

Psalm 139 • You Are There

1. (v.1-6) God takes much more than a casual **interest** in us; He is present for every **second** of our life whether we're aware of Him in our thoughts and activities or not. He is much more than a casual **observer**.
2. (v.7-12) There is nowhere we can go where God is not **present**.
3. (v.13-16) Just as an **inventor** follows the progress of his work to make sure it performs as **designed**, and that it lives up to the original intentions it was **designed** for, so God is involved with us—whether we **acknowledge** it or not, regardless of **where** we go or **what** we do.
4. (v.17-18) If we fully understood God's **interest** in us, we would become much more concerned about the nature of that **interest**.
5. (v.19-22) We should not want to spend any **time** or **thought** to develop any kind of relationship with **anyone** or **anything** which leads away from **God**.
6. (v.23-24) The appeal to God to live as He intends:
 - a. "...know my **heart**..."
 - b. "...know my anxious **thoughts**..."
 - c. "...see if there be any **hurtful** way in me..."
 - d. "...lead me in the **everlasting** way".