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## **Know God: Exploring the Names of God Part 6**

## His names emulate (reflect) His attributes!

"In Hebrew thought, a name is a way of revealing someone's very identity and essence"

Jehovah-Sabaoth "The Lord of Hosts or The Lord of Armies"

2 Samuel 7:1-17

1. Consistently have an eye on how you can glorify Him.

Vs. 2 "See now, I dwell in a house of cedar, but the ark of God dwells inside tent curtains."

Matt. 8:10

2. The King's heart desires <u>servants</u> in His kingdom.

Vs. 5 "Go and tell my servant"

"Everyone wants to serve until they get treated like a servant!"

3. God's honors are far greater than material things.

Vs. 8-10 "Thus says the Lord of Hosts: I took you from the sheepfold...to be ruler...And I have been with you...Moreover I will."

4. The Lord of Hosts is also Abba Father ("Daddy").

Vs. 14 "I will be his father, and he shall be my son"

5. Unfailing mercy is the order given by The Lord of Hosts.

Vs. 15-16 "But My mercy shall not depart from him...and your kingdom shall be established forever"

"The family of Saul became totally extinct; the family of David remained till the incarnation." - Clarke

Acts 13:34-39

2 Samuel 7:26-28

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