

# *Knowing God*



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# Q & A

1. Can I prove God exists?
2. What are the fundamental qualities of our God?
3. Is it possible both Big Bang + Evolution Theory and creation are true?
4. If God has a plan for us, why does He allow us to do bad things?
5. Why didn't God make everyone holy and able to believe in Him?
6. Why does God allow people to be born, knowing they are destined for hell?
7. Why is Christianity the "correct religion" and not one of the others?
8. Why are there so many Christian denominations?



# Knowing God

1. Creator: Sovereign/Ruler Position

2. He revealed Himself: Works/Words/Witnesses

3. God is One:

- Deuteronomy 6:4

"Hear, O Israel: The Lord our God, the Lord is one.

- Isaiah 45:2

"I will go before you  
and level the exalted places,  
I will break in pieces the doors of bronze  
and cut through the bars of iron,



## 4. Trinity God: 3 Persons 1 Being

**Genesis 1:1**

In the beginning, God created the heavens and the earth.

God: Elohiym(Plural)

**Genesis 1:26-27**

Then God said, "Let us make man in our image, after our likeness. And let them have dominion over the fish of the sea and over the birds of the heavens and over the livestock and 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.



Image: mind, feeling, will  
Likeness: body/eyes/ears/hands

Father is God.

Philippians 1:2

Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

Jesus is God.

Titus 2:13

...waiting for our blessed hope, the appearing of the glory of our great God and Savior Jesus Christ,

Holy Spirit is God.

Acts 5:3-4

But Peter said, "Ananias, why has Satan filled your heart to lie to the Holy Spirit and to keep back for yourself part of the proceeds of the land? <sup>4</sup> While it remained unsold, did it not remain your own? And after it was sold, was it not at your disposal? Why is it that you have contrived this deed in your heart? You have not lied to man but to God."



## Father/Son/Holy Spirit -- Together

### Matthew 28:19

Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit,

### 1 Peter 1:2

...according to the foreknowledge of God the Father, in the sanctification of the Spirit, for obedience to Jesus Christ and for sprinkling with his blood

### 2 Corinthians 13:14

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.



**Father/Son/Holy Spirit -- Separate**

**Jesus Baptism**

**Matthew 3: 16-17**

**And when Jesus was baptized, immediately he went up from the water, and behold, the heavens were opened to him, and he saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove and coming to rest on him; <sup>17</sup> and behold, a voice from heaven said, "This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased."**

