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## What Does Jesus Want Us to Know...and Why?

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(1.)  
"WHAT DOES JESUS WANT US TO KNOW...  
AND WHY?"

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I. WHAT DO YOU THINK? (Say 3 things!!)

1. II Pet. 1:10. Make SAL. sure.....

2. Eph. 4:1-6. CALLING defined.

3. II Tim. 2:15. What is APPROVED?

What's too little? Too much????

✓ Acts 2:40. Include Inst. Music,  
Morals, div. & re-marriage.....

✓ *Leave Babes ignorant of current issues?*

II. WHAT IS TO KNOW?

1. Philosophy: to perceive or recognize through **experience, experimentation or observation.** Regardless of: Science or theory or revelation. Purely human!!!!

2. GR. GINOSKO: To take into one's knowledge---to understand-----to recognize. **By** revelation, evidence or testimony.

3. Two levels of KNOWLEDGE:

a. RELATIVE: knowledge in progress, learning more.....

← b. ABSOLUTE: fullness of Know**ING** viz "to know him perfectly" completely; **John 13:7. Well!**

GR: EPI-GINOSIS

## USING A CONTRADICTION:

(2.)

Phy. world: empirical knowledge: sure,  
except when mis-hear, mis-read,  
mis-see. Hume—all is illusion!

Spr. world: spiritual-empiricism:  
OR: I come to **BELIEVE so strong**  
**that my response** is the same as  
actually HAVING SEEN (NOW) what  
I believe. God, Heaven, Christ,  
Eternity, Judgment, reward and  
eternal punishment.

**②** EPH. 3:14-21. **TO KNOW THE LOVE....**  
(Believe)

### III. WHAT DOES JESUS WANT US TO KNOW?

A. JOHN 17:3. What does "know"  
mean here? Ans: To know WHO  
a per son IS, what HE does &  
to establish a RELATIONSHIP..  
viz: I John 5:3. 3:13-15.

B. II TIM. 1:12. Know Jesus....  
understand Him. Like him.  
John 8:24. Can be lost because  
of what you do not BELIEVE.

Mk. 16:15-16. Can be damned  
because of what you do not  
KNOW. (What we doing about if

C. ROMANS 8:28. God is on our  
side---always. Heb. 13:5.

D. II Cor. 5:1-3. Better body!

E. I John 3:1-3. **BE** Like Jesus!!!