

## Part 2: I Am that I Am

1 Timothy 6:16

who alone is immortal and who lives in unapproachable light, whom no one has seen or can see. To him be honor and might forever. Amen.

John 1:18

No one has ever seen God, but God the One and Only, who is at the Father's side, has made him known.

Exodus 3:1-6, 14

1 Now Moses was tending the flock of Jethro his father-in-law, the priest of Midian, and he led the flock to the far side of the desert and came to Horeb, the mountain of God. 2 There the angel of the Lord appeared to him in flames of fire from within a bush. Moses saw that though the bush was on fire it did not burn up. 3 So Moses thought, "I will go over and see this strange sight-why the bush does not burn up."

4 When the Lord saw that he had gone over to look, God called to him from within the bush, "Moses! Moses!" And Moses said, "Here I am."

5 "Do not come any closer," God said. "Take off your sandals, for the place where you are standing is holy ground." 6 Then he said, "I am the God of your father, the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac and the God of Jacob." At this, Moses hid his face, because he was afraid to look at God.

14 God said to Moses, "I am who I am. This is what you are to say to the Israelites: 'I AM has sent me to you.'"

Proverbs 9:10

The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom, and knowledge of the Holy One is understanding.

John 10:3

He calls his own sheep by name and leads them out.

John 8:58

"I tell you the truth," Jesus answered, "before Abraham was born, I am!"

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### Attributes:

Invisible: God is spirit and cannot be seen with human eyes. He exists beyond the physical senses, and His essence is not visible to us. He dwells in unapproachable light.

Infallible: God is incapable of error or mistake. He is perfect in knowledge and wisdom, and there is no darkness or falsehood in Him. He cannot lie or be wrong.

Incomprehensible: God is beyond full human understanding. While we can know God because He reveals Himself to us, we can never fully grasp His essence or ways. His nature and actions are beyond our complete comprehension.

Infinite: God is limitless and immeasurable in all His attributes. Whether it is His knowledge, power, or presence, God is infinite, meaning He is beyond all finite limitations.

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### Message notes:

Every expression / manifestation of God in the Bible is through \_\_\_\_\_, the Lord Jesus Christ. He is the "divine logos"

You can't find God anywhere without Him \_\_\_\_\_ Himself to us.

God's "unapproachable light" is so bright that when it shines, the sun has to \_\_\_\_\_.

When God calls your name, coming down to our level, it gives \_\_\_\_\_ "He knows me!"

You can't know God without \_\_\_\_\_.

Places become sacred because something \_\_\_\_\_ and meaningful happened in that place.

The closer you get to the light, the more you realize how far \_\_\_\_\_ you fall of who He is.

God doesn't have to work hard to be what we need Him to be; He is \_\_\_\_\_ that we need.

### Additional notes:

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### Discussion Questions:

1. Pastor Jamie discussed the invisibility and unapproachability of God, yet highlights how God reveals Himself through Jesus Christ. How does understanding Jesus as the "Divine Logos" help us reconcile the idea of an invisible God with the instances where God appears in the Old Testament?
2. The story of Moses encountering God in the burning bush is a powerful example of God revealing Himself. What does Moses' encounter with God teach us about the nature of divine revelation and our response to it?
3. The message emphasizes the importance of humility in knowing God. Why is humility essential in our relationship with God, and how can we cultivate it in our daily lives?
4. Pastor Jamie highlighted the importance of sacred spaces where we encounter God. What are some places or moments in your life that have become sacred due to a significant encounter with God, and why?
5. The message concludes with the idea that God equips us for the mission He calls us to. In what ways has God equipped you for the tasks He has set before you, and how can you rely on His strength in times of inadequacy?

### Ministry Time:

The message emphasizes the personal nature of God's relationship with us, highlighting the moment when God calls Moses by name from the burning bush. Pray for anyone who has been struggling to hear God speak into their life.

Pastor Jamie spoke about how Jesus reveals the invisible God to us personally. Pray for anyone who needs to feel Jesus more closely in their life, revealing the goodness of God.