

**40 Days Of Prayer: God Is...  
God Is Eternal And Unchangeable  
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**Key Thought Of The Day**

God is **ETERNALLY UNCHANGEABLE**; so the God to whom we pray is \_\_\_\_\_.

**Grab This!**

Scripture is loaded with the concept that God is \_\_\_\_\_ — which means that God is eternally unchanging.

**Key Verse of the Day**

*"I the Lord do not change." Malachi 3:6 NIV*

*Jesus Christ is the same yesterday and today and forever. Hebrews 13:8 NIV*

**Don't Miss This!**

Since God doesn't change in His nature, people can know exactly how to interact with God and ultimately \_\_\_\_\_ Him.

*In the beginning you laid the foundations of the earth, and the heavens are the work of your hands. They will perish, but you remain; they will all wear out like a garment. Like clothing you will change them and they will be discarded. But you remain the same, and your years will never end. Psalm 102:25-27 NIV*

**Why Must God Be Immutable?**

- God exists apart from \_\_\_\_\_.

*Before the mountains were born or you brought forth the whole world, from everlasting to everlasting you are God. You turn people back to dust, saying, "Return to dust, you mortals." A thousand years in your sight are like a day that has just gone by, or like a watch in the night. Psalm 90:2-4 NIV*

*But the plans of the Lord stand firm forever, the purposes of his heart through all generations. Psalm 33:11 NIV*

**Grab This!**

God can be relied upon to be \_\_\_\_\_ in His nature, and in His plans for the world and for you and me.

*He has saved us and called us to a holy life—not because of anything we have done but because of his own purpose and grace. This grace was given us in Christ Jesus before the beginning of time, but it has now been revealed through the appearing of our Savior, Christ Jesus... 1 Timothy 1:9-10 NIV*

## Why Must God Be Immutable?

- God exists as a \_\_\_\_\_.

*As for God, his way is perfect: The Lord's word is flawless... Psalm 18:30a NIV*

### Don't Miss This!

God is immutable because every part of His \_\_\_\_\_ is perfect.

*Then you will be able to test and approve what God's will is—his good, pleasing and perfect will. Romans 12:2b NIV*

*For by one sacrifice he (JESUS) has made perfect forever those who are being made holy. Hebrews 10:14 NIV*

### Grab This!

God couldn't make anything perfect if He wasn't \_\_\_\_\_ perfect Himself!

## Why Must God Be Immutable?

- God exists as an \_\_\_\_\_ Being.

*Great is our Lord and mighty in power; his understanding has no limit. Psalm 147:5 NIV*

### Don't Miss This!

Omniscience means that God \_\_\_\_\_.

*Therefore, I urge you, brothers and sisters, in view of God's mercy, to offer your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and pleasing to God—this is your true and proper worship. Do not conform to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Then you will be able to test and approve what God's will is—his good, pleasing and perfect will. Romans 12:1-2b NIV*

*Then the Lord relented and did not bring on his people the disaster he had threatened. Exodus 32:14 NIV*

*Do you not know? Have you not heard? The Lord is the everlasting God, the Creator of the ends of the earth. He will not grow tired or weary, and his understanding no one can fathom. Isaiah 40:28 NIV*

### The Bottom Line

Since God never changes, we can trust \_\_\_\_\_ God says.

*Your kingdom is an everlasting kingdom, and your dominion endures through all generations. The Lord is trustworthy in all he promises and faithful in all he does. Psalm 145:13 NIV*

### How should God's unchanging nature effect us?

1. We ought to have confidence that God will never change His mind about us.
2. We ought to be confident that God's ways are best for us.
3. We ought to live in expectation of the future God is preparing for us.