

FUSION Q's... God So Loved... 2: I am Known

Discussion Questions

Q1. What stood out to you from the talk tonight?

Read Psalm 139

Q2. How do you feel about God knowing everything about you?

Q3. It's easy for us to say that we trust God, but when things go badly or things happen we don't understand, our words get put to the test. What do you think it looks like to trust God even when things are happening that make you doubt him?

Q4. What do you think about God claiming to "knit you together" in your mother's womb?

Q5. How do you respond to God knowing everything about you (every thought, every word you say, every feeling you have, every doubt you think, everything you've ever done or will do, every sin you've ever committed) and yet loving you more deeply than you could imagine?

Q6. As we get older, we also start to see our imperfections and sometimes wonder why God made us like we are. Do you think God makes mistakes? Explain.

Q7. How does knowing that are fully known yet deeply loved change the way you see yourself? How does it affect the way you think about God?

Q8. What is the significance of inviting God to search you and know you since he already has searched you and knows you?

Bible Passages

Psalm 139

¹O LORD, you have examined my heart
and know everything about me.

²You know when I sit down or stand up.

You know my thoughts even when I'm far away.

³You see me when I travel and when I
rest at home. You know everything I do.

⁴You know what I am going to say even
before I say it, LORD.

⁵You go before me and follow me.

You place your hand of blessing on my head.

⁶Such knowledge is too wonderful for me,
too great for me to understand!

⁷I can never escape from your Spirit!

I can never get away from your presence! ⁸If I

go up to heaven, you are there; if I go down

to the grave, you are there. ⁹If I ride the wings

of the morning, if I dwell by the farthest

oceans, ¹⁰even there your hand will guide me,

and your strength will support me. ¹¹I could ask

the darkness to hide me and the light around

me to become night— ¹² but even in darkness I

cannot hide from you.

To you the night shines as bright as day.

¹³You made all the delicate, inner parts of my body and knit me together in my mother's womb.

¹⁴Thank you for making me so wonderfully complex!

Your workmanship is marvelous—how well I know it. ¹⁵You watched me as I was being formed in utter seclusion, as I was woven together in the dark of the womb.

¹⁶You saw me before I was born.

Every day of my life was recorded in your book. Every moment was laid out before a single day had passed.

¹⁷How precious are your thoughts about me, O God.

They cannot be numbered! ¹⁸I can't even count them; they outnumber the grains of sand! And when I wake up,

you are still with me!

¹⁹O God, if only you would destroy the wicked!

Get out of my life, you murderers! ²⁰They blaspheme you; your enemies misuse your name.

²¹O LORD, shouldn't I hate those who hate you?

Shouldn't I despise those who oppose you? ²²Yes, I hate them with total hatred, for your enemies are my enemies. ²³Search me, O

my anxious thoughts.

²⁴Point out anything in me that offends you, and lead me along the path of everlasting life.