

There are so many reasons why we need to worship God. He is the “author and perfecter of our faith”. He is our creator. He loves us with an everlasting love. He provides for our needs. He disciplines us like children when we need it. He celebrates our victories in our lives with us, and he mourns our defeats. He is compassionate on us.

God has given us “everything we need for life and godliness.” He is the Father of Lights, and does not change like shifting shadows. Everything good that we have comes from God.

He is our Father. Yet, Jesus said he is not ashamed to call us brothers. He is concerned with our needs, our wants and our desires. He has given each of us talents to use, and the opportunity to use them for His glory, if we so chose.

He created us to be fruitful and multiply. To have dominion over the earth and to be caretakers of it. He could have put us on a planet that was gray and dull, but he chose to give us gorgeous sunsets, and the Grand Canyon. He created butterflies and birds of so many different types, all for our enjoyment. He planned each flower, and planned the details of every sea creature.

When we chose not to honor God, but to go our own way, into a sinful pattern of living, God provided a way for us to get back to having a relationship with him. He didn't wait for us to clean up our act, but sent Jesus to pay for our mistakes, and give us a fresh start.

God is holy. He is sinless, perfect. He is just and the ultimate judge. He rules the earth. The bible says that “every knee will bow and confess that Jesus is Lord.” Maranatha! Lord, Come quickly!