

# BACK TO THE BASICS

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## Personal God

O LORD, you have examined my heart and know everything about me. You know when I sit down or stand up. You know my thoughts even when I'm far away. You see me when I travel and when I rest at home. You know everything I do. You know what I am going to say even before I say it, LORD. You go before me and follow me. You place your hand of blessing on my head. Such knowledge is too wonderful for me, too great for me to understand! Psalm 139:1-6

### Some Attributes of God. God is:

- I) \_\_\_\_\_  
They were calling out to each other, "Holy, holy, holy is the LORD of Heaven's Armies! The whole earth is filled with his glory!" Isaiah 6:3
- II) \_\_\_\_\_  
For the righteous LORD loves justice. The virtuous will see his face. Psalm 11:7
- III) \_\_\_\_\_  
But anyone who does not love does not know God, for God is love. 1 John 4:8
- IV) \_\_\_\_\_  
The eternal God is your refuge, and his everlasting arms are under you... Deuteronomy 33:27a
- V) \_\_\_\_\_  
Jesus looked at them intently and said, "Humanly speaking, it is impossible. But with God everything is possible." Matthew 19:26
- VI) \_\_\_\_\_  
Even if we feel guilty, God is greater than our feelings, and he knows everything. 1 John 3:20
- VII) \_\_\_\_\_  
I can never escape from your Spirit! I can never get away from your presence! If I go up to heaven, you are there; if I go down to the grave, you are there. If I ride the wings of the morning, if I dwell by the farthest oceans, even there your hand will guide me, and your strength will support me. Psalm 139:7-10
- VIII) \_\_\_\_\_  
For God is Spirit, so those who worship him must worship in spirit and in truth. John 4:24
- IX) \_\_\_\_\_  
For through him God created everything in the heavenly realms and on earth. He made the things we can see and the things we can't see— such as thrones, kingdoms, rulers, and authorities in the unseen world. Everything was created through him and for him. He existed

before anything else, and he holds all creation together. Colossians 1:16-17

X) \_\_\_\_\_

Whatever is good and perfect comes down to us from God our Father, who created all the lights in the heavens. He never changes or casts a shifting shadow. James 1:17

XI) \_\_\_\_\_

**Key Theological Truth:**

God is a \_\_\_\_\_ God.

**Back to the Basics truth:**

I believe God is \_\_\_\_\_ in my life.

He heals the brokenhearted and bandages their wounds. He counts the stars and calls them all by name. Psalm 147:3-4

If you look for me wholeheartedly, you will find me.

Jeremiah 29:13

But Moses protested, "If I go to the people of Israel and tell them, 'The God of your ancestors has sent me to you,' they will ask me, 'What is his name?' Then what should I tell them?" God replied to Moses, "I AM WHO I AM. Say this to the people of Israel: I AM has sent me to you." Exodus 3:13-14

**Because God is Personal, I Can Be Sure God:**

I) Is \_\_\_\_\_ with me.

A) Then the LORD told him, "I have certainly seen the oppression of my people in Egypt. I have heard their cries of distress because of their harsh slave drivers. Yes, I am aware of their suffering. Exodus 3:7

B) What is the price of two sparrows—one copper coin? But not a single sparrow can fall to the ground without your Father knowing it. And the very hairs on your head are all numbered. So don't be afraid; you are more valuable to God than a whole flock of sparrows. Matthew 10:29-31

II) Will \_\_\_\_\_ when I need Him.

A) So I have come down to rescue them from the power of the Egyptians and lead them out of Egypt into their own fertile and spacious land. It is a land flowing with milk and honey—the land where the Canaanites, Hittites, Amorites, Perizzites, Hivites, and Jebusites now live. Exodus 3:8

B) No problem is too \_\_\_\_\_ for God.

C) No problem is too \_\_\_\_\_ for God.

D) Give all your worries and cares to God, for he cares about you. 1 Peter 5:7

III) Has a \_\_\_\_\_ for my life.

A) Now go, for I am sending you to Pharaoh. You must lead my people Israel out of Egypt."

Exodus 3:10

B) "I knew you before I formed you in your mother's womb. Before you were born I set you apart and appointed you as my prophet to the nations." Jeremiah 1:5

C) For I know the plans I have for you," says the LORD. "They are plans for good and not for disaster, to give you a future and a hope. Jeremiah 29:11

IV) Loves me \_\_\_\_\_.

But anyone who does not love does not know God, for God is love. God showed how much he loved us by sending his one and only Son into the world so that we might have eternal life through him. This is real love—not that we loved God, but that he loved us and sent his Son as a sacrifice to take away our sins. 1 John 4:8-10

Jesus told him, "I am the way, the truth, and the life. No one can come to the Father except through me." John 14:6

#### NEXT STEPS:

- I will memorize Jeremiah 29:13.
- I believe God is actively involved in my life.