

Series: Sound Insights from the Psalms
Scripture: Psalm 139
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HOW WELL DOES GOD KNOW ME?

*Psalm 139:1 O LORD, you have searched me **and you know me.***

Three truths that David shares about God's relationship to each one of us...

I. GOD IS _____ IN MY _____!

God knows what I'm _____!

[2] You know when I sit and when I rise;

God knows what I'm _____!

[2] you perceive my thoughts from afar.

God knows what I'm _____!

[3] You discern my going out and my lying down;

God knows what I'm _____!

[3] you are familiar with all my ways.

God knows what I _____!

[4] Before a word is on my tongue you know it completely,
O LORD.

II. GOD IS _____ TO _____ ME!

[5] You hem me in--behind and before; you have laid 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? [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.** [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.

David says that God will do two things for him...

- 1.
- 2.

III. GOD PERSONALLY _____ I AM!

This psalm points out three important truths about my relationship with the God of the universe...

1. I am created " _____ " God!

[13] For you created my inmost being; you knit me together in my mother's womb.

2. I am a creation " _____ " God!

[14] I praise you because I am fearfully and wonderfully made; your works are wonderful, I know that full well.

3. I am a creation " _____ " God!

[15] My frame was not hidden from you when I was made in the secret place. When I was woven together in the depths of the earth, [16] your eyes saw my unformed body. All the days ordained for me were written in your book before one of them came to be.

God had three purposes for you.

- That you would know Him and have _____ in Him.
Eccles. 5:18, 1 Tim. 6:17, John 10:10
- That you would love Him and _____ others on behalf of Him. *Ephesians 2:10*
- That you would obey Him and _____ about Him with others. *2 Cor. 5:19*