# God's Presence Brings Peace

A Sermon on Psalm 139 in Pictures

#### LORD, You Searched Me and You Know



LORD, You Searched Me and You Know God searches us out for our Good – to bring us Peace It is You Who Know when I sit and rise



God who knows when we sit and rise, be with us as we think through important decisions in our lives and give us peace of mind knowing that you walk with us as we stand up to act on decisions we've made with your help.

#### My path and my lair You winnow



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God who knows our secrets, be our secret place of peace, where we can view ourselves with your eyes of grace and love.



Knowledge is too wondrous for me



God, give us peace in knowing enough to know that it is good to be small

#### Where can I go from your spirit?



Next time you look at the clouds, acknowledge God's presence with you If I soar to the heavens, You are there...



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When we are isolated from everything else, we are yet still in the presence of the one who fills heaven and earth. If I bed down in Sheol there You are.



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God who is present with both the living and the dead, be present with all life threatened by the powers of death. May your peace be felt as rain on a parched earth and fertile moss on the dry, cracked body of our earth.

If I take wing with the dawn....



God, as our children spread their wings, may you hide them under your wings and give them peace.

If I dwell at the ends of the sea...



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"What limitation is God asking me to be at peace with?" There, too, your hand leads me...



God, lead our children as they make significant life transitions – as they journey to new places and face new challenges, grant them your peace.

For you created my innermost parts, wove me in my mother's womb... take time this week to be at peace for a moment and consider how God not only created back then but creates and enables life to exist in every moment.

Wondrous are Your acts...



## Wondrous are Your acts, O Lord.

### For Fun....

