

Do You Have an Intimate Relationship with God?

Psalm 63:1-8, Revelation 3:20, et al.

**The Bible presents God as One who,
with all His heart, desires to have an
intimate relationship with every
person He has created.**

Loving Father

Loving Shepherd

Loving Friend

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an intimate relationship with you.
To that end, He desires that you
would love Him in return.**

Psalm 27:8

**“When thou saidst, Seek ye my face;
my heart said unto thee, Thy face,
LORD, will I seek.”**

Matthew 11: 28-30

“Come unto me, all ye that labour and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. 29 Take my yoke upon you, and learn of me; for I am meek and lowly in heart: and ye shall find rest unto your souls. 30 For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light.”

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Philippians 3:8

**“Yea doubtless, and I count all things
but loss for the excellency of the
knowledge of Christ Jesus my Lord:
for whom I have suffered the loss of
all things, and do count them but
dung, that I may win Christ, ...”**

Philippians 3:9-10

“And be found in him, not having mine own righteousness, which is of the law, but that which is through the faith of Christ, the righteousness which is of God by faith: 10 That I may know him, and the power of his resurrection, and the fellowship of his sufferings, being made conformable unto his death.”

Philippians 3:13-14

“Brethren, I count not myself to have apprehended: but this one thing I do, forgetting those things which are behind, and reaching forth unto those things which are before, 14 I press toward the mark for the prize of the high calling of God in Christ Jesus.”

Intimacy with God requires ...

- 1. Time**
- 2. Transparency**
- 3. Submission**

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