

LET GOD LOVE YOU
Getting to Know God - Part 8 of 8

"We know and rely on the love God has for us. God is love."
John 4:16

WHY PEOPLE AVOID GOD

1. FEAR #1: THAT I'LL _____
Fools enjoy doing wrong, but anyone with good sense enjoys acting wisely. Prov. 10:23 (CEV)

➤ **FACT: God wants you _____**
God richly provides us with everything for our enjoyment.
1 Tim. 6:17

Jesus came enjoying life. Matt. 11:19 (Ph)

2. FEAR #2: THAT I'LL _____

Some fanatics people meet:

- **FREDDIE THE PHARISEE**
His favorite word: _____
- **SUSIE SELF-RIGHTEOUS**
Her favorite phrase: _____
- **BILLIE BIBLETHUMPER**
His favorite phrase: _____!
- **PAULINE PRAISE-ALLUIA**
Her favorite phrase: _____

➤ **FACT: God wants you _____**
"I have come that you might have life, and have it to the fullest!"
John 10:10

3. FEAR #3: That I'll _____

(Jesus) "I can guarantee this truth: *Whoever lives a sinful life is a slave to sin.*"
John 8:34 (GW)

➤ **FACT: God wants you _____**

(Jesus) "*If the Son sets you free, you will be really free!"* John 8:36

There is no fear in love. But perfect love drives out fear.
I John 1:18

HOW MUCH DOES GOD LOVE ME?

I pray that you will grasp how WIDE and LONG and HIGH and DEEP is the love of Christ. Eph. 3:17-18

GOD'S LOVE IS ...

1. WIDE ENOUGH TO _____
The Lord is loving toward all He has made. Psa. 145:17
God so loved the world ... John 3:16

2. LONG ENOUGH TO _____
(God says) "I have loved you with an everlasting love." Jer. 31:3
God's love will last for all time. Psa. 69:2 (GN)

3. HIGH ENOUGH TO _____
Neither height nor depth, nor anything else in all creation will be able to separate us from the love of God that is in Christ Jesus our Lord. Rom 8:39

4. DEEP ENOUGH TO _____
My only hope is your love ... for my problems are too big for me to solve and are piled over my head. Psa. 40:11 (LB)

The eternal God is your refuge and underneath you are His everlasting arms. Deut. 32:27

God has shown how much He loves us; it was while we were still sinners that Christ died for us. Rom 5:8

(God says) "*With deep love I will take you back...*" Isa. 54:7 (GN)