What is the most important goal to have in life?

· My most important goal is...

What is your most important goal in life?

· My most important goal is...

The Five F's



What is that one thing?

What is your most important goal in life?

- · King David, man after God's heart
 - Ps 27:4 One thing I ask of the LORD, this is what I seek: that I may dwell in the house of the LORD all the days of my life, to gaze upon the beauty of the LORD and to seek him in his temple.

Apostle Paul

- Philippians 3:12-14
- I press on to take hold of that for which Christ Jesus took hold of me.
- 13 Brothers, I do not consider myself yet to have taken hold of it. But one thing I do: Forgetting what is behind and straining towards what is ahead,
- 14 I press on towards the goal to win the prize for which God has called me heavenwards in Christ Jesus.

 God's most important goal for us is...

· OT

- Deut 6:4 Hear, O Israel: The LORD our God, the LORD is one. Love the LORD your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your strength. These..are to be upon your hearts.

· NT

- John 17:3 Now this is eternal life: that they may know you, the only true God, and Jesus Christ, whom you have sent.

Therefore, our most important focus is...

· OT

- Deut 4: 29 But if from there you seek the LORD your God, you will find him if you look for him with all your heart and with all your soul.

· NT

- John 6:27 Do not work for food that spoils, but for food that endures to eternal life, which the Son of Man will give you. Then they asked him, "What must we do to do the works God requires?" Jesus answered, "The work of God is this: to believe in the one he has sent."

The One and Only

Father

Consitutional: Unity, Infinite, Eternal, Immutable, Spirit, Immense (Omnipresent), Sovereign, Omnipotent

Holy Spirit

Personality: Ominiscience, Sensibility (Holiness, Love, Justice, Goodness, Truth, Faithful), Will

Son

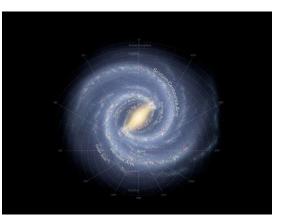


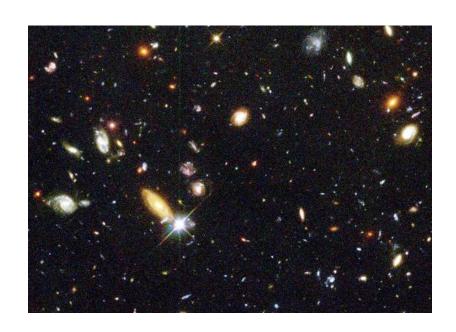
Creator











Behold your God, the One & Only (Isaiah 40)

In His care (v9)

In His works (v12)

In His mind (v14)

Over the nations (v15)

In His majesty & power (v21)

In His providence of strength (v29)

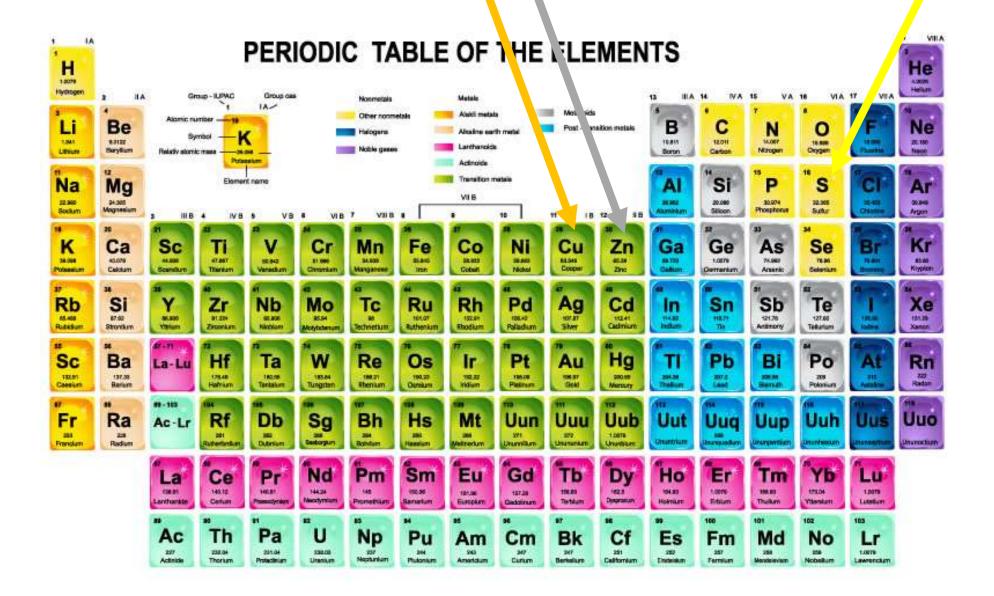
Behold your God, via His Only Begotten Son

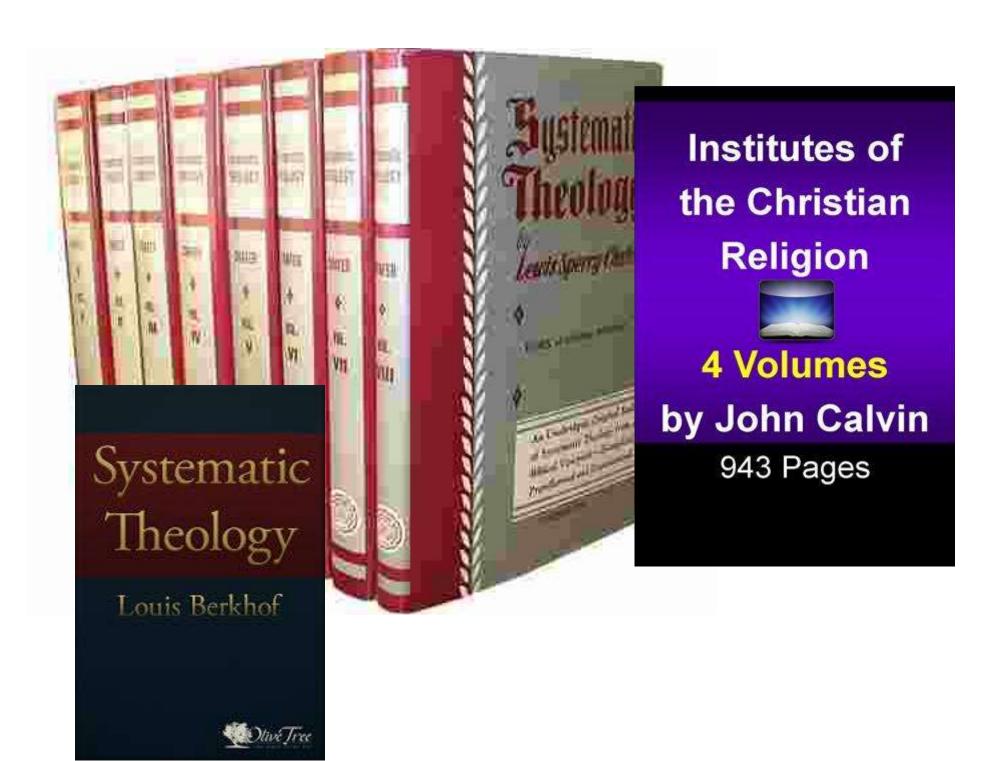
January 7, 2018	Jesus coming promised (OT)	
January 14, 2018	Why did Jesus come?	
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January 28, 2018	Jesus, the Divine Son of God 1	
February 4, 2018	Jesus, the Life	
February 11, 2018	Winter Run Open Topic	
February 18, 2018	Jesus, the Holy One of God	
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April 22, 2018	Jesus and God's Will	
April 29, 2018	Jesus-God's Providence	
May 6, 2018	Jesus-Eternally Glorious	

- Bible Study Basics
 - Initiation
 - Seeking attitude (mind, heart)
 - · God's Word, in the Spirit
 - Observation: What do I see here?
 - Interpretation: What does this mean?
 - Correlation: How does this fit together with other related topics?
 - Application: What is God teaching me?

· Correlation

- Relevant topic references
 - · Word studies, context matching
- Synthesis principles
 - All scripture is of God
 - The immutability of God
 - · Progressive revelation
 - Apparent difficulties
 - · Irresolveable complexity
 - Humility of the disciple
 - Life long learning under our Rabbi, our God





PART ONE: THE DOCTRINE OF GOD

The Being of God

I. The Existence of God

II. The Knowability of God

III. Relation of the Being and Attributes of God

IV. The Names of God

V. The Attributes of God in General

VI. The Incommunicable Attributes

VII. The Communicable Attributes

VIII. The Holy Trinity

The Works of God

I. The Divine Decrees in General

II. Predestination

III. Creation in General

IV. Creation of the Spiritual World

V. Creation of the Material World

VI. Providence

PART TWO: THE DOCTRINE OF MAN IN RELATION TO GOD

Man in His Original State

I. The Origin of Man

II. The Constitutional Nature of Man

III. Man as the Image of God

IV. Man in the Covenant of Works

Man in the State of Sin

I. The Origin of Sin

II. The Essential Character of Sin

III. The Transmission of Sin

IV. Sin in the Life of the Human Race

V. The Punishment of Sin

Man in the Covenant of Grace

I. Name and Concept of the Covenant

II. The Covenant of Redemption

III. Nature of the Covenant of Grace

IV. The Dual Aspect of the Covenant

V. The Different Dispensations of the Covenant

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I. The Doctrine of Christ in History

II. The Names and Natures of Christ

III. The Unipersonality of Christ

The States of Christ

I. The State of Humiliation

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The Offices of Christ

I. Introduction: The Prophetic Office

II. The Priestly Office

III. The Cause and Necessity of the Atonement

IV. The Nature of the Atonement

V. Divergent Theories of the Atonement

VI. The Purpose and Extent of the Atonement

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I. Soteriology in General

II. The Operation of the Holy Spirit in General

III. Common Grace

IV. The Mystical Union

V. Calling in General and External Calling

VI. Regeneration and Effectual Calling

VII. Conversion

VIII. Faith

IX. Justification

X. Sanctification

XI. Perseverance of the Saints

PART FIVE: THE DOCTRINE OF THE CHURCH AND OF THE MEANS OF GRACE

The Church

I. Scriptural Names of the Church and the Doctrine of the Church in History

II. Nature of the Church

III. The Government of the Church

IV. The Power of the Church

The Means of Grace

I. The Means of Grace in General

II. The Word as a Means of Grace

III. The Sacraments in General

IV. Christian Baptism

V. The Lord's Supper

PART SIX: THE DOCTRINE OF THE LAST THINGS

Individual Eschatology

I. Introductory Chapter

II. Physical Death

III. The Immortality of the Soul

IV. The Intermediate State

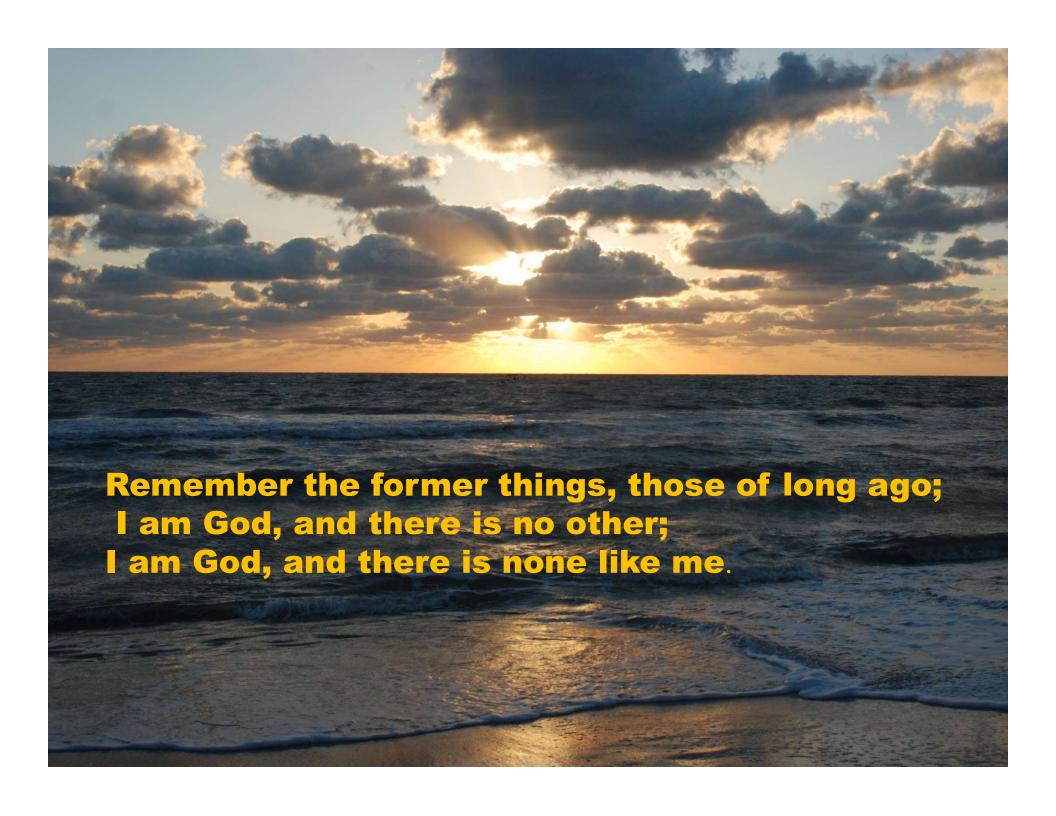
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I. The Second Coming of Christ

II Millannial Views

Introduction to 2 attributes of God

- · God the One and Only
- God's attribute of Love



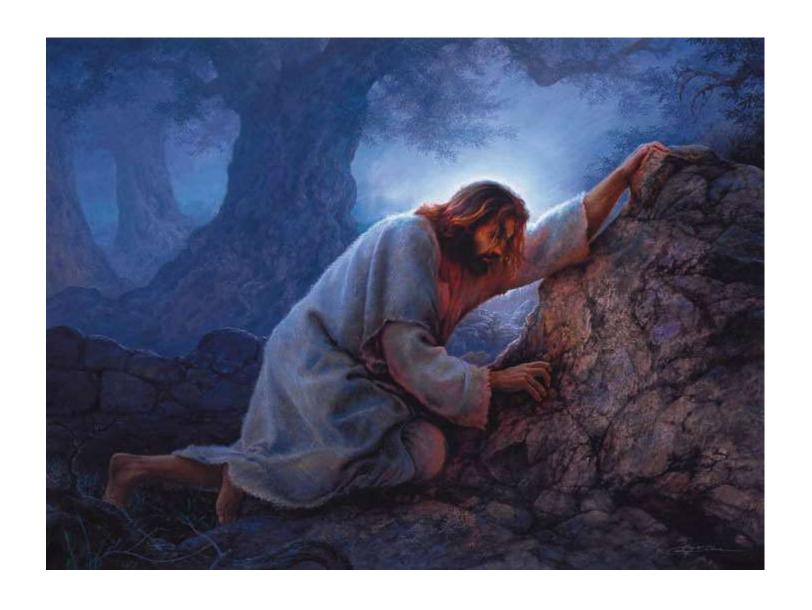
Gen 1:1 In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth.	Presuppositon	
Exodus 8:9 Moses said to Pharaoh, "I leave to you the honour of setting the time	Confession in	
for me to pray for you and your officials and your people that you and your houses		
may be rid of the frogs, except for those that remain in the Nile."		
10 "Tomorrow," Pharaoh said. Moses replied, "It will be as you say, so that you may		
know there is no-one like the LORD our God.		
11 The frogs will leave you and your houses, your officials and your people; they will remain only in the Nile."		
12 After Moses and Aaron left Pharaoh, Moses cried out to the LORD about the		
frogs he had brought on Pharaoh.		
13 And the LORD did what Moses asked.		
Deuteronomy 4:35 You were shown these things so that you might know that the	Moses	
LORD is God; besides him there is no other.	teaching the nation	
Deuteronomy 32:39 "See now that I myself am He! There is no god besides me. I	Moses and	
put to death and I bring to life, I have wounded and I will heal, and no-one can	Joshua	
deliver out of my hand.	commissioning	
	the nation	
1 Samuel 7:21 For the sake of your word and according to your will, you have done	Revelation to	
this great thing and made it known to your servant.	King David	
22 "How great you are, O Sovereign LORD! There is no-one like you, and there is no	after God	
God but you, as we have heard with our own ears.	spoke to	
23 And who is like your people Israel—the one nation on earth that God went out to	Nathan	

1 Kings 8: 59 And may these words of mine, which I have prayed before the LORD, be near to the LORD our God day and night, that he may uphold the cause of his servant and the cause of his people Israel according to each day's need,		
60 so that all the peoples of the earth may know that the LORD is God and that there is no other.		
2 Kings 9:15 And Hezekiah prayed to the LORD: "O LORD, God of Israel, enthroned between the cherubim, you alone are God over all the kingdoms of the earth. You have made heaven and earth.	Hezekiah under threat o Sennacherib	
Nehemiah 9:5 And the Levites—Jeshua, Kadmiel, Bani, Hashabneiah, Sherebiah, Hodiah, Shebaniah and Pethahiah—said: "Stand up and praise the LORD your God, who is from everlasting to everlasting." "Blessed be your glorious name, and may it be exalted above all blessing and praise. 6 You alone are the LORD. You made the heavens, even the highest heavens, and all their starry host, the earth and all that is on it, the seas and all that is in them. You give life to everything, and the multitudes of heaven worship you.		
Psalm 18:30 As for God, his way is perfect; the word of the LORD is flawless. He is a shield for all who take refuge in him.	King David testimonial	

Isaiah 43:10 "You are my witnesses," declares the LORD, "and my servant whom I	Direct
have chosen, so that you may know and believe me and understand that I am he.	revelation to
Before me no god was formed, nor will there be one after me.	Isaiah and the
11 I, even I, am the LORD, and apart from me there is no saviour.	nation
12 I have revealed and saved and proclaimed—I, and not some foreign god among	
you. You are my witnesses," declares the LORD, "that I am God.	
Isaiah 44:6 "This is what the LORD says—Israel's King and Redeemer, the LORD	Direct
Almighty: I am the first and I am the last; apart from me there is no God.	revelation to
7 Who then is like me? Let him proclaim it. Let him declare and lay out before me	Isaiah and the
what has happened since I established my ancient people, and what is yet to come—yes, let him foretell what will come.	nation
8 Do not tremble, do not be afraid. Did I not proclaim this and foretell it long ago?	
You are my witnesses. Is there any God besides me? No, there is no other Rock; I	
know not one."	
Zechariah 14:9 The LORD will be king over the whole earth. On that day there will	Zechariah

Matt 23:8 "But you are not to be called 'Rabbi', for you have only one Master	Jesus direct	
and you are all brothers. 9 And do not call anyone on earth 'father', for you	claim	
have one Father, and he is in heaven. 10 Nor are you to be called 'teacher',		
for you have one Teacher, the Christ.		
Mark 12:28 One of the teachers of the law came and heard them debating.	Jesus teaching	
Noticing that Jesus had given them a good answer, he asked him, "Of all the	the teacher of	
commandments, which is the most important?"	the law	
29 "The most important one," answered Jesus, "is this: 'Hear, O Israel, the		
Lord our God, the Lord is one.		
30 Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and		
with all your mind and with all your strength.'		
31 The second is this: 'Love your neighbour as yourself.' There is no		
commandment greater than these."		
John 5-40. This was why the Jame ways socking all the mays to kill him	leave direct	
John 5:18 This was why the Jews were seeking all the more to kill him,	Jesus direct	
because not only was he breaking the Sabbath, but he was even calling God		
his own Father, making himself equal with God.	trying to kill	
41 "I do not accept praise from men,	him	
John 17:3 Now this is eternal life: that they may know you, the only true	Jesus prayer	
God, and Jesus Christ, whom you have sent.	prior to Calvary	
4 I have brought you glory on earth by completing the work you gave me to		
do.		
5 And now, Father, glorify me in your presence with the glory I had with you		
before the world began. 22 I have		
given them the glory that you gave me, that they may be one as we are one:		

1 Timothy 2:3 This is good, and pleases God our Saviour,	Paul instructing
4 who wants all men to be saved and to come to a knowledge of the truth.	Timothy
5 For there is one God and one mediator between God and men, the man	
Christ Jesus,	
6 who gave himself as a ransom for all men—the testimony given in its	
proper time.	
1 Timothy 3:16 Beyond all question, the mystery of godliness is great: He	Paul
appeared in a body, was vindicated by the Spirit, was seen by angels, was	challenging
preached among the nations, was believed on in the world, was taken up in	Timothy
glory.	
1 Timothy 6:13 In the sight of God, who gives life to everything, and of	Paul exhorting
Christ Jesus, who while testifying before Pontius Pilate made the good confession, I charge you	Timothy
14 to keep this command without spot or blame until the appearing of our	
Lord Jesus Christ,	
15 which God will bring about in his own time—God, the blessed and only	
Ruler, the King of kings and Lord of lords,	
16 who alone is immortal and who lives in unapproachable light, whom no-	
one has seen or can see. To him be honour and might for ever. Amen.	



Example 2: God's Love via God's Son

ОТ	Teaching	NT
Ge 22:2 Then God said, "Take your son, your only son, Isaac, whom you love, and go to the region of Moriah. Sacrifice him there	Nature and extent of God's love	John 3:16 "For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in
as a burnt offering on one of the mountains I will tell you about."		him shall not perish but have eternal life.

Ex 34:6 And he passed in front of Moses, proclaiming, "The LORD, the LORD, the compassionate and gracious steadfastness God, slow to anger, abounding in love and faithfulness,

linked to

Abundant love, John 10:9 As the Father has loved me, over 190 times so have I loved you. Eph 3:17 And I pray that you, being rooted and established in love.

> 18 may have power, together with all the saints, to grasp how wide and long and high and deep is the love of Christ, 19 and to know this love that surpasses knowledge—that you may be filled to the measure of all the fulness of God.

De 7:9 Know therefore that the LORD your God undergirded by is God; he is the faithful covenant of God God, keeping his covenant of love to a thousand generations of those who love him and keep his commands.

Love

John 10:26 but you do not believe because you are not my sheep.

27 My sheep listen to my voice; I know them, and they follow me.

28 I give them eternal life, and they shall never perish; no-one can snatch them out of my hand.

2Ch 6:42 O LORD God, do not reject your anointed one. Remember the great love promised to David your servant."

Basis for intercession

John 17:23 I in them and you in me. May they be brought to complete unity to let the world know that you sent me and have loved them even as you have loved me.

Da 9:4 I prayed to the **LORD** my God and confessed: "O Lord, the great and awesome God, who keeps his covenant of love with all who love him and obey his commands,

attributes in understanding of future events, all control

Love linked with other | John 14:20 On that day you will realise that I am in my Father, and you are in me, and I am in you. 21 Whoever has my commands and under God's power and obeys them, he is the one who loves me. He who loves me will be loved by my Father, and I too will love him and show myself to him."

What is that one thing?

People of God hear Me only come to Me know Me love Me follow Me bring others to Me hope in Me