

Meeting with God Part 1

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A great meeting!

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Psalm 139 NIV

For the director of music. Of David. A psalm.

1 You have searched me, Lord,
and you know me.

2 You know when I sit and when I rise;
you perceive my thoughts from afar.

3 You discern my going out and my lying down;
you are familiar with all my ways.

4 Before a word is on my tongue
you, Lord, know it completely.

Psalm 139 NIV

5 You hem me in behind and before,
and you lay your hand upon me.

6 Such knowledge is too wonderful for me,
too lofty for me to attain.

7 Where can I go from your Spirit?
Where can I flee from your presence?

Psalm 139 NIV

8 If I go up to the heavens, you are there;
if I make my bed in the depths,
you are there.

9 If I rise on the wings of the dawn,
if I settle on the far side of the sea,
10 even there your hand will guide me,
your right hand will hold me fast.

Psalm 139 NIV

11 If I say, “Surely the darkness will hide me and the light become night around me,”

12 even the darkness will not be dark to you; the night will shine like the day,
for darkness is as light to you.

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Romans 12:1-3 NIV

A Living Sacrifice

12 Therefore, I urge you, brothers and sisters, in view of God's mercy, to offer your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and pleasing to God—this is your true and proper worship. 2 Do not conform to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Then you will be able to test and approve what God's will is—his good, pleasing and perfect will.

Meeting with God... is our
need today!

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The Presence of God

Feeling God's presence is a vital aspect of our spiritual journey. This presence isn't just about searching for Him in grand places; He meets us in the ordinary and the daily. When we consciously invite Him into every moment, we begin to recognize that He is with us.

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The Presence of God

It's crucial for us to cultivate an awareness of God's presence in our lives. Whether we are enjoying a beautiful sunrise or facing tough challenges, He is close by, waiting to meet us within those experiences.

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When we think about meeting God, it often starts with a calling. God invites each of us into a relationship, and it's up to us to respond. Feeling that tug on our heartstrings means He is ready for us to draw nearer. Through His love and grace, we're assured of His welcoming spirit, pushing us to spend more time in His presence, letting us know that we are desired and cherished.

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The key theological point centers on the word "know." David can live in a hostile world because he knows that the Lord knows him and his situation completely, and he finds security in being known.⁵

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For application, far from being threatening, God's omnipresence is a great comfort and assurance; we are never far from God, no matter where we go.⁶ At the same time, the pervasive presence of God in our lives might prompt a sense of holy awe and respect.⁷

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Prayer Room

MATTHEW 6:6

Matthew 6:5-8 Easy-to-Read Version

Jesus Teaches About Prayer

5 “When you pray, don’t be like the hypocrites. They love to stand in the synagogues and on the street corners and pray loudly. They want people to see them. The truth is, that’s all the reward they will get. 6 But when you pray, you should go into your room and close the door. Then pray to your Father. He is there in that private place. He can see what is done in private, and he will reward you.

Matthew 6:5-8 Easy-to-Read Version

7 “And when you pray, don’t be like the people who don’t know God. They say the same things again and again. They think that if they say it enough, their god will hear them. 8 Don’t be like them. Your Father knows what you need before you ask him.

The background of the slide features a dark blue field with several overlapping circles in various shades of blue, ranging from deep navy to a bright sky blue. The circles are positioned in the upper right and center, creating a layered, geometric effect.

TAKING GOD SERIOUSLY

Psalm 139:23-24 NIV

23 Search me, God, and know my heart;
test me and know my anxious thoughts.
24 See if there is any offensive way in me,
and lead me in the way everlasting.