

*In the beginning...*

**GOD!**

**Gen 1**





# Genesis 1:

1 In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth. 2 The earth was formless and void, and darkness was over the surface of the deep, and the Spirit of God was moving over the surface of the waters.

3 Then God said, "Let there be light"; and there was light. 4 God saw that the light was good; and God separated the light from the darkness. 5 God called the light day, and the darkness He called night. And there was evening and there was morning, one day.



What comes into our minds  
when we think about God  
is the most important thing about us.

- A. W. Tozer

# In the Beginning...

- Words that start time...
- Before this, it was just GOD!
- Before all thoughts, acts, ideas
- The infinite calls the created
- But Creation is NOT the beginning!
- GOD comes first...



# God Revealed



- How does He begin?
    - He is eternally existent...
    - He created the idea of time/space
    - He created the thought of matter
    - All created out of nothing?
- ...ummm.. Yes and no...

# God speaks!

- Why bother? Words involve...
  - Sound is an energy, resonates...
  - God's desire to express WHO HE IS!
  - Jesus IS that expression, THE WORD
  - Spirit "moving", hover, flutter

# God's 'Word'

- God resonates in everything!
  - Stars, planets, mountains, air
  - Animals, birds, fish, even bugs
  - He speaks... LIFE!
  - God "sees" ...
  - ... "good"



# God Set

- 'natural laws' beyond creation
- Ideas of 'Good'... Himself!
- Not based on anything of man...
- All to show us His nature



# Romans 1

19 because that which is known about God is evident within them; for God made it evident to them.20 For since the creation of the world His invisible attributes, His eternal power and divine nature, have been clearly seen, being understood through what has been made, so that they are without excuse.



“Let there be....”

- His Word - still vibrating, echoing
  - It is in our world, un-heard
  - It is in the CHURCH, His called ones
  - It is in us resounding in praise!
  - What will the WORD create...?

Hath God Said?



