



Hello My Name Is Week 1 Outline 4.19.20

HELLO, MY NAME IS YAHWEH

Is anyone at the helm of this ship?

I. Hello my name is...

Scripture uses many names FOR God in order to describe the many different attributes OF God. With each name comes a more complete picture of:

-His nature -His promises -His person

A. His Name... I Am (Psalm 91:1-4)

1. **El Elyon:** The God Most High; the Sovereign God in whom we put our trust
2. **El Shaddai:** The All-Sufficient One; the God of the Mountains, God Almighty
3. **Yahweh:** YHWH: "I Am", the one who is, the self-existent One

Exodus 3:13-15: Behind all the names of God is this original, divine, name of the God

4. **Elohim:** The All-Powerful One; the Creator

B. His Nature (Psalm 91:5-13)

1. In him we will not fear;
 instead, In him we will only look and see the judgement of the wicked
2. In him we will not stumble; (strike our heel against a stone)
 instead, In him we will tread on the lion and trample the snake

GOD GRACIOUSLY ANSWERS US...

"YES, I AM...

ALL SOVEREIGN, ALL SUFFICIENT, ALL POWERFUL
THE ONE WHO WAS, WHO IS, AND IS TO COME"

C. His Promise (Psalm 91:14-16)

1. Even though we're under attack, God says, "I will..." (vs 14):
 - a. Deliver you -
 - b. Protect you
2. Even though we're tempted to feel afraid, God says, "I will..." (vs 15):
 - a. Answer you
 - b. Be with you in trouble
 - c. Rescue you
 - d. Honor you
3. Though we may even experience agony in our lives, God says "and I will" (vs 16):
 - a. Satisfy you
 - b. Show you

II. His Person

THE NAME, NATURE, AND PROMISES OF GOD IN THE OLD TESTAMENT
POINT US FORWARD
TO THE PERSON OF GOD NAMED JESUS, IN THE NEW TESTAMENT

1. Jesus is our Good Shepherd
 - who has delivered us from sin and protects us from attack
2. Jesus is our Rescuer and Redeemer
 - who answers us when we call
 - who calls us to repentance
 - who offers us forgiveness
3. Jesus is our Living water
 - who satisfies us with everlasting life
 - who shows us God's eternal salvation

III. Our Response (Psalm 91:9,14)

A. Dwell in Him

vs 9: BECAUSE.... *"you have made the Lord your dwelling place"*
John 15: 1-5

B. Hold Fast to Him

vs 14a: BECAUSE... *"he holds fast to me in love"*
(literally:...because he has set his love upon me, I have set him on high)
Hebrews 10:23

C. Know His Name

vs 14b: BECAUSE... *"he knows my name"*
Philippians 2:9-11; Acts 4:12



Small Group Questions



Why do you think the most important word in any language is a person's name?

Then

What significance is there in that God says He is Yahweh to Moses in Exodus 3?

Always

How is Psalm 91 painting a picture of who God is?

Now

Since Jesus is "at the helm of the ship", what does our response look like in the time we are in?