## The Heavens Declare His Glory

(Psalm 19:1,3)

# Introduction: 1. "The heavens declare the glory of God; and the firmament shows His handiwork...There is no speech nor language where their voice is not heard." (Psalm 19:1,3).

- 2. At times we all struggle with meaningful worship.
- 3. This struggle could be overcome if we would remember the glory and majesty of God.
- 4. We often overlook God, and get right to his commandments and expectations.
  - a. God must be more than a presupposition.
  - b. "Rules without relationships result in rebellion."
- 5. This lesson is intended to remind us of his greatness.

#### I. The Beauty Of Nature

- A. Sea, Flowers, Mountains, Changing of the seasons.
- B. The earth, itself, in the vastness of space.
- C. We are but a speck in this universe, yet we have the full attention of God!
- D. Speaking of specks, consider also the microscopic life the exhibits design.
- E. "O Lord, our Lord, How excellent *is* Your name in all the earth, Who have set Your glory above the heavens! When I consider Your heavens, the work of Your fingers, The moon and the stars, which You have ordained, What is man that You are mindful of him? (Psalm 8:1,3-4).

### II. The Beauty Of His Nature

- A. (Psalm 19:7-11).
  - 1. The psalmist jumps from the beauty of nature to the beauty of his nature.
  - 2. Perfect (v.7), Sure (v. 7), Right (v.8), Pure (v.8), Clean (v.9), True (v. 9), Righteous (v. 9), More to be desired than gold (v.10), Sweeter than honey (v. 10), Great Reward (v. 11).
- B. (Romans 2:4)
- C. We need to see beyond the beauty of nature and see the beauty of His nature.

#### Conclusion:

- 1. "God is great, Good is good..."
- 2. For what do we, as the people of God, the church of Christ want to be known?
  - a. I don't want it to be for any particular doctrinal emphasis.
- 3. But wouldn't it be wonderful if when people thought of the church of Christ, the first thing that came to their mind is that we are a people who hold God in majesty and awe, and consequently humble themselves before him?