### What God Knows About You

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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.

Hebrews 4:13 (NIV)

Great is our Lord and mighty in power; his understanding has no limit.

Psalm 147:5 (NIV)

"Omniscience" means that God is ...

# I. The Scope of God's Knowledge:

- God knows all about ...
   (1 Corinthians 2:11, Job 11:7-9)
- God knows all about ...
   (Genesis 1:31, Psalm 147:4; 50:11, Matthew 10:29)
- God knows all about ...

- the past Acts 15:18
- the present Proverbs 15:3
- the future Isaiah 46:10

# **II. What God Knows About Me:**

1. God knows all my F ...

For the Lord sees clearly what a man does, examining every path he takes. Proverbs 5:21 (NLT) (see also Psalm 69:5)

Fact: God is ... (1 John 3:20)

My Faith Response: Be ...

(Proverbs 28:13)

2. God knows all my F ...

"... you have seen my troubles, and you care about the anguish of my soul."

Psalm 31:7 (NLT)

You know how troubled I am; you have kept a record of my tears.

Psalm 56:8 (TEV) (see also Psalm 34:18)

#### FACT: God is ...

When I am ready to give up, he knows what I should do.

Psalm 142:3 (TEV)

### My Faith Response: Give ...

(1 Peter 5:7)

#### 3. God knows all my F ...

The former things have taken place, and new things I declare; before they spring into being I announce them to you. Isaiah 42:9 (NIV)

FACT: God is ...

#### My Faith Response: Ask ...

Ask me and I will tell you remarkable secrets you do not know about things to come.

Jeremiah 33:3 (NLT)

### 4. God knows all my F ...

So do not worry, saying, 'What shall we eat?' or 'What shall we drink?' or 'What shall we wear?' ... your heavenly Father knows that you need them.

Matthew 6:31–32 (NIV)

#### FACT: God is ...

(Matthew 6:7-8, John 16:24)

My Faith Response: Don't ...

### 5. God knows all my F ...

Be careful not to do your 'acts of righteousness' before men, to be seen by them. ... Your Father, who sees what is done in secret, will reward you.

Matthew 6:1,4 (NIV)

### FACT: God will ...

(Matthew 10:42)

# My Faith Response: Don't ...

(Galatians 6:9, 1 Corinthians 15:58)

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#### This Week's GPC Discussion Guide:

Welcome to the sixth week our 10 week study and discussion based on our current Sunday series at GPC called, "Knowing God Deeper".

Each week we will reflect on one of the names of God found in the Old Testament. Each of these names are windows into an aspect of God's character.

The more we understand God's character, the deeper we can know God personally, increase our trust in Him and experience His peace.

It is our prayer at GPC for our Sundays and small groups to provide the encouragement we all need to support each other as we desire to grow closer to God and build friendships in the coming weeks.

Each week, we will be using the same set of questions as we focus in on the ten different names of God that will be the focus of this series.

# **Getting Started ...**

In the last seven days or so, what has encouraged you (big or small) that we can rejoice with you over? ... and / or ...

What has challenged you, stretched you, possibly brought some discouragement your way (big or small) ... that we can offer our support and prayers for each other?

# Quick Review ...

In this week's description of God, we reflected on how God is omniscience or 'all knowing'.

From the passages and insights that were shared on Sunday, was there anything you heard for the first time or that caught your attention, challenged you, encouraged you, or stretched your thinking?

# **Digging Deeper:**

What does God being "all knowing" mean to you personally?

Has this characteristic of God brought encouragement to you in the past? If so, when? How did it impact you?

What thoughts came out of that experience?

What are some feelings, thoughts, questions or possible struggles that surface in you as you reflect on the meaning of this name?

What do you think God wants you to remember and live in light of about this particular name of God?

What are the needs and desires this name of God might meet in your life if you were fully able to embrace its truth in your heart?

# **Praying Together:**

Let's be sure to spend some time sharing prayer requests and praying for each other.