

"A man that hath friends must show himself friendly: and there is a friend that sticketh closer than a brother." Proverbs 18:24 KJV

A dog is not "man's best friend." Although they may be one of the most forgiving, (as long as there's food) they are by far, not the best. Jesus willingly gave His life to save us. There is no greater Love than that! "Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends." God is omnipresent. The Psalmist wrote, "If I ascend up into heaven, Thou art there: if I make my bed in hell, behold, Thou art there." There is no time or place God is not which is why He calls Himself, "**I AM.**" Think of it from His enemy's standpoint. No matter where they try to hide from His wrath He is already there! Pretty scary thought! Not only is He omnipresent, He's omniscient, all knowing.



Neither thought nor intent escapes His perusal well in advance of its conception. He knows the thoughts of men before they think them and knows why they do. "For the Word of God is quick, and powerful, and sharper than any twoedged sword, piercing even to the dividing asunder of soul and spirit, and of the joints and marrow, and is a discerner of the thoughts and intents of the heart." He is also omnipotent. There is none beside Him or above Him. "That they may know from the rising of the sun, and from the west, that there is none beside me. I am the LORD, and there is none else. He is before **ALL** things and by Him **ALL** things consist." He made every star and every subatomic particle with His Word alone. From nothing came everything, simply because God said, "Let there be." Let this settle and comfort you mid the chaotic cacophony of temporal existence. **GOD IS!** He does not call himself Isis, Allah, Zeus, or Krishna. He is Jehovah, the I AM! Had you actually watched the Red Sea part and close again over Pharaoh you might think twice about disobeying God! Our planet spins in the light and warmth of a burning orb 93 million miles away that is only a small one of trillions that dot the universe. The earth hurtles you towards the horizon at over 1000 miles per hour and yet you do not fly off out into space but are held to its surface by a mysterious force called gravity. Spin a basketball on your finger and try to put something on it. Men have only figured out that they have not figured it out yet. They fill chalkboards in dingy rooms with math equations in reckless pursuit of what stares them square in the face every night. "The heavens declare the glory of God." If they walk outside in the day, "The firmament showeth His handiwork." Computers only do two things at the speed of light; open or close switches. Men created these processes using two numbers; one and zero. If man's finite brain can do all that with just two numbers, consider what God can do with unlimited knowledge and power. For believers, God is their Friend. He loves His friends! "Ye are my friends, if ye do whatsoever I command you."

Above the sky, the earth below,
There is no place that you can go,
That The I AM is ever there,
And you will never leave His care! ~CGP

Father knows your cares and needs. "Casting **ALL** your care upon Him for He careth for you." He is waiting for us to realize that He would like nothing better than to show His power and Love on our behalf, but He will not take your worry from you. You must bring it to Him and lay it at His feet. Worry is unbelief. We must pray, "Lord, I believe! Help Thou mine unbelief!" True faith is worry free!

"Be not ye therefore like unto them: for your Father knoweth what things ye have need of, before ye ask Him." Matthew 6:8 KJV