DISCIPLESHIP GROUPS

Our Mission: Reaching out to leaders who can change the world.

God: Discover His Character

Lesson 13 – God Is Immutable (Never Changes)

INTRODUCTION

Read Article What are some of the things that show we are living in an age of "hyper-change,"

EXPLORATION Read Ex 3:10-15

Note: The use of the present tense in "I AM" means that the God who met Adam and Eve in the Garden of Eden was the same God who met Abraham and Sarah and gave them a son. The Hebrew word for "Lord" sounds like and may be derived from the Hebrew "I AM." Hebrew for this word is "Yahweh" which means "He is" or "He will be." Jesus used this phrase to describe himself in John 8:53-58. When Jesus replied to the guards that were seeking Him at in the Garden of Gethsemane, his "I AM he" caused the captors to fall to the ground. (John 18:6)

- 1. If we see this as a job interview, what position does God offer Moses? Vs 10
- 2. 40 years before, Moses had killed an Egyptian to start liberating the Hebrews. Why is he so timid now?
- 3. How does God reassure Moses? What authority can he claim?
- 4. The Israelites had been slaves for over 400 years. What difference would it have made to them to hear that God had been listening all that time was now ready to act?
- If God's name is to be remembered for all generations, how does that work today? Heb 6:13-20
- 6. How does that encourage you? Heb 13:8

Read Psalm 93

- 7. What does it mean that God is from all eternity (the everlasting past)? Vs 2
- 8. How does the psalmist compare God's might? Job 9:4 How would you describe Him?
- 9. What does it mean that God's statutes stand firm?

Read Heb 13:20,21

- 10. What is the eternal covenant?
- 11. How does the eternal covenant in verse 20 make possible the transformation in us described in verse 21?
- 12. Why will Jesus be glorified forever? How can we glorify Him today?

APPLICATION

• How are you becoming more consistently like the never-changing God? Matt 24:35; Matt 10:22; Phil 1:6