



THE **4Gs** GOD IS GLORIOUS GREAT GRACIOUS GOOD



God is...	Belief	Fruit of Unbelief	Jesus is...
GLORIOUS "I don't need to fear anyone or anything"	Fear God HUMILITY "I am NOT"	Fear man/circumstances PRIDE "I am"	SUPREME Jesus is GOD
GREAT "I don't need to be in control"	Submission (to the Creator)	Control (act as the creator) people/circumstances	SOVEREIGN Jesus is LORD
GRACIOUS "I don't need to prove myself"	Forgiveness (of others)	Judgmental (always superior)	SAVIOR Jesus has performed perfectly in our place
GOOD "I don't need to look for satisfaction anywhere else"	Contentment (in all things)	Anxious (never satisfied)	SUFFICIENT Jesus is a gift to us He is all we need

Glorious – 1 Chron. 16:23-32; 1 Cor. 10:31; Heb. 13:6

Do you feel you need to be the center of attention? How do you respond when you experience rejection? Are you a people-pleaser or a God-pleaser? Do you fear certain people more than you fear God? Are you content with God's love or do you look for the approval of others? Do you feel like a victim or a martyr?

Great – Dan. 4:35; Is. 45:7,9; Rom. 8:28-29

How do you respond when things happen that you don't want to happen or don't happen that you want to happen? Do you struggle with trusting God with your present or future? Do you try to change or fix people around you? Do you accept the way God has made you?

Gracious – Ps. 145:8,9; Eph. 2:4-7; Rom. 8:37-39

Do you feel God loves you more when you are obedient and less when you are disobedient? What do you feel pressure that you must be doing? Do you fear failure? When do you feel like a failure? Do you have a hard time forgiving others? Do you have bitterness in your life?

Good – Ps. 34:8,9; Ps. 84:11; James 1:17

What brings you pleasure? What discourages you? Where do you go – what do you do to seek ways to escape pain or avoid suffering? Do you believe life is unfair – that you deserve to be happy and pain free? What do you daydream about? What do you not have that you think would bring satisfaction or happiness?

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