# "Get in the Word"

Lesson 23 of 94

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# Who God Is- God's Attributes- Love and Truth

Lesson #8

## **God's Attributes**

An "attribute" is a quality or characteristic that is true of someone. Studying the attributes of God allows us to have a better understanding of God's Person. An attribute of God is whatever God has in any way revealed as being true of Himself. Even though some concepts exceed the limits of our comprehension, our ideas concerning God need to be as true as possible.

## **God's Attributes Defined**

**First:** Look up the Scripture listed with the following attributes, then write down the part of the verse that best describes the given attribute.

**Second:** Based upon your understanding of each attribute, write out how that personally applies to you.

### Love

God is love. His love is unconditional; it is not based on the loveliness or merit of the object. God is actively seeking our highest good and welfare.

- 1. John 3:16 -
- 2. 1 John 4:7-11 -

Love expresses itself in action. God is our example. He demonstrated His love for us in sending Jesus Christ to die in our place (Romans 5:8). He left us the guidance to love "with the God kind of love" in 1 Corinthians 13.

# Personal Application:

#### **Truth**

God is the only true God.

- 1. Psalm 31:5 -
- 2. Psalm 117:2 -
- 3. Hebrews 6:18 -

God's truth is above all. He is truthful even if all men are found out to be liars. Therefore, His words and His judgments always prevail (Romans 3:4) and the truth of God's word sets people free (John 8:31-32, 36). In light of that, how should you view God's Word and the truths contained in it?

Personal Application:

This morning I did not want to get out of bed. My bed was so warm and comfortable. I just wanted to lay there and relax. However, the sun was shining through the window and I soon began to think about the day ahead.

Our Father's love is warm, cozy, and comforting. His desire is that we feel His presence 24/7. There is no place He will not follow you, except into sin. HE is Holy, and cannot do wrong. Isn't it a same when something comes between close friends, family, or even worse, our Father?



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