



INTRODUCTION

PART 3: The Omniscience, Omnipotence, & Omnipresence of God

Different religions have differing ideas of what God is like. But who is God? How can we know Him? And what difference does any of it make?

In the Beginning is a series focusing on what God has made known about himself in the first three chapters of the Bible in the book of Genesis. Join us in discovering how life changing this information can be in our relationship with God and with others.

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

1. Are you the kind of person who always likes to be “in control” of your circumstances? Explain your answer. Why do you think people like to be “in control?”
2. How do you feel when you think that things are out of your control? Why is it important that we recognize that God alone is in control of everything?
3. Read Genesis 1:1-5 and Hebrews 11:3. What are some things we learn about God from these verses?
4. Read Job 38:4-12 and Psalm 139:7-12. What additional things do we learn about God from these verses?
5. How might our lives be different if we really believed God was omnipotent, omniscient and omnipresent?
6. What are some things we can do to remind ourselves of who God is?
7. Read Acts 17:24-27. What do you think these verses mean? What do we learn about God’s heart from these verses?
8. How might you apply this lesson to your life?

APPLICATION

We have a tendency to want to be in control of our life, our health, our schedule, and other people’s lives. Our control is often just an illusion, as it is really God who is in control, as He is all-knowing, all-powerful and ever-present.

God is omniscient; He knows what’s best, and He’s able to show us the way. God is omnipotent; He is able to accomplish all that He desires. God is also omnipresent; He is everywhere, and He promises not to leave or forsake us.

When life feels out of control, we need to turn to the One who is in control, never being afraid to turn over our unknown future to an all-knowing God. Learning to do so is a matter of trusting Him.

KEY VERSES

Genesis 1:1-5
Hebrews 11:3
Job 38:4-12
Psalm 139:7-10
Acts 17:24-27