

**IN SEARCH OF SPIRITUAL TREASURE  
THE DOCTRINE OF GOD  
LESSON #6**

**I. INTRODUCTION**

- A. PSALM 46:10 “BE STILL AND KNOW THAT I AM GOD; I WILL BE EXALTED AMONG THE NATIONS, I WILL BE EXALTED IN THE EARTH!”
- B. “A RIGHT CONCEPTION OF GOD IS BASIC NOT ONLY TO SYSTEMATIC THEOLOGY BUT TO PRACTICAL CHRISTIAN LIVING AS WELL. IT IS TO WORSHIP WHAT THE FOUNDATION IS TO THE TEMPLE; WHERE IT IS INADEQUATE OR OUT OF PLUMB, THE WHOLE STRUCTURE MUST SOONER OR LATER COLLAPSE. I BELIEVE THERE IS SCARCELY AN ERROR IN DOCTRINE OR A FAILURE IN APPLYING CHRISTIAN ETHICS THAT CANNOT BE TRACED FINALLY TO IMPERFECT AND IGNOBLE THOUGHTS ABOUT GOD.”

**II. REASONS TO STUDY THE DOCTRINE OF GOD.**

- A. GOD INVITES US TO KNOW HIM.
- B. THE DOCTRINE OF GOD AFFECTS HOW WE WORSHIP. (PSALM 145:1; REVELATION 19: 6-7.)
- C. THE DOCTRINE OF GOD AFFECTS WHAT WE TEACH.
- D. THE DOCTRINE OF GOD AFFECTS THE CONTENTS OF OUR PRAYER LIVES.
- E. THE DOCTRINE OF GOD AFFECTS HOW WE LIVE OUR LIVES.
- F. WHEN WE MISUNDERSTAND GOD WE AUTOMATICALLY DRIFT IN OUR THEOLOGY.
- G. NO RELIGION IS GREATER THAN ITS VIEW OF GOD.

**III. FOUNDATIONAL TRUTHS ABOUT GOD.**

- A. THE BIBLE NOWHERE ATTEMPTS TO PROVE OR ARGUE FOR THE EXISTENCE OF GOD. (GENESIS 1:1)
- B. THE GOD OF THE BIBLE WILL HAVE NO RIVALS. (ISAIAH 44:6)

- C. GOD REQUIRES ACCOUNTABILITY FROM ALL.  
(HEBREWS 10: 30-31)
  
- D. THERE IS MUCH ABOUT GOD WE DO NOT KNOW. (ROMANS 11: 33-36)