

The Heart In Awe of God
Psalm 111

"Awe" - reverential fear and holy respect for God

The Heart in Awe of God Is An Inquisitive Heart - Ps 111:2

- Constantly seeks to know God, and His ultimate reality - II Cor 4:18; Col 3:1-4
- God's ultimate realities apprehensible only to spiritual faculties - Matt 11:25; Ro 10:17
- All the treasures of wisdom and knowledge are in Christ - Col 2:3; Heb 11:6

The Heart in Awe of God Is A Reverential Heart - Ps 111:9

- God is in a category unto Himself - Ps 40:5; Is 44:8; Ps 111:3
- Such awesome respect opens the door to wisdom - Ps 111:10; Ja 3:3-18
- ...A God-referential life becomes wise

The Heart in Awe of God Is An Obedient Heart - Ps 111:10

- There is a reassuring stability in the nature of God - Ps 111:7-8; I Pet 2:6
- ...all who stand in Him shall stand forever - Ps 111:8
- Understanding comes as we obey Him - Ps 111:10
- ...all knowing is in the action

The Heart in Awe of God Is A Worshipping Heart - Ps 111:1,10

- We will not worship what does not awe us
- ...turns and tunes our hearts to God
- ...focuses our inner eyes/ears on God
- To remember what God has done is a reminder to what He will do - Ps 111:4-5; Heb 13:8
- ...as worshippers we become His "Hallels" - His living praises that endure forever
- Ps 111:10