

Encountering the Great I Am Sermon Notes

Passage Exodus 3:4-14

Key verse: Verse 14

- I. Hebrew Names of God in the Passage
 - a. Elohim refers to the divine nature of God. Elohim is creator God. Elohim signifies God as being strong.
 - b. Yahweh is God's proper name. Yahweh and Jehovah are the same names. They refer to the relational name of God
 - c. I AM THAT I AM. This name can mean I will be what I will be, it can also mean I will be what tomorrow demands. This name signifies that God responds to human need.

- II. The activities of I AM in this passage and Exodus 6.
 - a. I AM is aware of your situations (Psalm 139:1-4, Psalm 56:8)
 - b. I AM is that He sends people as His messengers and deliverers of His intervention. (Matthew 28:18-20)
 - c. I AM is that He desires to be our God. (Exodus 6:1-3 & Jeremiah 29:13)
 - d. I AM came to set us free. (John 8:31-36)

- III. How do You Respond to I AM
 - a. We have to answer God. (1 Samuel 3:8-10)
 - b. We have to humble ourselves and have a reverence for God. (James 4:10)
 - c. We must go when and where God sends us (Isaiah 6:8)

- IV. Take Away Points from the Sermon
 - a. What name of God do you have from your experience? Does that close to you know how and why you know God in that manner?
 - b. Where are you struggling? Where are you in "bondage"? Do you sense I AM setting you free in those areas?
 - c. Is I AM calling you? Will you ignore His call, or will you answer it?