

## Why God Matters

Does God matter? Some behave as though he does not; living their own way. They curse, drink, gossip, lie, cheat, steal, or commit fornication. To them, God does not matter. However, logic and the bible teach that God does matter. God matters because he is the creator. He made all things through his son.

**Genesis 1:1** – says, *“In the beginning god created the heavens and the earth.”*

**John 1:1-3** – John writes,

*“In the beginning was the word, and the word was with God, and the word was God. He was in the beginning with God. All things were made through him, and without him nothing was made that was made.”*

**Colossians 1:16-17** – Paul writes,

*“For by him all things were created that are in heaven and that are on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or principalities or powers. All things were created through him and for him. And he is before all things, and in him all things consist.”*

Being the creator, he is superior to the creature, man.

**Genesis 1:26-27** – Moses records then God said,

*“Let us make man in our image, according to our likeness; let them have dominion over the fish of the sea, over the birds of the air, and over the cattle, over all the earth and over every creeping thing that creeps on the earth, so, God created man in his own image; in the image of God, he created him; male and female he created them he gave man life, breath, and all things.”*

**Acts 17:25** -Paul said.

*“Nor is he worshiped with men’s hands, as though he needed anything, since he gives to all life, breath, and all things.”*

He is not only the giver of life, but the sustainer as well

**Hebrews 1:2** – the writer says,

*“Has in these last days spoken to us by his son, whom he has appointed heir of all things, through whom also he made the worlds;”*

**Acts 14:17** -Paul tells us,

*“Nevertheless, he did not leave himself without witness, in that he did good, gave us rain from heaven and fruitful seasons, filling our hearts with food and gladness.”*

He matters.

God matters because He is the judge. God is the giver of the law of Christ. All men will stand before God and be judged by Jesus Christ according to his law.

**2 Corinthians 5:10** – Paul tells us,

*“For we must all appear before the judgment seat of Christ, that each one may receive the things done in the body, according to what he has done, whether good or bad.”*

**John 5:22** – Jesus said,

*“For the father judges no one, but has committed all judgment to the son,”*

**John 12:48** – Jesus said,

*“He who rejects me, and does not receive my words, has that which judges him, the word that I have spoken will judge him in the last day.”*

Hence, God matters.

God matters because He is God. The very nature of God demands the conclusion that he is relevant. God is the Almighty.

**Genesis 17:1** – Moses records,

*“When Abram was ninety-nine years old, the lord appeared to ab ram and said to him, I am almighty God; walk before me and be blameless.”*

He knows all things and with him all things are possible.

**Hebrews 4:13** – the writer says,

*“And there is no creature hidden from his sight, but all things are naked and open to the eyes of him to whom we must give account.”*

**Mark 14:36** – Jesus said,

*“Father, all things are possible for you.”*

He is self-existent and eternal.

**Exodus 3:14** – Moses said,

*And God said to Moses, “I am who I am.” “thus you shall say to the children of Israel, I am has sent you.”*

**Psalms 90:2** – Moses said

Even from everlasting to everlasting, you are God.

*The God of the universe matters because He is God.*