

2.

Who made God?



A God is the only being who was not created by someone else. God has been, and will be, existent for all eternity (**Exod. 3:14; Ps. 90:2; Isa. 46:9; John 1:1; Acts 17:24–25**).

"And God said unto Moses, I AM THAT I AM: and he said, Thus shalt thou say unto the children of Israel, "I AM hath sent me unto you."

Exodus 3:14

"Before the mountains were brought forth, or ever thou hadst formed the earth and the world, even from everlasting to everlasting, thou art God."

Psalms 90:2

"Remember the former things of old: for I am God, and there is none else; I am God, and there is none like me."

Isaiah 46:9

"In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God."

John 1:1

"God that made the world and all things therein, seeing that he is Lord of heaven and earth, dwelleth not in temples made with hands; Neither is worshipped with men's hands, as though he needed any thing, seeing he giveth to all life, and breath, and all things."

Acts 17:24-25



FOUNDATIONAL TRUTH #2

God is everlasting to everlasting

In Action

Set aside time this week to consider incorporating daily prayer and contemplation on the nature of God's eternal existence, expressing gratitude and reverence for this understanding, and seeking to deepen your relationship with God each day.

Definitions

Everlasting

Something that lasts forever or has no end, often used to describe God's attributes or promises.

Existent

Currently exists or has reality or being.

Moses

A biblical figure and prophet who led the Israelites out of Egypt and received the Ten Commandments from God on Mount Sinai.

Scripture Checklist

Exodus 3:14

Psalm 90:2

Isaiah 46:9

John 1:1

Acts 17:24–25



Prayer for This Week

Oh God, we come before You in awe and wonder at Your timeless existence. Thank You for revealing Yourself as the Alpha and Omega, without beginning or end, the source of all existence and wisdom.


Help us to grasp the magnitude of Your eternal nature and find comfort in Your presence. Guide us in our journey this week to know You more deeply and to focus our lives on Your purpose. In Your everlasting name we pray.

Amen



3.

Who is God?



God is a Spirit (John 4:24), without beginning or end (Ps. 90:2; Rev. 1:8), unchangeable in His being, wisdom, power, holiness, justice, goodness, and truth (James 1:17; Mal. 3:6). There is only one true eternal God: Father, Son, and Spirit.

"God is not a man, that he should lie; neither the son of man, that he should repent: hath he said, and shall he not do it? or hath he spoken, and shall he not make it good?"

Numbers 23:19

"For I am the LORD, I change not; therefore ye sons of Jacob are not consumed."

Malachi 3:6

"God is a Spirit: and they that worship him must worship him in spirit and in truth."

John 4:24

"Every good gift and every perfect gift is from above, and cometh down from the Father of lights, with whom is no variableness, neither shadow of turning."

James 1:17

"I am Alpha and Omega, the beginning and the ending, saith the Lord, which is, and which was, and which is to come, the Almighty."

Revelation 1:8

FOUNDATIONAL TRUTH #3

God is eternal, just, and good

In Action

Consider how understanding these beliefs about God can guide your actions throughout the week. How can you demonstrate God's attributes in your interactions with others? Try practicing goodness, justice, and holiness in your daily activities and relationships.

Definitions

Shadow of Turning

A metaphor illustrating that God does not change like shifting shadows, but remains consistent, dependable, and unchanging in His goodness and character.

Variableness

The quality of being changeable or variable; inconstant nature or characteristics, often contrasted with God's unchanging and steadfast nature.

Consumed

Often refers to being wholly absorbed, engulfed, or burned up because of God's holiness.

Scripture Checklist

■ Numbers 23:19

■ Malachi 3:6

■ John 4:24

■ James 1:17

■ Revelation 1:8

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Prayer for This Week

Heavenly Father, we come before You with humble hearts, acknowledging and proclaiming that You are the eternal God, without beginning or end. We desire to draw closer to You through a deeper understanding of Your unchanging attributes.

Help us be holy and just, reflecting Your goodness and truth in our lives. As we navigate this week, guide our thoughts, words, and actions. May Your Spirit empower us to live out the truth of who You are, extending love, grace, and compassion to those we encounter.

Amen

4.

How can God be one and yet three persons?



A There is one God (**1 Cor. 8:6**) who eternally exists as the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit (**John 15:26**). These three persons are one God, the same in essence, equal in power and glory.

"The LORD by wisdom hath founded the earth; by understanding hath he established the heavens."

Proverbs 3:19

"Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost."

Matthew 28:19

"I and my Father are one."

John 10:30

"Jesus saith unto him, Have I been so long time with you, and yet hast thou not known me, Philip? He that hath seen me hath seen the Father; and how sayest thou then, Shew us the Father?"

John 14:9

"But when the Comforter is come, whom I will send unto you from the Father, even the Spirit of truth, which proceedeth from the Father, he shall testify of me."

John 15:26

"But Peter said, Ananias, why has Satan filled your heart to lie to the Holy Spirit.... thou hast not lied unto men but unto God."

Acts 5:3-4

"But to us there is but one God, the Father, of whom are all things, and we in him; and one Lord Jesus Christ, by whom are all things, and we by him."

1 Corinthians 8:6

"The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Ghost, be with you all. Amen."

2 Corinthians 13:14

FOUNDATIONAL TRUTH #4

God is three persons, one in essence

In Action

Dedicate time this week for focused prayer and reflection on the Trinity and consciously apply this understanding in your daily life, living out the belief in one God existing as Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, and reflecting on their unity and equality in power and glory.

Definitions

Baptizing

Water baptism symbolizes the death, burial, and resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ and the new life found in Him.

Proceedeth

To move forward, continue, or take action in a particular direction or manner.

Essence

The fundamental nature or being of God, comprising Father, Son (Jesus Christ), and Holy Spirit.

Scripture Checklist

■ Proverbs 3:19

■ Matthew 28:19

■ John 10:30

■ John 14:9

■ John 15:26

■ Acts 5:3-4

■ 1 Corinthians 8:6

■ 2 Corinthians 13:14

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Prayer for This Week

Thank you, Father, for Your unfailing love, for creating us and guiding our lives. We are grateful that You help provide our homes and food to sustain us. We thank You, Jesus, our Savior and Redeemer, for Your sacrifice and teachings. Holy Spirit, our Comforter and Guide, we welcome Your presence and wisdom.

Help us to grasp the depth of Your unity and embrace the beauty of Your triune nature. May we reflect this unity and love in our lives, treating one another with grace and compassion. In Your name we pray.

Amen

5.

What does God know?



A God knows all things (1 John 3:20): the certain future (Isa. 46:9–11), all possibilities, and even the thoughts (Ps. 139:1–4) and intents of our hearts (John 2:24–25).

"O LORD, thou hast searched me, and known me. Thou knowest my downsitting and mine uprising, thou understandest my thought afar off. Thou compassed my path and my lying down, and art acquainted with all my ways. For there is not a word in my tongue, but, lo, O LORD, thou knowest it altogether."

Psalm 139:1-4

"For God shall bring every work into judgment, with every secret thing, whether it be good, or whether it be evil."

Ecclesiastes 12:14

"Remember the former things of old: for I am God, and there is none else; I am God, and there is none like me, Declaring the end from the beginning, and from ancient times the things that are not yet done, saying, My counsel shall stand, and I will do all my pleasure: Calling a ravenous bird from the east, the man that executeth my counsel from a far country: yea, I have spoken it, I will also bring it to pass; I have purposed it, I will also do it."

Isaiah 46:9-11

"But Jesus did not commit himself unto them, because he knew all men, And needed not that any should testify of man: for he knew what was in man."

John 2:24-25

"Neither is there any creature that is not manifest in his sight: but all things are naked and opened unto the eyes of him with whom we have to do."

Hebrews 4:13

"For if our heart condemn us, God is greater than our heart, and knoweth all things."

1 John 3:20

FOUNDATIONAL TRUTH #5

God knows about all things

In Action

Practice surrendering and trusting God's knowledge this week. Keep a journal to jot down your thoughts, concerns, and experiences throughout the week. At the end of each day, write down moments when you felt God's guidance or saw evidence of His knowledge in your life. By consciously acknowledging and surrendering to the fact that God knows all things, and incorporating this awareness into your prayers, reflections, and actions, you can deepen your faith and trust in His wisdom and plan for your life.

Definitions

Condemn

To pronounce judgment or express disapproval of something based on moral or ethical standards, often associated with denouncing sinful actions or behavior.

Compassest

Conveys the idea that God surrounds, understands, and is intimately aware of every aspect of an individual's life.

Testify

To give a personal account or declaration of one's faith, beliefs, experiences, or knowledge.

Scripture Checklist

■ Psalm 139:1-4

■ Ecclesiastes 12:14

■ Isaiah 46:9-11

■ John 2:24-25

■ Hebrews 4:13

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Prayer for This Week

Heavenly Father, we come before You, acknowledging that You are the all-knowing God. You know the certain future, all possibilities, and the depths of our hearts. Thank You for Your wisdom that surpasses our understanding.

Help us trust in Your plans, even when we can't see the way. May we surrender our worries and fears, knowing that You hold all things in Your hands. In Jesus' name, we pray.

Amen