

QUIZ: How Do You See God?

What comes into our minds when we think about God is the most important thing about us.

– A.W. Tozer

How do you see God? Perhaps no question is as important, yet we rarely take time to explore it. This short assessment is designed to give you greater insight into this crucial topic. I hope that taking the quiz and reflecting on the results will give you a deeper awareness of how you think about God—and a desire to know him more.

A. How do you see God's involvement in your everyday life?

1. Cheering me on in everything I do
2. Actively involved but not obsessed with every detail
3. Involved but cares more about his glory and mission
4. Takes notice when I do something really bad
5. Aware of my existence, but that's about it
6. Couldn't care less

B. From the following list, the word I most readily identify with God is...

1. Tender
2. Affectionate
3. Warm
4. Kind
5. Indifferent
6. Hateful

C. From the following list, the word I most readily identify with God is...

1. Tolerant
2. Accepting
3. Just
4. Wrathful
5. Harsh
6. Cruel

D. If someone suggests a natural disaster may have been God's judgment, my most likely response is...

1. Not a chance
2. Highly unlikely
3. Hard to say, but possible
4. If the people affected were evil, then maybe
5. If the people affected were evil, then probably
6. God judges through natural disasters all the time

E. How does God view sin?

1. He's too kind to really care about it
2. He doesn't like it, but puts up with it
3. He's hates it, but loves sinners
4. He's incensed but forgives the deeply repentant
5. He's furious and rarely forgives
6. He judges sin without concern for mere mortals

F. God will punish the wicked in terrible ways. My reaction to this statement is...

1. That's crazy talk
2. Maybe really evil people like Hitler
3. Only if they remain unrepentant
4. Yes, but he takes no pleasure in doing it.
5. All wicked people will be judged severely.
6. Absolutely, and he will take delight in punishing them.

G. When I read about Bible passages where God commands the Israelites to kill all their enemies, my reaction is...

1. Disgust. My God would never do that.
2. Confusion. Why is that even in the Bible?
3. It troubles me, but I trust that he is good.
4. Israel's enemies were evil so God had to judge them.
5. Doesn't bother me. God has the right to kill.
6. I'm surprised he didn't command more killings.

H. I generally feel like God approves of me. This statement is true of me...

1. Always
2. Most of the time
3. About half of the time
4. Sometimes
5. Seldom
6. Never

I. Even after I confess my sins to God, I often still feel guilty.

1. Never
2. Seldom
3. About half of the time
4. Most of the time
5. Sometimes
6. Always

J. The Bible invokes animal imagery to describe God. The one that resonates most with me is the...

1. Mother hen
2. Dove
3. Lamb
4. Eagle

5. Lion
6. Leviathan

How did you score?

Add the numbers for each of your answers. (For example, if you selected answer number 3, that equals 3 points.) Take the total and find which category you fall into.

- 10-25 points: Cosmic Buddy
- 26-40 points: Loving Lord
- 41-60 points: Angry Judge

This quiz is based on the new book *Yawning At Tigers: You Can't Change God, So Stop Trying* by Drew Dyck. To read the first chapter for free, visit yawningattigers.com