

Section: Doctrine of God

**HANDOUT NOTES**

**Q1. Who is God?**

God is the almighty Creator, Sustainer, and Ruler of everything. He is perfect, and the standard by which all things are measured.

* **Introduction**

Why is this the first question?

* **Who is God?**

#### Exodus 3:13-15, Isaiah 45:5

* **Almighty Creator**

Isaiah 40:28, Nehemiah 9:6, Romans 11:36, Genesis 1:1-3, Psalm 33:6 & 9

* **Sustainer**

Colossians 1:16-17, Acts 17:28, Isaiah 40:12-14, Job 34:14-15, Psalm 139:16, Job 14:5

* **Ruler of Everything**

Daniel 4:35

The **Sovereignty of God** - As the one true Ruler and Owner of creation, God has rightful and complete authority over all things. He has legitimate claim to absolute lordship, and His governing is just.

Isaiah 55:8-9, Colossians 1:16-18, Matthew 28:18, Hebrews 1:3, Job 12:23, Psalm 22:28, Daniel 2:21

* **He is Perfect**

1 John 1:5, Psalm 71:22, Isaiah 6:3, Psalm 99:9

**God Is Holy**

Isaiah 40:18, 1 Samuel 2:2, [Isaiah 6:3](http://biblia.com/bible/esv/Isaiah%206.3), Revelation 4:8

*“We must not think that God does a thing because it's good and right, but rather the thing is good and right because God does it." -William Perkins*

* **The Standard by Which All Things Are Measured**

Matthew 5:48, Romans 3:23, Psalm 5:5, 1 Peter 1:16, Matthew 5:48

* **Application: How Do We Know About God and Know God?**

Romans 1:19-20, John 5:39