

IDENTITY THEFT

WHO IS GOD, WHO AM I, WHO ARE WE?

Identity Theft: Who is God?

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To understand who we are, know our identity, we must first understand who God is. Moses asked God to reveal Himself. In Exodus 34:6-7, we find God's answer.

I AM THAT I AM

“GOD passed in front of him and called out, ‘GOD, GOD, a God of mercy and grace, endlessly patient—so much love, so deeply true—loyal in love for a thousand generations, forgiving iniquity, rebellion, and sin. Still, he doesn't ignore sin. He holds sons and grandsons responsible for a father's sins to the third and even fourth generation.” Exodus 34:6-7 (MSG)

- 1. Why is it important to know who God is in order to know who you are?**
- 2. As you read these verses, what description of God stands out to you?**

I am a God of MERCY and GRACE

“He showed Moses how he went about his work, opened up his plans to all Israel. God is sheer mercy and grace; not easily angered, he's rich in love.” Psalm 103.7-8

- 3. What does it mean to you the God is sheer mercy?**
- 4. What does it mean to you that God is grace?**

**I am a God who is ENDLESSLY PATIENT, LOVING,
FAITHFUL and LOYAL**

“God, it seems you've been our home forever; long before the mountains were born, Long before you brought earth itself to birth, from ‘once upon a time’ to ‘kingdom come’—you are God.” Psalm 90:1-2 (MSG)

**5. If God is endlessly patient, how does that affect your relationship with Him?
With others?**

6. Give a personal example of your experience with God's faithfulness.

I am a God who is FORGIVING and JUST

“God, slow to get angry and huge in loyal love, forgiving iniquity and rebellion and sin; Still, never just whitewashing sin. But extending the fallout of parents' sins to children into the third, even the fourth generation.” Numbers 14:18 (MSG)

7. How have you experienced God's forgiveness?

8. How have you experienced God's justice?

Understanding the true identity of God leads to worship of God.

“At once, Moses fell to the ground and worshiped, saying, ‘Please, O Master, if you see anything good in me, please Master, travel with us, hard-headed as these people are. Forgive our iniquity and sin. Own us, possess us.’ Exodus 34:8-9 (MSG)

9. Why does knowing God as He truly is lead a person to worship?

**10. What other areas of our life should be affected when we know God as
He truly is?**