

## Silence and Stillness Before God (2 Minutes)

Day 26

### The Attributes of God

Nothing is too difficult for the Lord. ([Genesis 18:14](#))

All things are possible with God. ([Matthew 19:26](#); [Mark 10:27](#))

### The Works of God

The Servant of God was despised and rejected by men, a man of sorrows, and acquainted with grief. And like one from whom men hide their faces, He was despised, and we esteemed Him not. Surely He has borne our infirmities and carried our sorrows; yet we considered Him stricken, smitten by God, and afflicted. But He was pierced for our transgressions, He was crushed for our iniquities; the punishment that brought us peace was upon Him, and by His wounds we are healed. All of us like sheep have gone astray, each of us has turned to his own way, and the Lord has laid on Him the iniquity of us all. He was oppressed and afflicted, yet He did not open His mouth; He was led like a lamb to the slaughter, and as a sheep before her shearers is silent, so He did not open His mouth. By oppression and judgment He was taken away. And who can speak of His descendants? For He was cut off from the land of the living; He was stricken for the transgression of God's people. He was assigned a grave with the wicked, yet with a rich man in His death, though He had done no violence, nor was any deceit in His mouth. Yet it was the Lord's will to crush Him and cause Him to suffer. When He makes His soul a guilt offering, He will see His offspring and prolong His days, and the pleasure of the Lord will prosper in His hand. He will see the fruit of the travail of His soul and be satisfied; by His knowledge God's righteous Servant will justify many, and He will bear their iniquities. Therefore God will give Him a portion among the great, and He will divide the spoils with the strong, because He poured out His life unto death, and was numbered with the transgressors. For He bore the sin of many, and made intercession for the transgressors. ([Isaiah 53:3-12](#))

The Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give His life as a ransom for many. ([Matthew 20:28](#))

### My Relationship to God

I know that my old self was crucified with Christ, so that the body of sin might be done away with, that I should no longer be a slave to sin; for the one who has died has been freed from sin. ([Romans 6:6-7](#))

Through the law I died to the law so that I might live for God. I have been crucified with Christ; and it is no longer I who live, but Christ lives in me; and the life which I now live in the flesh, I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave Himself for me. ([Galatians 2:19-20](#))

### The Character I Want to Cultivate

The fear of the Lord is the instruction for wisdom, and humility comes before honor. ([Proverbs 15:33](#))

Thus says the Lord: "Let not the wise man boast of his wisdom, and let not the strong man boast of his strength, and let not the rich man boast of his riches; but let him who boasts boast about this: that he understands and knows Me, that I am the Lord, who exercises lovingkindness, justice, and righteousness on earth; for in these I delight," declares the Lord. ([Jeremiah 9:23-24](#))

### My Relationship to Others

Your commandments will be upon my heart, and I will teach them diligently to my children and talk about them when I sit in my house and when I walk along the way and when I lie down and when I rise up. ([Deuteronomy 6:6-7](#))

A wise son heeds his father's instruction, but a scoffer does not listen to rebuke. ([Proverbs 13:1](#))

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The Lord my God is the faithful God, who keeps His covenant and His lovingkindness to a thousand generations of those who love Him and keep His commands. (Deuteronomy 7:9)

I call this to mind, and therefore I have hope: The Lord's mercies never cease, for His compassions never fail. They are new every morning; great is Your faithfulness. (Lamentations 3:21-23)

### The Works of God

The Son of Man is going to come in the glory of His Father with His angels, and then He will reward each person according to his works. (Matthew 16:27)

As the lightning comes from the east and flashes to the west, so will be the coming of the Son of Man. The sign of the Son of Man will appear in the sky, and all the nations of the earth will mourn, and they will see the Son of Man coming on the clouds of the sky with power and great glory. (Matthew 24:27, 30)

### My Relationship to God

The Lord is my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear? The Lord is the strength of my life; of whom shall I be afraid? (Psalms 27:1)

When I am afraid, I will trust in You. In God, whose word I praise, in God I have put my trust. I will not fear; what can mortal man do to me? (Psalms 56:3-4)

### The Character I Want to Cultivate

He who listens to a life-giving rebuke will be at home among the wise. He who refuses instruction despises himself, but he who heeds correction gains understanding. (Proverbs 15:31-32)

A rebuke goes deeper into a wise man than a hundred lashes into a fool. (Proverbs 17:10)

### My Relationship to Others

May the God who gives endurance and encouragement grant us to be of the same mind toward one another according to Christ Jesus, so that with one accord and one mouth we may glorify the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ. (Romans 15:5-6)

There should be no division in the body, but its members should have the same concern for each other. If one member suffers, all the members suffer with it; if one member is honored, all the members rejoice with it. Now we are the body of Christ, and each one of us is a member of it. (1 Corinthians 12:25-27)

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I will exalt You, my God and King; I will bless Your name for ever and ever. Every day I will bless You, and I will praise Your name for ever and ever. Great is the Lord and most worthy of praise; His greatness is unsearchable. ([Psalm 145:1-3](#))

Every creature in heaven and on earth and under the earth and on the sea and all that is in them, will sing: "To Him who sits on the throne and to the Lamb be blessing and honor and glory and power for ever and ever!" ([Revelation 5:13](#))

### The Works of God

We know the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, that though He was rich, yet for our sakes He became poor, that we through His poverty might become rich. ([2 Corinthians 8:9](#))

There is one God and one Mediator between God and men, the Man Christ Jesus, who gave Himself as a ransom for all, the testimony given in its proper time. ([1 Timothy 2:5-6](#))

### My Relationship to God

Naked I came from my mother's womb, and naked I will depart. The Lord gives, and the Lord takes away; blessed be the name of the Lord. ([Job 1:21](#))

If anyone wishes to come after You, he must deny himself and take up his cross and follow You. For whoever wants to save his life will lose it, but whoever loses his life for Your sake and the gospel's will find it. For what is a man profited if he gains the whole world, yet forfeits his soul? Or what will a man give in exchange for his soul? ([Matthew 16:24-26](#); [Mark 8:34-37](#); [Luke 9:23-25](#))

### The Character I Want to Cultivate

He who loves money will not be satisfied with money; nor he who loves abundance, with its increase. ([Ecclesiastes 5:10](#))

Those who want to get rich fall into temptation and a snare and into many foolish and harmful desires that plunge men into ruin and destruction. For the love of money is a root of all kinds of evil, and some by longing for it have wandered from the faith and pierced themselves with many sorrows. But I will flee from these things, and pursue righteousness, godliness, faith, love, patience, and gentleness. ([1 Timothy 6:9-11](#))

### My Relationship to Others

The harvest is plentiful, but the workers are few. Therefore, I will pray that the Lord of the harvest will send out workers into His harvest. ([Matthew 9:37-38](#); [Luke 10:2](#))

Do you not say, "Four months more and then comes the harvest"? Behold, I say to you, lift up your eyes and look at the fields, for they are white for harvest. Even now the reaper draws his wages, and gathers fruit for eternal life, that he who sows and he who reaps may rejoice together. ([John 4:35-36](#))

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The Lord brings death and makes alive; He brings down to the grave and raises up. The Lord sends poverty and wealth; He humbles and He exalts. He raises the poor from the dust and lifts the needy from the ash heap, to seat them with princes and make them inherit a throne of honor. For the foundations of the earth are the Lord's, and He has set the world upon them. ([1 Samuel 2:6-8](#))

Whatever the Lord pleases He does, in the heavens and on the earth, in the seas and all their depths. ([Psalm 135:6](#))

### The Works of God

By the word of the Lord the heavens were made, and by the breath of His mouth their starry host. ([Psalm 33:6](#))

"To whom will you compare Me? Or who is My equal?" says the Holy One. Lift your eyes to the heavens and see who has created them, He who brings out the starry host by number and calls them each by name. Because of His great might and the strength of His power, not one of them is missing. Do you not know? Have you not heard? The everlasting God, the Lord, the Creator of the ends of the earth, does not grow tired or weary. No one can fathom His understanding. ([Isaiah 40:25-26, 28](#))

### My Relationship to God

He who has Your commandments and obeys them, he is the one who loves You; and he who loves You will be loved by Your Father, and You will love him and manifest Yourself to him. ([John 14:21](#))

I want to be a doer of the word and not merely a hearer who deceives himself. For if anyone is a hearer of the word and not a doer, he is like a man who looks at his natural face in a mirror, and after looking at himself, goes away, and immediately forgets what kind of person he was. But the one who looks intently into the perfect law of freedom and continues in it and is not a forgetful hearer but a doer of the word, this one will be blessed in what he does. ([James 1:22-25](#))

### The Character I Want to Cultivate

He who is slow to anger is better than the mighty, and he who rules his spirit than he who takes a city. ([Proverbs 16:32](#))

In my anger I will not sin; I will not let the sun go down while I am still angry, and I will not give the devil a foothold. ([Ephesians 4:26-27](#))

### My Relationship to Others

The foremost commandment is this: "Hear, O Israel; the Lord our God, the Lord is one; and you shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind and with all your strength." The second is this: "You shall love your neighbor as yourself." There is no commandment greater than these. To love God with all the heart and with the understanding and with all the strength, and to love one's neighbor as himself are more important than all burnt offerings and sacrifices. ([Mark 12:29-31, 33](#))

I will owe nothing to anyone except to love them, for he who loves his neighbor has fulfilled the law. For the commandments, "You shall not commit adultery," "You shall not murder," "You shall not steal," "You shall not covet," and if there is any other commandment, it is summed up in this saying: "You shall love your neighbor as yourself." Love does no harm to a neighbor; therefore love is the fulfillment of the law. ([Romans 13:8-10](#))

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To God belong wisdom and power; counsel and understanding are His. ([Job 12:13](#))

Hallelujah! Salvation and glory and power belong to our God, because His judgments are true and righteous. ([Revelation 19:1-2](#))

#### The Works of God

O Lord, what is man that You know him, or the son of man that You think of him? Man is like a breath; his days are like a passing shadow. ([Psalm 144:3-4](#))

God gives strength to the weary and increases the power of the weak. Even youths grow tired and weary, and young men stumble and fall; but those who wait for the Lord will renew their strength; they will mount up with wings like eagles; they will run and not grow weary; they will walk and not be faint. ([Isaiah 40:29-31](#))

#### My Relationship to God

Why are you downcast, O my soul? Why are you disturbed within me? Hope in God, for I will yet praise Him for the help of His presence. O my God, my soul is downcast within me; therefore I will remember You. Why are you downcast, O my soul? Why are you disturbed within me? Hope in God, for I will yet praise Him, the help of my countenance and my God. ([Psalm 42:5-6, 11](#))

I rejoice in my tribulations, knowing that tribulation produces perseverance; and perseverance, character; and character, hope. And hope does not disappoint, because the love of God has been poured out into my heart through the Holy Spirit who was given to me. ([Romans 5:3-5](#))

#### The Character I Want to Cultivate

I will be strong and courageous; I will not be afraid or discouraged, for the Lord my God will be with me wherever I go. ([Joshua 1:9](#))

I will be strong and courageous, and act. I will not be afraid or discouraged, for the Lord God is with me. He will not fail me or forsake me. ([1 Chronicles 28:20](#))

#### My Relationship to Others

A generous man will prosper, and he who waters will himself be refreshed. ([Proverbs 11:25](#))

He who is generous will be blessed, for he shares his food with the poor. ([Proverbs 22:9](#))