

**“GOD’S THOUGHTS & GOD’S WAYS: PART 4;  
CULTIVATE A SEEKING HEART”**

CREATION TO CREATOR:

- All of creation reflects God’s existence and who He is (Jo. 1:1-4; Ro. 1:18-20).
- The truth of “creation” is fundamental to humanity seeking God (Ac. 17:22-27).
  - Creation is responsible to and answers to its’ Creator.
  - This is why Satan attacks the truth of creation.

WHY SEEK GOD (1Ch. 28:9; Is. 55:6; Heb. 11:6):

- Because He gave you life and sustains your life (Jn. 1:4).
- Because He loves you with an unfailing love (Ps. 23:6).
- Because you were designed for relationship with Him (Jn. 15:5).
- Because Jesus died to take away your sin and restore your relationship with God (Ro. 3:25).
- Because you will miss the very purpose you were created for (Ps. 86:11; Ro. 14:8).
- Because He alone can satisfy the deepest desires of your heart (Ps. 63:3-5).

CULTIVATE A SEEKING HEART:

- Embrace dependence & reject independence (Jn. 15:5).
- Practice asking for the leading of the Holy Spirit (Jn. 10:1-5; 16:13).
- Let go of control and trust God (Pr. 3:5-6).
- Give up trying to change people and seek how God wants to transform you!

SEEKING GOD HIMSELF:

- God is not found by the casual seeker (Jer. 29:13; Lk. 11:5-10).
- Cultivate a hunger for God (Ps. 42:1-2; 63:1).
  - When you need direction, seek God for guidance.

- When you are lonely seek for God to meet you.
- When you are angry, seek God for release & forgiveness.
- When you are anxious and stressed, seek God for peace.
- When you are hurt, seek God for healing.
- When you are blessed, seek to be thankful and grateful to God.
- When you don't understand, seek to trust God.
- Feed your hunger on a daily basis (Pr. 8:32-36).
  - Don't just be a "crisis seeker".
  - Don't just be a "binge seeker".
  - Don't just be a "convenience seeker".
  - Be a "daily seeker".

#### THE PROMISE:

- If you sincerely seek Him, He will reveal Himself to you.
- He will become your infinite source of:
  - Peace, strength, hope, healing, love, comfort, wisdom, joy and help.

***"Anyone who is thirsty may come to Me. Anyone who believes in Me may come and drink! For the Scriptures declare, 'Rivers of living water will flow from his heart.'"***