

Our “All Things” God

John 1:1-5

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 alone
are the LORD.***

- Nehemiah 9:6



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1 In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. 2 He was in the beginning with God. 3 All things came into being by Him, and apart from Him nothing came into being that has come into being. 4 In Him was life, and the life was the light of men. 5 And the light shines in the darkness, and the darkness did not comprehend it.

The Wonder of God

- ▶ We use words to try and understand...
- ▶ Omnipotent, Omniscient, Omnipresent
- ▶ God is AWESOME!!!
 - ▶ Can we comprehend what He has done?
 - ▶ Can we undo all the things He has done?
 - ▶ Then maybe it would be better to understand what we can!

Who God is!

- ▶ Self-Sufficient – Only God can say this...
 - ▶ He needed and needs nothing of what we have
 - ▶ The angels are not His workers to help Him...
 - ▶ When God gives He does not lose
- ▶ Self-Existent – God was before the creation
 - ▶ And He was doing fine!

In Beginning...

- ▶ So what does this mean?
 - ▶ At a time when God started creating...
 - ▶ Matter is not the ultimate - see, touch
 - ▶ When we believe “in the beginning” we are free
- ▶ Space and time
 - ▶ God created the laws and matter
 - ▶ Time is the medium where change takes place
 - ▶ And then God added Spirit to His creation

The Light Shines

- ▶ God has broken into our darkness...
 - ▶ In spite of our failures, rebellion, pride
 - ▶ The Word (*LOGOS*) expresses God
 - ▶ Power of Creation – “Let there be...”
 - ▶ Power of LIFE...
 - ▶ Colossians 3:4 When Christ, who is our life, is revealed, then you also will be revealed with Him in glory.

In Him was LIFE

- ▶ Colossians 1:15 And He is the image of the invisible God, the first-born of all creation. 16 For by Him all things were created, both in the heavens and on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or authorities — all things have been created by Him and for Him. 17 And He is before all things, and in Him all things hold together.

What does it matter?

- ▶ The more important question: “What matters?”
 - ▶ The God of the universe planned your birth!
 - ▶ Your calling, your redemption, your HS filling
 - ▶ In the long, long thoughts of God, you are there!
- ▶ TODAY is the time to redeem...
 - ▶ It will impact eternity, for you and others...
 - ▶ The One who walks with you...