



## Day 39

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**Key Verse:** Psalm 95:3-5 (MSG) *“And why? Because GOD is the best, High King over all the gods. In one hand he holds deep caves and caverns, in the other hand grasps the high mountains. He made Ocean—he owns it! His hands sculpted Earth!”*

Something that strikes me in each of these verses is just how human we are in our thinking towards God. If we really believed and never wavered, if we truly knew the depths of his wisdom and love would we even ever fear our future. Would we stress about what’s going to happen next? Or would we be so deeply moved that we would just fall on our faces in love with him. Wouldn’t our fear dissolve and quickly turn to hope and peace.

I know for myself I’ve spent my life worrying. Some of my clearest memories of my childhood have to do with me worrying. I was afraid about so many things that I couldn’t see the big picture of. But God did. If I could have lifted up my fears to him and realize that he knew the big picture, I would have not wasted so much time worrying about myself and I could have been more productive in the lives of others. I could have spent more time feeling joyful and fulfilled as I poured into others. But instead I was too wrapped up in my own fears and anxieties to care about the real mission of God. And now that those times in my life are finished I can see God’s hand in it all! And thank goodness a lot of the things didn’t go as I had planned them to go! And I sure hope I’ve learned my lesson on not wasting my time on fear.

Our God is so great, his love is so faithful! If we truly believe, let’s give our fears up to Him and praise his name!

**Scriptures:** Psalm 95; Genesis 22:1-14; 1 Peter 1:10-20; John 13:36-42