar. You search out my path and my lying down and are acquainted with all my ways. Even before a word is on my tongue, behold, O Lord, You know it altogether. You hem me in, behind and before, and lay Your hand upon me."
  - b. Psalm 139:13-16 "For You formed my inward parts; You knitted me together in my mother's womb. 14 I praise You, for I am fearfully and wonderfully made. Wonderful are your works; my soul knows it very well. 15 My frame was not hidden from You, when I was being made in secret, intricately woven in the depths of the earth. 16 Your eyes saw my unformed substance; in Your book were written, every one of them, the days that were formed for me, when as yet there was none of them."
  - c. Matthew 10:30 "But even the hairs of your head are all numbered."