

*“Far above all principality, and power, and might, and dominion, and every name that is named, not only in this world, but also in that which is to come:” Ephesians 1:21 KJV*



Science furiously attempts to predict wildfires, hurricanes, tornadoes, volcanoes, tsunamis, and earthquakes so men may flee with their lives, because there is no way men can possibly control them! The most feared human conquerors could be resisted and defied, but not even mountains can protect from earthquakes! The power of creation mercilessly destroys at will, yet men fail to make the connection between it and the Creator. *“The heavens declare the glory of God, and the firmament sheweth His handiwork. The fool hath said in his heart, ‘There is no God.’”* Men celebrate a dying Christ or a manger’s babe, because neither threatens ungodliness, but Christ is not a baby or dead! The *“Word”* that formed Creation is a terrible being! *“Our God is a consuming fire!”* Satan wants men to focus on *“God is love,”* but scripture warns, *“The fear of the LORD is the beginning of wisdom.”* Satan uses men’s own lust against them; destroying them with their own pursuit of sensual pleasure! When you truly fear the sheer merciless power of God, you begin to fully appreciate His love and sacrifice! Men think to negotiate using human reason with the Sovereign of Eternity a way into heaven, but God cares little for the offerings of man! *“All [his] righteousnesses are as filthy rags!”* You think you have merit with God, because in your own eyes you’ve MOSTLY kept God’s Law? *“For whosoever shall keep the whole Law, and yet offend in ONE point, he is GUILTY OF ALL.”* If you do not truly fear God you can never truly love Him! Most are enamored of His gifts, but few truly know and love His person! You think you can live as you please, obey the scriptures you choose, and escape the wrath of God? *“How shall we escape if we neglect so great salvation?”* God will turn you over to Satan who doesn’t torment men into hell, but binds them with the velvet chains of pleasure until they cannot escape! Ask any drug addict or alcoholic if they can live without the chains of their habit! Sin is seductively fatal! *“For the wages of sin is death!”* Desire destroys the soul and damns destiny! *“There is a way that seemeth right unto a man, but the end thereof, are the ways of death...BUT the gift of God is Eternal Life through Jesus Christ our Lord!”* Men can’t even resist creation, much less the God who created it!

Far above all power of men,  
Creation’s curse, and mortal sin,  
God lifts men from wickedness,  
To freely walk in righteousness! ~CGP

Careful study and meditation of God’s Word are quintessential to everlasting life and joy! If you are not God’s friend, you are His enemy! *“Hereby we do know that we know Him, if we keep His Commandments.”* God is more interested in your heart than He is in your words. *“Ye hypocrites, well did Esaias prophesy of you, saying, ‘This people draweth nigh unto me with their mouth, and honoureth me with their lips; but their heart is far from me. But in vain they do worship me, teaching for doctrines the commandments of men.’”* Go ahead, follow your own reason! The choices are yours, but the consequences are God’s! Jesus Christ is the terrible God of all power! Don’t say you know God or hope to go to Heaven if you purposely disobey His Word in favor of your own desire! How will you reason with a God who can seal your lips shut with a thought?

*“For the LORD your God is God of gods, and Lord of lords, a great God, a mighty, and a terrible, which regardeth not persons, nor taketh reward:” Deuteronomy 10:17 KJV*