Our Search for Something

True or False

Solid to Stand On.
What’s Your Remedy?

Elohim: The Eternal God

Exodus 20:1-6; Isaiah 40:18-31; Genesis 1
Then God spoke all these words: I am the LORD your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the place of slavery. Do not have other gods besides Me. Do not make an idol for yourself, whether in the shape of anything in the heavens above or on the earth below or in the waters under the earth. You must not bow down to them or worship them;
for I, the LORD your God, am a jealous God, punishing the children for the fathers’ sin, to the third and fourth generations of those who hate Me, but showing faithful love to a thousand generations of those who love Me and keep My commands. - Exodus 20:1-6
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Spiritual Truths

God is **POSSESSIVE** in His revelation

God is **DYNAMIC** in His revelation

God is **JUST** in His revelation
Who will you compare God with? What likeness will you compare Him to? To an idol?—something that a smelter casts, and a metalworker plates with gold and makes silver welds for it? To one who shapes a pedestal, choosing wood that does not rot? He looks for a skilled craftsman to set up an idol that will not fall over. Do you not know?
Have you not heard? Has it not been declared to you from the beginning? Have you not considered the foundations of the earth? God is enthroned above the circle of the earth; its inhabitants are like grasshoppers. He stretches out the heavens like thin cloth and spreads them out like a tent to live in. He reduces princes to nothing and makes the
judges of the earth to be irrational. They are barely planted, barely sown, their stem hardly takes root in the ground when He blows on them and they wither, and a whirlwind carries them away like stubble. “Who will you compare Me to, or who is My equal?” asks the Holy One. Look up and see: who created these? He brings out the starry host by
number; He calls all of them by name. Because of His great power and strength, not one of them is missing. Jacob, why do you say, and Israel, why do you assert: “My way is hidden from the LORD, and my claim is ignored by my God”? Do you not know? Have you not heard? Yahweh is the everlasting God, the Creator of the whole earth. He never grows faint or
weary; there is no limit to His understanding. He gives strength to the weary and strengthens the powerless. Youths may faint and grow weary, and young men stumble and fall, but those who trust in the LORD will renew their strength; they will soar on wings like eagles; they will run and not grow weary; they will walk and not faint. -Isaiah 40:18-31
The Transcendent Elohim

He transcends **SPACE**

He transcends **TIME**

He transcends **MATTER**
The Powerful Elohim

He is **OMNISCIENT**

He is **OMNIPOTENT**

He is **OMNIPRESENCE**
Then God said, “Let Us make man in Our image, according to Our likeness. They will rule the fish of the sea, the birds of the sky, the livestock, all the earth, and the creatures that crawl on the earth.” So God created man in His own image; He created him in the image of God; He created them male and female.
God blessed them, and God said to them, “Be fruitful, multiply, fill the earth, and subdue it. Rule the fish of the sea, the birds of the sky, and every creature that crawls on the earth.”

God also said, “Look, I have given you every seed-bearing plant on the surface of the entire earth, and every tree whose fruit contains seed. This food will be for you,
for all the wildlife of the earth, for every bird of the sky, and for every creature that crawls on the earth—everything having the breath of life in it. I have given every green plant for food.” And it was so. God saw all that He had made, and it was very good. Evening came, and then morning: the sixth day. —Genesis 1:26-31
The Reflection of Elohim

He is **TRIUNE** in nature

**JESUS** is part of the Triune God

John 1, Colossian 1:16 & Hebrews 11:3

We are in His **IMAGE**
Elohim vs. the Idols

An idol will try to **FIND** a solution vs. Elohim **CREATES** a solution

An idol is **BOUND** by time & understanding vs. Elohim unbound by time and the **AUTHOR** of understanding

An idol will **TAKE** from you vs. Elohim **GIVING** His image to you