

## **GOD KNOWS WHAT IS BEST**

**Exodus 3:14**

**(Not entirely original with me)**

**Introduction:** It is virtually impossible for us to be able to grasp the fact that there is "somebody" who knows everything. We have met people who "thought" they knew everything, but there actually is "somebody" who knows all things. It should be no secret, it should be a well known fact that GOD has all wisdom and knows all things for after all it was God who created everything and keeps everything going.

### **1. GOD'S KNOWLEDGE INCLUDES EVERYTHING** *(1 John 3:20)*

- All that is, all that was, all that will be, all that is possible.
- Everything about the material world, such as the grains of sand on the beaches. *(Job 28:24)*
- Every single animal that ever has been when they live and when they fall/die. *(Matthew 10:29)*
- Every person that has ever lived and when they died. *(Job 26:6)*
- Every intimate detail of every person who has ever lived. *(Jeremiah 1:5; Psalm 139:1-4; 15:56:8; Job 14:16-17; Matthew 10:30; Proverbs 5:21; Isaiah 46:9-11)*
  - Before his/her birth through their earthly life to their death.
  - Their every thought.
  - The hairs on their heads to every deed ever done.
  - Everything there was/is to know.
  - Everything from the past to the future.

### **2. GOD'S KNOWLEDGE INCLUDES THE "WHY" THINGS ARE DONE**

- Everything God has done, is doing and will do is directed toward only good.
  - God's judgment is directed toward good.
- However, man's purposes are generally not good. Man is basically immoral and sinful.

### **3. GOD'S KNOWLEDGE IS COMPLETE, PERFECT AND FOREVER**

- God has perfect knowledge of every detail of life for every single believer.
  - Their past, present and days yet to come.
  - He knows intimate details of the entire world and universe. *(Acts 15:18; Job 37:16; Hebrews 4:13)*
- God has warned that every being who has existed will stand before Him one day.
  - God knows where each human being who has ever lived is at all times.

### **4. SUCH KNOWLEDGE IS HARD TO UNDERSTAND**

- It is in no way like our understanding.
  - We learn from others, by comparing, from the past, etc.
  - God has always known all there is to know.
- God's knowledge is not learned.
  - God didn't have to learn anything like we do.
  - God already knew everything.
- God's knowledge is true, certain, complete.
  - Our knowledge is uncertain, changes, incomplete.
  - The older we get, the more we usually learn.
  - God already knows everything.

## 5. GOD USES HIS KNOWLEDGE WISELY

- God uses His knowledge for good.
- God knows the past, present, and the future, knowing how to bring about His intentions.
- We don't use what knowledge we have very wise most of the time and have no idea what the future holds.

## 6. KNOWING ALL THINGS, GOD STILL GIVES PEOPLE FREEDOM TO MAKE CHOICES

- *Deuteronomy 8:2; Genesis 18:20-21*

- God tries to get people to see what they are really like.
- God cares about people and wants to see them do their best.
- God sends warnings at times to try to get people to do the right thing. (*Proverbs 15:11*)
- God even sends warnings to His own Children (Christians) and will even send correction on them.
- Knowing God cares for us, that knowledge should bring relief to the believer. (*Matthew 6:8*)
- Knowing that God knows our every thought and how we feel, that we (believers) are His Children, should cause us to be grateful and thankful.

God cares for His Children and can do something to help us in our daily lives. (*2 Corinthians 1:3*)

- God knows what is best for us and knows our future.
- We should be happy and satisfied with whatever situation in life God chooses to have us in.
- God will avenge His Children when evil has been done to them.

## CONCLUSION:

- IF Christians can realize that God knows everything, then we need to realize that God can lead us and that He can provide for our every need.
- So, why are we Christians so slow to confess our sins for God already knows. Why don't we confess our sins immediately?
- We know that we have a Heavenly Father, who knows all things and can do all things, who is on our side and wants to guide us through our earthly lives.
- God has all knowledge, God has all power, God is the Christian's Heavenly Father, so Christian, why not turn your life over completely to somebody who can run it better than you?