

People of All Ages, Lifestyles, Arenas of Life ask the same questions, "Does God know me?" "Does God love me?" "Can God ever forgive me?" Underneath these questions lies an even more Basic Issue. What is God really like... Who is He?

In Genesis chapter 1, He is God, the Mighty Creator—Elohim.

In Genesis chapter 2, He is Lord, the Personal Creator—Jehovah.

In Hebrew, the Word for "LORD" Is *Jehovah* or *Yahweh*.

Jehovah means "the Self-existent One"—The name *Jehovah* emphasizes His Covenant-Keeping Role.

- ***Jehovah***—"LORD, the Self-Existent One, **Yahweh**"
"This is the account of the heavens and the earth when they were created. When the LORD God made the earth and the heavens." -Genesis 2:4
 - ***Jehovah-Jireh***—"the LORD, my **Provider**"
"So Abraham called that place The LORD Will Provide. And to this day it is said, 'On the mountain of the LORD it will be provided.'" -Genesis 22:14
 - ***Jehovah-Rapha***—"the LORD who **Heals**"
"He said, 'If you listen carefully to the voice of the LORD your God and do what is right in his eyes, if you pay attention to his commands and keep all his decrees, I will not bring on you any of the diseases I brought on the Egyptians, for I am the LORD, who heals you.'" -Exodus 15:26
 - ***Jehovah-Nissi***—"the LORD my **Banner**"
"Moses built an altar and called it The LORD is my Banner." -Exodus 17:15
 - ***Jehovah-M'Kaddesh***—"the LORD who **Sanctifies**"
"Say to the Israelites, 'You must observe my Sabbaths. This will be a sign between me and you for the generations to come, so you may know that I am the LORD, who makes you holy.'" -Exodus 31:13
 - ***Jehovah-Shalom***—"the LORD is **Peace**"
"The LORD said to him, 'Peace! Do not be afraid. You are not going to die.' So Gideon built an altar to the LORD there and called it The Lord is Peace. To this day it stands in Ophrah of the Abiezrites." -Judges 6:23-24
 - ***Jehovah-Sabaoth***—"the LORD of **Hosts**"
"Year after year this man went up from his town to worship and sacrifice to the LORD Almighty at Shiloh, where Hophni and Phinehas, the two sons of Eli, were priests of the LORD." -1 Samuel 1:3
 - ***Jehovah-Ra'ah***—"the LORD my **Shepherd**"
"The LORD is my shepherd, I shall not be in want." -Psalm 23:1
 - ***Jehovah-Tsidkenu***—"the LORD our **Righteousness**"
"In his days Judah will be saved and Israel will live in safety. This is the name by which he will be called: The LORD Our Righteousness." -Jeremiah 23:6
 - ***Jehovah-Shamah***—"the LORD is **There**"
"The distance all around will be 18,000 cubits. And the name of the city from that time on will be: THE LORD IS THERE." -Ezekiel 48:35
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