

crossroads

LIFE GROUPS

NAMES OF GOD – January 9, 2022

YHWH

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

MEMORY VERSE

Philippians 2:9-11

For this reason also, God highly exalted Him, and bestowed on Him the name which is above every name, so that at the name of Jesus every knee will bow, of those who are in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and that every tongue will confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

Ice Breaker Question. YHWH (Yahweh/Jehovah) the Great “I AM WHO I AM” in Exodus 3:13 is the beginning of knowing who He is and to know Who He is to love who He is and to walk in obedience to His will. Name real-world ways of what you can do to get to know our Great I AM on a deep committed level.

1. We all always listen and get excited for our names when we are called on or introducing ourselves to others. Our own name is important to us, and God knows us by name. He knew our names even before our parents named us at birth. John 10:14-15 states, “I am the good shepherd. I know my own and my own know me, just as the Father knows me and I know the Father; and lay down my life for the sheep”. Looking at the verse above, why is it important to know/understand God’s names when speaking to non-Christians about Him?
2. Knowing God’s names is part of our Christian foundation and to really know His names is to understand who God is and His will for us. Using the verse below give a practical example in today’s society that one could be using the names of God erroneously by not knowing or having a personal relationship with God? Acts 4:12, “And there is salvation in no one else, for there is no name under heaven given among men by which we must be saved”.
3. In most societies on this planet the term god is loosely spoken. Question, how can we as Christians with love separate our God YHWH from what they (non-believers) were taught by the world of whom they think God is personally to them?

Action Point: We all fall short of the Glory of God but going forth from today really ponder on what you can do throughout your day to be intentional with God’s GREAT NAME OF I AM “YHWH (Yahweh/Jehovah)”.

