

The Real God Is Not Like You

Isaiah 40 (p.658)

“What comes to your mind when you think about God is the most important thing about you.”
-A.W. Tozer

We have a distorted picture of God. The question is: How distorted?

Apart from anything you have ever done, God looks at you and says,

You are precious. I delight in you. Because of what Jesus has done, you are My son / you are My daughter. You are precious. I want to be with you. I love you.

God is completely different; completely **other**. That’s the concept of the word “holy.”

A. Immutable Yahweh is the everlasting God...

He is the same yesterday, today and **forever**.
-Hebrews 13:8

B. Creator The Creator of the whole earth...

He’s a God of variety, of beauty, and of inconceivably complex design.

God created **out of nothing!**

C. Omnipotent He never grows faint or weary...

God is not bound by the laws of physics.

D. Omniscient No limit to His understanding...

For as heaven is higher than earth, so My ways are higher than your ways, and My thoughts than your thoughts.
-Isaiah 55:9



Isaiah addresses our tendency to reduce God.
Isaiah 44:6-20

The GREAT NEWS is that God reveals Himself to us. God wants us to seek Him and He promises that when we seek Him with **all our hearts**, He will be found!

-Jeremiah 29:13

Quotes:

“If we find ourselves with a desire that nothing in this world can satisfy, the most probable explanation is that we were made for another world.”
-C. S. Lewis

“There is so much frustration in the world because we have relied on gods rather than God. We have worshiped the god of pleasure only to discover that thrills play out and sensations are short-lived.”
-Martin Luther King Jr.