

Message Title: 1104 Fearfully & Wonderfully Made, the Ear Pt-10

Theme: This message opens with a little more light on why God is not recognized primarily as The Great Creator in Churches today. Then it moves on into the anatomy of the creation of the human ear.

In the song How Great Thou Art, it is very clear that the author is in awe of God's creation. Like a child who begins to recognize the greatness of their parent and begins to appreciate who they are in comparison to others. This is what Noah Webster defines in his 1828 Dictionary as a kind of pride that recognizes quality as, "Grand, lofty; splendid; magnificent".

As stated in this series, God created us with the ability to be impressed by His genius in what He created, and even more impressed as we learn how He made us. When God revealed part of this to King David he wrote, "I will praise thee; for I am fearfully and wonderfully made: marvellous are thy works; and that my soul knoweth right well", (see Psalms 139:14). David used the word "fearfully" to convey his feelings of being impressed with admiration and astonishment.

In Mark chapter four Jesus asked the disciples why they were afraid and why they had lost all their faith. The answer is that their focus was on themselves, what would happen if Jesus didn't wake up. They were gripped with fear and had become panic-stricken. They were in the fight or flight mode of survival and couldn't think of anything else.

Faith replaces fear, and faith comes by hearing the Word of God, by the fruit of the Spirit and by the knowledge of God. The knowledge of God is the only kind of knowledge that doesn't lead to self pride; to the contrary it is quite humbling.

The more we know about God's genius the easier it is to trust Him. It's like being afraid to trust an old wooden bridge over deep ravine but studying its purpose and construction it helps increase faith, then remembering having crossed similar bridges helps too, seeing other much heavier traffic cross it helps even more, but the best way is crossing it over and over again.

Knowing how God made us, remembering times that God got us through before and seeing God work miracles for others all give us enough reason to get our mind off from ourselves and trust Him completely. Unfortunately in this Church Age the focus is about our rewards for helping build the local churches, which fixes the mind on us instead of our Creator.

Salient Points: Our attitude toward God, Why anatomy, Where's your curiosity, Perspective is interest dependant, What do you focus on, Opinions of God, Bless the LORD, Why it's not about God any more, Recap middle ear, Pressure vs temperature, Automatic recalibration, Living equipment, The inner ear, The unlimited God, Specifically designed, Our limited perspective, Automatic maintenance, Seeking to appreciate, Multiple sensors.

For More Information and Images: Search the internet for "Works by Dr. David Menton". Also search the Temporal Bone Cavity of the Ear, The anatomy of the inner ear and electron microscope images of the inner ear.

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The speaker would like you to know that all of these messages are in the chronological progression that God revealed them, and even though many may stand alone, they progress through several subjects that build on the previous lessons. This series of messages titled "Our Timeless Creator" (OTC), shift the focus from salvation and service, to understanding God. How He who needs nothing, benefits from creating the human race. It started in 2007 when God brought the speaker to Psalm 50:15 three times following the miraculous healing of his dying wife. It reads, *“And call upon me in the day of trouble: I will deliver thee, and thou shalt glorify me”*. Following this he prayed fervently. "LORD, show me how to glorify you and I will do the best I can". The speaker had become a new creature, (2 Corinthians 5:17) on May 20 1973. At that moment the reality of GOD's existence and the direct connection to the Bible became miraculously clear. Overwhelmed with excitement he began telling everyone who had a few moments to listen, what he had found, like a man who had found a cure for a terminal illness, which everyone had. His excitement and enthusiasm continued for well over a year, even when many said, “you’ll get over it.” Slowly his efforts began to focus on responsibility and all the how-tos of service. As the excitement faded it was replaced with frustration. He had said many times “the most frustrating thing in life is to know what GOD could do and watch him not do it”. In 2005 GOD began a work as described in Job 5:17-18, that changed everything. He says,” it was much like when I first became a child of God all over again”. He describes it like application of (2 Corinthians 3:18), “But we all, with open face beholding as in a glass the glory of the Lord, are changed into the same image from glory to glory, *even* as by the Spirit of the Lord”. Truly it has been a life changing experience as God increases and we, without trying, decrease.