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- A. GOD IS ETERNAL
- B. GOD IS IMMUTABLE
- C. GOD IS OMNIPOTENT (ALL POWERFUL)
- D. GOD IS OMNISCIENT (ALL KNOWING)
- E. GOD IS OMNIPRESENT (PRESENT EVERYWHERE AT THE SAME TIME)
- F. GOD IS FAITHFUL
- G. GOD IS GOOD
- H. GOD IS JUST
- I. GOD IS HOLY
- J. GOD IS LOVE

What does it mean when we say God is omniscient?

- i. All-Knowing
- ii. He has knowledge of all things at all times.
- iii. He knows the past, present and the future.
- iv. He knows our every thought.
- v. His knowledge is infinite, complete and perfect.

Vastness of God's Knowledge:

Job 38:1-6:

"Then the LORD spoke to Job out of the storm. He said:

"Who is this that obscures my plans with words without knowledge? Brace yourself like a man; I will question you, and you shall answer me. "Where were you when I laid the earth's foundation? Tell me, if you understand. Who marked off its dimensions? Surely you know! Who stretched a measuring line across it? On what were its footings set, or who laid its cornerstone"

1 Kings 4:29-34.

"God gave Solomon wisdom and very great insight, and a breadth of understanding as measureless as the sand on the seashore. 30 Solomon's wisdom was greater than the wisdom of all the people of the East, and greater than all the wisdom of Egypt. 31 He was wiser than anyone else, including Ethan the Ezrahite—wiser than Heman, Kalkol and Darda, the sons of Mahol. And his fame spread to all the surrounding nations. 32 He spoke three thousand proverbs and his songs numbered a thousand and five. 33 He spoke about plant life, from the cedar of Lebanon to the hyssop that grows out of walls. He also spoke about animals and birds, reptiles and fish. 34 From all nations people came to listen to Solomon's wisdom, sent by all the kings of the world, who had heard of his wisdom."

Luke 12:27

"Consider how the wild flowers grow. They do not labor or spin. Yet I tell you, **not even Solomon in all his splendor was dressed like one of these."**

Job 26:7

"He spreads out the northern skies over empty space; He suspends the earth over nothing."

Psalms 147:4

"He determines the number of the stars and calls them each by name."

Matthew 10:29-31

"Are not two sparrows sold for a penny? Yet not one of them will fall to the ground outside your Father's care. 30 **And even the very hairs of your head are all numbered.** 31 So don't be afraid; you are worth more than many sparrows."

Jeremiah 1:5

"Before I formed you in the womb I knew you, before you were born I set you apart."

He knows the past, present and the future.

Isaiah 46:9-10

"Remember the former things, those of long ago; I am God, and there is no other; I am God, and there is none like me. I make known the end from the beginning, from ancient times, what is still to come. I say, 'My purpose will stand, and I will do all that I please.'

There is nothing hidden from Him.

Proverbs 15:3

"The eyes of the LORD are everywhere, keeping watch on the wicked and the good."

Psalms 139:1-3

"You have searched me, LORD, and you know me. You know when I sit and when I rise; you perceive my thoughts from afar. You discern my going out and my lying down; you are familiar with all my ways."

Psalms 69:5

"You, God, know my folly; my guilt is not hidden from you."

Hebrews 4:12-13

"For the word of God is alive and active. Sharper than any double-edged sword, it penetrates even to dividing soul and spirit, joints and marrow; it judges the thoughts and attitudes of the heart. 13 **Nothing in all creation is hidden from God's sight.** Everything is uncovered and laid bare before the eyes of him to whom we must give account."

Why pray if He knows everything?

1 Thessalonians 5:17

"Pray continually" or "Pray without ceasing."

James 4:2

"You desire but do not have, so you kill. You covet but you cannot get what you want, so you quarrel and fight. You do not have because you do not ask God."

Matthew 8:24-27

"Suddenly a furious storm came up on the lake, so that the waves swept over the boat. But Jesus was sleeping. The disciples went and woke him, saying, "Lord, save us! We're going to drown!" He replied, "You of little faith, why are you so afraid?" Then he got up and rebuked the winds and the waves, and it was completely calm. The men were amazed and asked, "What kind of man is this? Even the winds and the waves obey him!"

Philippians 4:6-7

"Do not be anxious about anything, but in every situation, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. 7 And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus."

We worship a God who is second to none. He knows the past, present and the future. There is nothing that is hidden from Him.