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GOD'S KNOWLEDGE

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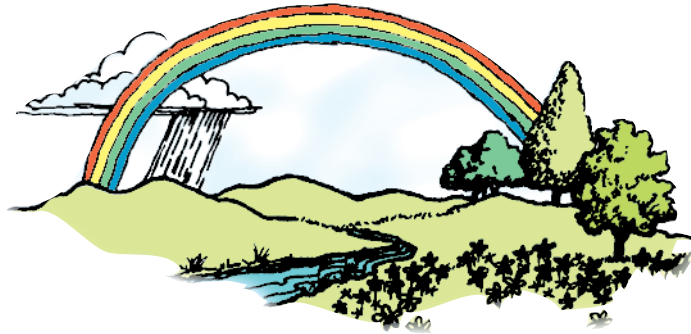
How old are you now? How much have you learned in your lifetime? Maybe you know more than you realize for you do not only learn things in school. You have also learned many things in your home and in the world around you.

How much can a person learn in a lifetime? Some people know many things. People who have read a great number of books and been to school for years have **gained** much **knowledge**. No one, however, knows

all that they can know. The wisest people always want to know more.

Only God knows everything. God's knowledge covers everything. God's knowledge is above all other knowledge. All knowledge comes from God.

As you study this LIFEPAK®, you will think about God's knowledge. You will begin to understand how God's **marvelous** knowledge helps you live as a child of God.



OBJECTIVES

Read these objectives. The objectives tell you what you should be able to do when you have successfully completed this LIFEPAK.

When you have finished this LIFEPAK, you should be able to:

1. Describe the order in which God created the world.
2. Name three things that prove to you that God loves you.
3. Name five ways of obtaining God's knowledge.
4. Tell how God uses His knowledge to help people.
5. Tell what God's knowledge means in your life.

VOCABULARY

Study these new words. Learning the meanings of these words is a good study habit and will improve your understanding of this LIFEPAAC.

activity (ak tiv' u tē). Thing to do.

amazement (u māz' munt). Great surprise.

awe (ô). A great feeling of wonderment.

battlefield (bat' l fēld'). Place where a battle is fought.

benefit (ben' u fit). Anything that is for the good of a person.

create (krē āt'). Cause to be; bring into being; make.

disciple (du sī' pul). A follower of Christ.

discipline (dis' u plin). Correction and training given to a person for improvement.

exist (eg zist'). To live, to be; have life.

firmament (fēr' mu munt). The heavens; sky.

gain (gān). To increase or to add to the present supply.

image (im' ij). Likeness.

impress (im pres'). Have a strong effect on the mind or feelings.

influence (in' flü uns). To affect the actions of other people.

instruct (in strukt'). To teach; train.

knowledge (nol' ij). What a person knows.

marvelous (mär' vu lus). Wonderful or excellent.

missionary (mish' u ner' ē). Person sent to tell others about God.

obedient (ō bē' dē unt). Being willing to obey.

protection (pru tek' shun). Being kept from harm.

request (ri kwest'). What is asked for.

Resurrection (rez'u rek' shun). The coming alive of Jesus after being dead; Jesus rising from the dead.

reveal (ri vēl'). To make known.

righteousness (rī' chus nis). Behaving or living in a right way.

sacrifice (sak' ru fis). An offering to God.

superior (su pir' ē ur). Better than other things of the same kind.

talent (tal' unt). A special natural ability.

Temple (tem' pul). Building built by Solomon to worship God.

vision (vizh' un). A dream.

Note: All vocabulary words in this LIFEPAAC appear in **boldface** print the first time they are used. If you are unsure of the meaning when you are reading, study the definitions given.

Pronunciation Key: hat, āge, cāre, fār; let, ēqual, tērm; it, ĩce; hot, ōpen, ōrder; oil; out; cup, pūt, rüle; child; long; thin; /TH/ for then; /zh/ for measure; /u/ represents /a/ in about, /e/ in taken, /i/ in pencil, /o/ in lemon, and /u/ in circus.

I. THE EVIDENCE OF GOD'S KNOWLEDGE

In this section you will think about God and how He knows you best of all. God **created** our world, and He knows all about the world.

You will realize how exciting it is to know our marvelous God who is all-knowing.

Review these objectives. When you have completed this section, you should be able to:

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2. Name three things that prove to you that God loves you.

Restudy these words.

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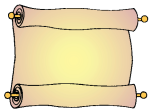
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impress

knowledge

marvelous

righteousness



Read Psalm 19:1 and Romans 1:20.

THE WORLD GOD CREATED

God **existed** before the world began. God used His knowledge to create the world.

God carefully planned the world we live in. The world did not just happen. God put everything in the right place. Many things we do need to be planned, too. Special things require special planning.

Once a boy planted a garden in his backyard. In his garden the boy planned to grow radishes, carrots, and lettuce. Before the boy planted his vegetable seeds, he dug the rows in the shape of his own name. In these rows the boy sowed his radish, carrot, and lettuce seeds.

By and by, the seeds began to grow. The boy called a friend to see his garden.



"See, my name is growing in the garden," said the boy.

The friend was very **impressed** and asked, "Did your name just happen to grow by itself in the garden?"

"Oh, no. I had to plant the seeds to make the letters of my name. My name did not just happen. I planned it that way," replied the boy.

With His knowledge, God planned and created the world in which we live. We know that God has this knowledge, and that He can do anything. God made the world, and God put everything in its right place.



Complete this activity.

Have you ever seen footprints left in the wet ground? The footprints tell you someone was there before you. God left "footprints" to show you He created the world.

- 1.1 Think of some "footprints", things God created and write them on the footprints below.

