

Together with God

What Was Started

A Relationship

In our first lesson we looked at "the beginning of creation." A thought that we often do not realize is that although everything God created was brand new, days old, it had a mature look to it. The world did not look young.

How do we know that? Why was it that way?

- A. God did not just create the world and step away from that
- that concept is referred to as: _____
- the concepts of this are: _____



- B. God maintained a Relationship with His creation, especially mankind (Ps 50:10; 104:16; Mt 5:45; Ps 148)

All Relationships, whether with your pets, a co-worker, your family, your brethren, your neighbors or with God are built upon:

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.



1. God developed a special relationship with mankind
- Matthew 1:23 "Behold, the virgin shall be with child and shall bear a son, and they shall call His name Immanuel," which translated means, "God _____ us."
- (a) God _____ to you (Gen 1:28 "And God blessed them; and God _____ to them...")
Gen 35:7; 39:21;
Ex 33:11; Gal 1:12;
1 Cor 2:11-12)
- (b) God _____ you
Mt 11:28
Lk 15:4
- (c) God _____ you
Ps 56:8
Mt 10:42
- (d) God _____ you
Jasa 5:16
2. Genesis 3:8 "And they heard the sound of the Lord God walking in the garden in the cool of the day"

Our relationship with God is built upon the understanding:

1. This is not an equal relationship (Num 23:19; Ps 100:3; 95:6-7);
- Job 40:1-9; 42:1-6
2. We are accountable to God
3. God thoroughly loves us
4. God longs for us to spend eternity with Him

In this relationship with God, He expects us to:

- _____ Him (Mt 28:20; Jn 14:15)
- _____ Him (Jn 4:23)
- Become like _____ (Rom 8:29)
 - in _____ (Eph 5:2)
 - in _____ (Eph 4:32)

Is it fair to say that there are some things that we ought to expect from God?

- What would that be?