

## *The Anatomy of God*

The anatomy [structure, composition, makeup] of God is such that it resembles the same that we have as human beings. Whether this makeup is literal or figurative is not necessarily a point to argue over, only let it suffice to say that He deems mentioning various parts of His composition important enough to put in the Bible.

We as His prized creation have been made in His image and after His likeness according to Genesis and given faculties that no other created being has.

Being like God one of the most distinctive features we have the privilege of having is the ability to choose. There are some that take this grace for granted not realizing that the choices they make affect not only their life, but that of their families and friends and being Christians further they affect the church you attend and ultimately Christ and the Kingdom of God.

Last week I spoke on the Cost of Freedom and the main responsibility we have as free beings is the ability to choose, but this choice and freedom is not one in which we can choose to anything we want, but to choose what is right, something that a person that does not have the Spirit of God can consistently do.

So we've been blessed with the ability to choose, to think and to gain knowledge that helps us operate in this realm with the greatest expectation that what God has said, He will also bring to pass.

However in communicating His desires with us, the Bible depicts God as having other features that are very similar to what we have. He knows how to use the various parts of His Body to accomplish the purposes for which they were created and as His people we must also use them to promote morality, wholeness and goodwill as we live in this world to please Him.

We know the parts of the human body and the Bible reveals that God's Body has the same distinctive parts. Collectively, those that make up the Church of the Lord Jesus, or who are professed Christians in the earth are referred to as the Body of Christ.

## Exodus 24

*“Then Moses went up, also Aaron, Nadab, and Abihu, and seventy of the elders of Israel, 10 and they saw the God of Israel. And there was **under His feet** as it were a paved work of sapphire stone, and it was like the very heavens in its clarity. 11 But on the nobles of the children of Israel **He did not lay His hand**. So they saw God, and they ate and drank.”*

The Book of Daniel has a few more features depicted. Daniel 10:6 says:

*“**His body** was like beryl, **his face** like the appearance of lightning, **his eyes** like torches of fire, **his arms** and **feet** like burnished bronze in color, and the **sound of his words** like the voice of a multitude.”*

God does not turn a deaf ear to the cry of His people, but hears and get’s involved when the haters and enemies confront us. Second Samuel 22:4:

*4 I will call upon the Lord, who is worthy to be praised; so shall I be saved from my enemies.*

*5 “When the waves of death surrounded me, the floods of ungodliness made me afraid.*

*6 The sorrows of Sheol surrounded me; the snares of death confronted me.*

*7 In my distress I called upon the Lord, and cried out to my God; **He heard** my voice from His temple, and **my cry entered His ears**.*

*8 “Then the earth shook and trembled; the foundations of heaven quaked and were shaken, because **He was angry**.*

*9 Smoke went up from **His nostrils**, and devouring fire from **His mouth**; Coals were kindled by it.*

*10 He bowed the heavens also, and came down with darkness under **His feet**.*

*11 He rode upon a cherub, and flew; and He was seen upon the wings of the wind.*

*12 He made darkness canopies around Him, Dark waters and thick clouds of the skies.*

*13 From the brightness before Him Coals of fire were kindled.*

*14 “The Lord thundered from heaven, and the Most High **uttered His voice**.*

*15 He sent out arrows and scattered them; Lightning bolts, and He vanquished them.*

*16 Then the channels of the sea were seen, the foundations of the world were uncovered, at the rebuke of the Lord, at the blast of the breath of **His nostrils**.*

*17 "He sent from above, He took me, He drew me out of many waters.*

*18 He delivered me from my strong enemy, from those who hated me; For they were too strong for me.*

*19 They confronted me in the day of my calamity, But the Lord was my support.*

*20 He also brought me out into a broad place; He delivered me because He delighted in me.*

*21 "The **Lord rewarded me** according to my righteousness; According to the cleanness of my hands He has recompensed me.*

*22 For I have kept the ways of the Lord, and have not wickedly departed from my God.*

So far we see that God hears; He sees; He has a mouth and a voice He has a nose, arms and a face.

He even has feelings as verse 8 says He was angry because His child was in distress and cried out to Him; and a rewarder of those who are righteous and keep clean hands before Him as verse 21 says.

But the Lord also has eyes of compassion towards us that are significant as we go through the earth.

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