

Message-based Study

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Connection

What is your preferred gas station and what do you like about it?

Content -

"God is invisible but you see him work."

What does this statement mean, and what is a practical example?

An instinctual Awareness of God

1. One of our strongest instincts is knowing that something bigger is out there. Ecclesiastes 3:11 says, "He has made everything beautiful in its time. He has also set eternity in the human heart; yet no one can fathom what God has done from beginning to end."

Why is it that God has made us with this instinctual awareness of Himself?

2. Deuteronomy 4:35 says, "You were shown these things so that you might know that the Lord is God; besides Him there is no other." God has a desire to be known, and reveals Himself to us.

What is one way you feel God has revealed something of Himself to you? And what does that tell you about who He is?

A Supernatural Sense of God

3. Read Isaiah 40:26. We experience things every day that can not be explained by our own five senses, such as the feelings of love or wonder.

In your life, what is an example like that given in Isaiah 40:26 that points to the supernatural power and beauty of God?

4. Mystery creates this space within us that reminds us we do not know everything. Yet, in the midst of this, we can have total confidence in our Lord. As Deuteronomy 29:29 says “The secret things belong to the Lord our God, but the things revealed belong to us and to our children forever, that we may follow all the words of this law.”

What has been revealed to us, so that we may follow all the words of God?

5. Read Colossians 2:24. Christ Himself is called the “mysterious plan”. His very life and death can be confusing to many people .

How would you as a Christian explain the importance of Christ and His mystery to someone?

Commitment

6. How can we let the mystery that God has given us be a way to let our faith grow and trust in Jesus this week?



Begin with prayer. Listen with care. Eat / Engage with another. Serve. Share your story.

This week, **eat / engage with another** person in your life who needs to hear and feel Jesus' love. Begin today with this tool of how to B.L.E.S.S. them.

Would you like to give any updates to the group on someone you have shared about in the past?