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Know & Understand God

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### Hymns

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### Hymn Lyrics

Hymn 195

#### **Hymn 195**

HORATIUS BONAR\*

(195)

#### **ALL SOULS**

JOHN YOAKLEY

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Not what I am, O Lord, but what Thou art;  
That, that alone can be my soul's true rest;  
Thy love, not mine, bids fear and doubt depart,  
And stills the tumult of my troubled breast.

Girt with the love of God, on every side,  
I breathe that love as heaven's own healing air;  
I work and pray, and follow still my guide,  
And fear no foe, escaping every snare.

'Tis what I know of Thee, my Lord and God,  
That fills my soul with peace, my lips with song;  
Thou art my health, my joy, my staff, my rod;  
I lean on Thee, in weakness I am strong.

Hymn 7

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BERTHA H. WOODS

*Based on hymn by H. F. Lyte*

(7)

#### **EVENTIDE**

WILLIAM H. MONK

Abide with me; fast breaks the morning light;  
Our daystar rises, banishing all night;

Thou art our strength, O Truth that maketh free,  
We would unfailingly abide in Thee.

I know no fear, with Thee at hand to bless,  
Sin hath no power and life no wretchedness;  
Health, hope and love in all around I see  
For those who trustingly abide in Thee.

I know Thy presence every passing hour,  
I know Thy peace, for Thou alone art power;  
O Love divine, abiding constantly,  
I need not plead, Thou dost abide with me.

## Hymn 85

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EDITH GADDIS BREWER

(85)

### LIEBSTER JESU

JOHANN R. AHLE

God of Truth, eternal good,  
Lift our hearts to revelation,  
That Thou mayst be understood,  
Thou, the Rock of our salvation;  
All Thy love we have for loving,  
All Thy truth is ours for proving.

Open now our eyes to see,  
As the clouds of sense are riven,  
We behold reality,  
Know the glory of Thy heaven;  
So we seek Thy perfect healing  
Through the Truth of Thy revealing.

All the way that we must go  
We will take at Thy direction,  
Where the floods of trouble flow  
Find Thy perfect, calm reflection;  
On the path that has no turning,  
Patience, courage, meekness learning.

## The Bible

1. Ex. 6:7 ye (to 2nd ,)

7 ye shall know that I *am* the LORD your God,

2. Ps. 100:3 (to ;)

3 Know ye that the LORD he *is* God: *it is* he *that* hath made us, and not we ourselves;

3. Ps. 14:2

2 The LORD looked down from heaven upon the children of men, to see if there were any that did understand, *and* seek God.

4. Job 42:1, 2

1 THEN Job answered the LORD, and said,

2 I know that thou canst do every *thing*, and *that* no thought can be withholden from thee.

5. Prov. 2:5 find

5 find the knowledge of God.

6. Isa. 43:10

10 Ye *are* my witnesses, saith the LORD, and my servant whom I have chosen: that ye may know and believe me, and understand that I *am* he: before me there was no God formed, neither shall there be after me.

7. Matt. 8:5-10 when

5 when Jesus was entered into Capernaum, there came unto him a centurion, beseeching him,

6 And saying, Lord, my servant lieth at home sick of the palsy, grievously tormented.

7 And Jesus saith unto him, I will come and heal him.

8 The centurion answered and said, Lord, I am not worthy that thou shouldest come under my roof: but speak the word only, and my servant shall be healed.

9 For I am a man under authority, having soldiers under me: and I say to this *man*, Go, and he goeth; and to another, Come, and he cometh; and to my servant, Do this, and he doeth *it*.

10 When Jesus heard *it*, he marvelled, and said to them that followed, Verily I say unto you, I have not found so great faith, no, not in Israel.

8. John 5:17 My Father, 19-21 Verily, 24-26, 30, 32, 33, 36

17 My Father worketh hitherto, and I work.

19 Verily, verily, I say unto you, The Son can do nothing of himself, but what he seeth the Father do: for what things soever he doeth, these also doeth the Son likewise.

20 For the Father loveth the Son, and sheweth him all things that himself doeth: and he will shew him greater works than these, that ye may marvel.

- 21 For as the Father raiseth up the dead, and quickeneth *them*; even so the Son quickeneth whom he will.
- 24 Verily, verily, I say unto you, He that heareth my word, and believeth on him that sent me, hath everlasting life, and shall not come into condemnation; but is passed from death unto life.
- 25 Verily, verily, I say unto you, The hour is coming, and now is, when the dead shall hear the voice of the Son of God: and they that hear shall live.
- 26 For as the Father hath life in himself; so hath he given to the Son to have life in himself;
- 30 I can of mine own self do nothing: as I hear, I judge: and my judgment is just; because I seek not mine own will, but the will of the Father which hath sent me.
- 32 ¶ There is another that beareth witness of me; and I know that the witness which he witnesseth of me is true.
- 33 Ye sent unto John, and he bare witness unto the truth.
- 36 ¶ But I have greater witness than *that* of John: for the works which the Father hath given me to finish, the same works that I do, bear witness of me, that the Father hath sent me.

9. Josh. 3:10 ye (to 2nd ,)

- 10 ye shall know that the living God *is* among you,

10. I John 4:1-16

- 1 BELOVED, believe not every spirit, but try the spirits whether they are of God: because many false prophets are gone out into the world.
- 2 Hereby know ye the Spirit of God: Every spirit that confesseth that Jesus Christ is come in the flesh is of God:
- 3 And every spirit that confesseth not that Jesus Christ is come in the flesh is not of God: and this is that *spirit* of antichrist, whereof ye have heard that it should come; and even now already is it in the world.
- 4 Ye are of God, little children, and have overcome them: because greater is he that is in you, than he that is in the world.
- 5 They are of the world: therefore speak they of the world, and the world heareth them.
- 6 We are of God: he that knoweth God heareth us; he that is not of God heareth not us. Hereby know we the spirit of truth, and the spirit of error.
- 7 Beloved, let us love one another: for love is of God; and every one that loveth is born of God, and knoweth God.
- 8 He that loveth not knoweth not God; for God is love.
- 9 In this was manifested the love of God toward us, because that God sent his only begotten Son into the world, that we might live through him.

- 10 Herein is love, not that we loved God, but that he loved us, and sent his Son *to be* the propitiation for our sins.
- 11 Beloved, if God so loved us, we ought also to love one another.
- 12 No man hath seen God at any time. If we love one another, God dwelleth in us, and his love is perfected in us.
- 13 Hereby know we that we dwell in him, and he in us, because he hath given us of his Spirit.
- 14 And we have seen and do testify that the Father sent the Son *to be* the Saviour of the world.
- 15 Whosoever shall confess that Jesus is the Son of God, God dwelleth in him, and he in God.
- 16 And we have known and believed the love that God hath to us. God is love; and he that dwelleth in love dwelleth in God, and God in him.

11. Heb. 11:3

- 3 Through faith we understand that the worlds were framed by the word of God, so that things which are seen were not made of things which do appear.

12. Luke 8:10 Unto (to :)

- 10 Unto you it is given to know the mysteries of the kingdom of God:

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13. Ps. 46:10

- 10 Be still, and know that I *am* God: I will be exalted among the heathen, I will be exalted in the earth.

**Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures by Mary Baker Eddy.**

1. SH 390:7-9

- It is our ignorance of God, the divine Principle, which produces apparent discord, and
- 9 the right understanding of Him restores harmony.

2. SH 242:3-5

It is only a question of time when "they shall all know Me [God], from the least of them unto the greatest."

3. SH 587:5-8

- God.** The great I AM; the all-knowing, all-seeing, all-acting, all-wise, all-loving, and eternal; Principle; Mind; Soul; Spirit; Life; Truth; Love; all substance; intelligence.
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## 4. SH 446:20-23

To understand

- 21 God strengthens hope, enthrones faith in Truth, and verifies Jesus' word: "Lo, I am with you always, even unto the end of the world."

## 5. SH 3:12-16

- 12 The Divine Being must be reflected by man, — else man is not the image and likeness of the patient, tender, and true, the One "altogether lovely;" but to understand God is the work of eternity, and demands absolute consecration of thought, energy, and desire.

## 6. SH 22:27-29

Whosoever believeth that wrath is righteous or that divinity is appeased by human suffering, does not understand God.

## 7. SH 133:29-31

- The Jewish conception of God, as Yawah, Jehovah, or only a mighty hero and king, has not quite given place to the true knowledge of God.

[Priestly learning](#)

## 8. SH 351:27

- 27 The Israelites centred their thoughts on the material in their attempted worship of the spiritual. To them matter was substance, and Spirit was shadow.
- 30 They thought to worship Spirit from a material standpoint, but this was impossible. They might appeal to Jehovah, but their prayer brought down no proof that it was heard, because they did not sufficiently understand God to be able to demonstrate His power to heal, — to make harmony the reality and discord the unreality.

[Fruitless worship](#)

## 9. SH 486:27-2

- If the five corporeal senses were the medium through which to understand God, then palsy, blindness, and deafness would place man in a terrible situation, where he would be like those "having no hope, and without God in the world;" but as a matter of fact, these calamities often drive mortals to seek and to find a higher sense of happiness and existence.

## 10. SH 481:7-12

- 92 Material sense never helps mortals to understand

Spirit, God. Through spiritual sense only, man comprehends and loves Deity. The various contradictions of the Science of Mind by the material senses do not change the unseen Truth, which remains forever intact.

## 11. SH 209:31-32

Spiritual sense is a conscious, constant capacity to understand God.

## 12. SH 69:6-10, 13-16

6 Mortals can never understand God's creation while believing that man is a creator. God's children already created will be cognized only as man finds the truth of being.

9 Thus it is that the real, ideal man appears in proportion as the false and material disappears. Spiritually to understand that there is but one creator, God, unfolds all creation, confirms the Scriptures, brings the sweet assurance of no parting, no pain, and of man deathless and perfect and eternal.

## 13. SH 258:16-18

We know no more of man as the true divine image and likeness, than we know of God.

## 14. SH 366:24-29

The sick are terrified by their sick beliefs, and sinners should be affrighted by their sinful beliefs; but the Christian Scientist will be calm in the presence of both sin and disease, knowing, as he does, that Life is God and God is All.

## 15. SH 167:1

167:1 Should we implore a corporeal God to heal the sick out of His personal volition, or should we understand the infinite divine Principle which heals? If we rise no higher than blind faith, the Science of healing is not attained, and Soul-existence, in the place of sense-existence, is not comprehended. We apprehend Life in divine Science only as we live above corporeal sense and correct it. Our proportionate admission of the claims of good or of evil determines the harmony of our existence, — our health, our longevity, and our Christianity.

## 16. SH 84:28-1

80:1 All we correctly know of Spirit comes from God, divine

Principle, and is learned through Christ and Christian Science. If this Science has been thoroughly learned and properly digested, we can know the truth more accurately than the astronomer can read the stars or calculate an eclipse.

## 17. SH 180:25-27

When man is governed by God, the ever-present Mind who understands all things, man knows that with God all things are possible.

## 18. SH 283:1-3

As mortals begin to understand Spirit, they give up the belief that there is any true existence apart from God.

## 19. SH 127:4

If God, the All-in-all, be the creator of the spiritual universe, including man, then everything entitled to a classification as truth, or Science, must be comprised in a knowledge or understanding of God, for there can be nothing beyond illimitable divinity.

## 20. SH 465:8 What (only)

What is God?

## 21. SH 2:23 (only, to .), 31-32 God (to ;)

God is Love.

God is

“the same yesterday, and to-day, and forever;”

## 22. SH 312:18-19 God

18 God *is*

Truth.

## 23. SH 113:17 God (only, to 2nd .)

God is good.

## 24. SH 117:6 (to ;)

6 God is Spirit;

## 25. SH 203:32-1

God is at

204:1 once the centre and circumference of being.

## 26. SH 267:5 God (only, to 2nd .)

3 God is one.

## 27. SH 278:10-11 (to 1st .)



Spirit, God, is infinite,  
all.

28. SH 289:4 God (only)

3 God is the only Life.

29. SH 336:19 1st God (only)

God is indivisible.

30. SH 473:7-8

The God-

principle is omnipresent and omnipotent.

31. SH 492:25-26

*God is Mind, and God is  
infinite; hence all is Mind.*

32. SH 264:28-31

When we learn the way in Christian Science and recognize man's spiritual being, we shall behold and understand

30 God's creation, — all the glories of earth and heaven and man.