

"And God Said unto Moses, '**I AM THAT I AM:**' and He Said, 'Thus shalt thou say unto the children of Israel, "I AM Hath Sent me unto you." *Exodus 3:14 KJV*



Man says, "I think: Therefore I am." God said, "**I AM THAT I AM!**" What remark or statement could possibly illuminate or elaborate further on God's existence than His Own Declaration? Man has no ability to conceptualize the Eternal Present! God is not "was," although He Has Been From Eternity Past. God is not "shall be," even though He Shall Be With No End. He simply "IS!" There is no time constraint on the Infinite Almighty God! Everything is present to Him. This is why He Can Be "*the God of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob,*" because they are with Him. His existence IS; Self-Sufficient And Self-Existent! He Is Jehovah, the SELF-EXISTING ONE. There was nothing before Him, because He Has Always Been. There will be nothing after Him, because He Will Always Be. Everything exists by His Decree And Power "*for He Is Before ALL things and By Him ALL things consist!*" There is no name with more emphatic resonance than His Own Declaration, "I AM." What a comfort to know that He Is Consistently And Constantly Infinite! What security lies in the knowledge that I belong to the "*I Am!*" What bliss unfolds in the fellowship of His Love! What Joy engulfs our soul when He Is Pleased To Be with us! There is no yesterday or tomorrow with Him! Confessed sin is forgotten! He Is At Once Terrible And Majestic! There is no star or galaxy in the universe that can outshine His Glory! He Will Illuminate Eternity! His Presence Spontaneously Inspires praise and worship from His Creation. Even stones will cry out if need be! His Wrath Destroys Forever; preserving the wicked in never ending destruction! He does not have to be made aware of any detail, because All Knowledge Originates And Is Present In Him. All human thoughts and intents are foreknown and open before Him. "*God Is Quick, And Powerful, And A Discerner of the thoughts and intents of the heart.*" He Reigns Sovereign in the universe and beyond. No sparrow falls without Him, and every hair on your head has a number! He Is The God Of Infinite Detail, His Work so intricate and interwoven that men have studied It for millennia and have yet to fully understand it. Scientists keep trying to frame God with a mathematical equation, but there isn't enough ink, paper, or electronic storage to quantify the complexities of Creation. Of His Earthly Sojourn of 33 years, John wrote, "*And there are also many other things which Jesus Did, The Which, if They should be written Every One, I suppose that even the world itself could not contain the books that should be written!*" Trying to understand God with human reason is like measuring the distance to the nearest galaxy with a twelve inch ruler. You cannot measure the infinite with the finite! NOTHING can separate believers from the Infinite Love of God! It is beyond human expression! In his song, "The Love of God," Frederick Lehman wrote:

Could we with ink the ocean fill, and were the skies of parchment made,
Were every stalk on earth a quill, and every man a scribe by trade,
To write the love of God above, Would drain the ocean dry.
Nor could the scroll contain the whole, though stretched from sky to sky.

In my humble opinion, these are some of the greatest words ever put to music! There is no greater Love than the Love of God. To float on Its Surface Is Eternal Bliss, but Its Depths Are Forever Unfathomable!

"For I am persuaded, that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor principalities, nor powers, nor things present, nor things to come, nor height, nor depth, nor any other creature, shall be able to separate us from the Love of God, Which Is In Christ Jesus our Lord." Romans 8:37-39 KJV