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## The Depth of Our Creator

It was with His Words that the Lord created our earth, the entire universe, and everything in it. I would like for us to take a few moments of our day and be in complete awe of our Heavenly Father's amazing creativity and abilities. If possible, take a step outside, and look up into the sky, listen to the birds chirping, feel the heat of the sun, and the breeze of the wind. Remember when you look into the night sky that He made all of that and realize He is with you.

We are reminded in Psalm 33:5-9, "*He loves righteousness and justice; The earth is full of the goodness of the LORD. By the word of the LORD the heavens were made, And all the host of them by the breath of His mouth. He gathers the waters of the sea together as a heap; He lays up the deep in storehouses. Let all the earth fear the LORD; Let all the inhabitants of the world stand in awe of Him. For He spoke, and it was done; He commanded, and it stood fast.*"

His words brought everything into existence, but it was His creative ingenuity that designed everything first. Just as every building first starts with a blueprint, our creation had one too before the construction began. His mastery of bringing to life an incredible universe out of absolutely nothing is unfathomable to the human mind. What we thought was the smallest thing in an atom, we then found that it had electrons, protons, and neutrons inside of it. From the tiniest of particles that float right through the earth to the most massive known sun out there, five billion times more volume than our own sun.

The Creator of all things first planned everything and then brought it forward into reality. Scripture tells us that God has been here forever, with no beginning nor end. That means that He had an eternity to consider the birth of every single cell for every plant, animal, and planet before He spoke them into being! It really is incredible as science learns more about what's been done by Him. Just when man thinks they've discovered the smallest of things, they find an even deeper design involved. Then when they look up into the heavens, they are always astonished at the vastness of it all.

Humans are so ignorant in their attempt to remove God and explain how this beautiful place came to be. It reminds me of God's answer to Job, "*I will question you, and you shall answer Me. Where were you when I laid the foundations of the earth? Tell Me, if you have understanding. Who determined its measurements? Surely you know! Or who stretched the line upon it? To what were its foundations fastened? Or who laid its cornerstone, When the morning stars sang together, And all the sons of God shouted for joy?*" Job 38:4-7.

They sent a massive telescope into space to search past anything man has ever seen. It has the ability to see on the outside of the earth's atmosphere and therefore, a much clearer picture. We had already learned our solar system with our one sun was just one of many solar systems within the Milky Way Galaxy. The astronomers guess that there are over two hundred billion suns within our Galaxy, all dancing together in incredibly beautiful harmony. They also knew of the multitude of other galaxies out there, each with their own billions of solar systems full of suns and other planets. They took the Hubble telescope and focused it on a small dark

patch of space and looked farther than ever before, and in that darkness, they discovered ten thousand more galaxies!

They will never find the end of His creation, never. They now guess that there are over two trillion galaxies in our universe. I wonder how it's going to work in heaven when we all sit around Him with our questions of how it was possible. I know that many will be surprised to learn that this whole universe was designed and created for Adam and his family. It says in Isaiah 45:18, "*For thus says the LORD, Who created the heavens, Who is God, Who formed the earth and made it, Who has established it, Who did not create it in vain, Who formed it to be inhabited: "I am the LORD, and there is no other."*"

This is just one small example of how incredible our Heavenly Father is and His ability to bring something out of nothing. I know in our day to day life, it can get easy to be overwhelmed by circumstances and hardships, and one of our greatest mistakes is if we forget who is walking with us. When things seem lost or difficult, it can be easy to feel alone in finding the right path forward. Yet, for every situation you face where life has failed and abandoned you, whether it be a person, finances, careers, or even your health that has turned on you, there is one constant that you can hold on to. You have a Father who loves you, and no matter how large it seems or how small it may feel, He wants to be involved with you.

In fact, He has taken the entirety of His creative ability that was used for this universe and focused it on the answer for your need. He has thought about everything and has taken an eternity to design His perfect answer for you. Please, never forget Matthew 6:8, "*Therefore do not be like them. For your Father knows the things you have need of before you ask Him.*" Just like God spoke out His Word and the design of the universe came forth out of nothing, when you and I ask and speak out His Word then He is able to bring forth the fullness of His plan for you!

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