

*"For by Him were all things created, that are in heaven, and that are in earth, visible and invisible, whether they be thrones, or dominions, or principalities, or powers: all things were created by Him, and for Him: And He is before all things, and by Him all things consist." Colossians 1:16-17 KJV*



We think God benevolent, and He is, but we seldom consider everything exists only, because He created it, including men. From storm to silence, bedrock to black holes, and sunlight to midnight, all was created by God for His own enjoyment. And just because He created the physical laws that govern Creation absolutely, do not think for one minute He could not create another universe with totally different absolutes. God can put a galaxy in a dewdrop if He so wishes! We cannot begin to understand the nuances of

interaction, interdependency, and jeweled precision of Creation! Physicists work feverishly to discover its hidden secrets, but *"though a man labour to seek it out, yet he shall not find it; yea farther; though a wise man think to know it, yet shall he not be able to find it."* Assuming human intellect is even capable of understanding all of creation is an insult to God! We can know only what He reveals to us, and God has deemed our redemption from death by His death on the cross to be the most important knowledge man needs to understand. We have eternity to understand the rest if we choose to spend it with God. The Sovereign Creator deigned to serve the creature, endeavoring to impart some small glimpse of wisdom into the dullard ditches of despair. In the entire universe of knowledge that can be obtained, we are instructed that the epitome of human intellectual pursuit is to *"study to show [ourselves] approved unto God."* The main course of human academia should be spent in pursuing the knowledge of the Almighty. He is resplendent in splendor, perfect in power, infinite in wisdom, and supremely Sovereign! What course of study is worthy of the same intellectual space? Why would one seek out all the knowledge of creation, when the Creator Himself is available? The Apostle Paul said his obsession was, *"To know Him and the power of His resurrection."* Paul studied three years with Christ, yet felt he knew nothing. *"Not as though I had already attained, either were already perfect: but I follow after, if that I may apprehend that for which also I am apprehended of Christ Jesus."*

Mere words alone cannot contain,  
Nor could the mind of man attain,  
The heights of knowledge that our Lord,  
Has written for us in His Word. -CGP

Our Saviour is infinitely wonderful! Creation is entrancingly beautiful, but is a dim candle to the sunlight of God Himself! The Apostle John wrote of just Christ's earthly sojourn:

*"And there are also many other things which Jesus did, the which, if they should be written every one, I suppose that even the world itself could not contain the books that should be written. Amen." John 21:25 KJV*