

HOW GREAT IS OUR GOD?

Psalm 86:8-10

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O LORD [YHWH], our Lord [Adonai], your majestic name fills the earth! Your glory is higher than the heavens. Psalm 8:1 NLT

What does God want us to know through the name *Adonai*?

1. God wants us to know that He is the great King.

“But cursed be the swindler who has a male in his flock, and vows it, but sacrifices a blemished animal to the Lord [Adonai], for I am a great King,” says the LORD of hosts, “and My name is feared among the nations.” Malachi 1:14

A. He alone is completely unique.

*There is no one like You among the gods, O Lord [Adonai].
Psalm 86:8*

You alone are God. Psalm 86:10

B. He alone is worthy of all worship.

*All nations whom You have made shall come and worship before
You, O Lord [Adonai]; and they shall glorify Your name.
Psalm 86:9*

2. God wants us to know that He is the great Owner.

*The earth is the LORD’S, and all it contains, the world, and those
who dwell in it. Psalm 24:1*

A. He made it all.

*“Worthy are You, our Lord and our God, to receive glory and honor
and power; **for You created all things**, and because of Your
will they existed, and were created.” Revelation 4:11*

B. He controls it all.

C. He paid it all.

Or do you not know that your body is a temple of the Holy Spirit

who is in you, whom you have from God, and that you are not your own? **For you have been bought with a price:** therefore glorify God in your body. 1 Corinthians 6:19-20

3. God wants us to know what we have in Him.

*I said to the LORD [YHWH], "You are my Lord [Adonai];
I have no good besides You." Psalm 16:2*

A. We have a Great King we get to serve.

"And if it is disagreeable in your sight to serve the LORD, choose for yourselves today whom you will serve... but as for me and my house, we will serve the LORD." Joshua 24:15

B. We have a Great Owner we get to trust.

C. We have a Great God we get to glorify.

*I will give thanks to You, O Lord my God, with all my heart,
and will glorify Your name forever. Psalm 86:12*

Will you surrender all to Adonai?
