

5 Things You Will Never Hear God Say!

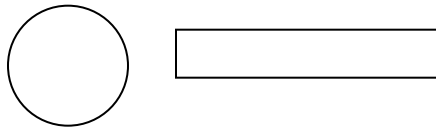
Part #2 – “What’s your name?”

Sunday April 6, 2008

Audio available at <http://www.kingstreet.org/audio/>

With 6.6 billion people calling earth home ... it’s easy to feel like just a number

Lessons in God’s character from the circle and the rectangle ...



Video – “Everything is Spiritual”



(Rob Bell – Mars Hill Bible Church)
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The God who KNOWS us

Our Past

→ Nathaniel and the fig tree (John 1:45-50)

Our Present

→ Woman and the water of life (John 4:15-19)

Our Future

→ Peter on the night Jesus was betrayed (John 13:36-38)

The Details of our lives (Psalm 139)

→ He made our bodies

→ He designed our temperament

→ He gave us strengths and weaknesses

The God who NOTICES us

Our Pain

→ A widow who had lost her son (Luke 7:11-13)

Our Predicament

→ A woman with an incurable medical condition (Mark 5:21-34)

The God who NAMES us

→ From ‘Jacob’ to ‘Israel’ (Genesis 32:27-29)

There is only one time in Scripture where God says; “What’s your name?” It isn’t because he doesn’t know, but it’s what he wants us to know about ourselves!

→ From sons and daughters of Adam and Eve to sons and daughters of God

Hebrew – Adam (dirt-man)

Hebrew – Eve (dirt-woman)

→ From _____ to _____

“He who has an ear, let him hear what the Spirit says to the churches. To him who overcomes ... I will also give him a white stone with a new name written on it, known only to him who receives it.” (Revelation 2:17)

Q – What name are we making for our self?

“The Spirit of God came upon Azariah son of Oded. He went to meet Asa and said to him, ‘Listen to me, Asa and all Judah and Benjamin. The LORD is with you when you are with him. If you seek him, he will be found by you, but if you forsake him, he will forsake you.’ (2 Chronicles 15:1-2)