**Systematic Theology III**

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**Lesson 1: The Greatness of God**

(1) The Creator of the Heavens and the Earth

(a)” In the beginning …... “(Gen. 1:1)

(b) In the beginning you laid the foundations of the …… (Ps. 102:25)

(C) He made the earth by His Power …... (Jeremiah 10:12)

(d) “….. you created all things, and by your will they were created and have their being. (Revelation 4:11)

(e) “..In wisdom You have made them all…..”(PS 104:24;Rom 11:33-36).

(F ) ….. “I am making everything new!” (Revelation 21:5)

(2) God created man in His own image.

(a) Man given dominion over God’s creation (Gen.1:26,27)

(b) Fearfully and wonderfully made (Ps.139:13-16)

(c) How precious are your thoughts to me (Ps. 139:17) (Ps.40:5)

(d) Man’s proper response to God’s creation:

“ When I consider your heavens, the work of your fingers, …..”(PS 8:3-9).

Songs of Praise (PS 100:3-5; 104:24).

(3) God is Spirit (John 4:24)( Not restricted to any geographical location).

(a) “No one has seen God ….” (John 1:18 ; Exod 33:20)

(b) “God does not dwell in temples made with hands” (Acts 17:24)

**(4) God is a Person.**

**(a) God’s interaction with Adam and Eve (Gen 2:16-17; 3:8-13).**

**(b)God’s revelation to Moses (Exod 3:6-14).**

**(c)The assurance of God’s saving work (PS 20:1-7).**

**(5) Life**

**(a) ”…I am who I am…..”( Exod 3:14).**

**(b)”..He has life in Himself…” (John 5:26;Acts 17:25).**

**(c )”…The Lord is the true God…” (Jere 10:10-11; 1Th 1:9).**