The Value of Knowing God (Part 3) Creflo Dollar

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Scriptures:

- Daniel 11:32
- Ephesians 3:16-19, *NLT*
- Romans 5:5
- Ephesians 3:20, TPT
- Romans 2:4

- Galatians 5:6
- Deuteronomy 6:5
- Matthew 22:37, 40
- 1 John 4:19
- Deuteronomy 1:26, 27

Summary:

One of the most powerful aspects of a personal relationship with God is our faith in His love for us. We must be careful not to get too deep when we relate to God; His love is simple, straightforward, and unconditional, and when we believe in it, miracles start breaking out. When we know God from firsthand experience, we're empowered to do things beyond our natural capabilities. This includes loving people when they do unlovable things and forgiving them even when they hurt us. God **is** love; experiencing Him is guaranteed to transform us in ways that rule-keeping or self-effort can't. He heals any issues in our lives and turns brokenness into wholeness. Once we encounter His goodness, we will never be the same.

Notes:

- 1. To know God is to know perfect, eternal, unconditional love. This is life-changing. Experiencing God's love, not keeping a long list of rules, is what changes us. When we know God through a personal relationship with Him, others will sense it; they will feel His presence with us.
- 2. To truly know God is to know His character. He is love, and doesn't cause bad things to happen. God wants to live in us and make His home in our hearts. He can only do so if we trust Him.
- 3. We no longer have to work to prove our love to God; all we need to do now is to believe.
- 4. Believing that God hates us opens the door for the enemy to come in and imitate God. Satan tries to fool us into thinking that God causes bad things to happen.

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