

ISAIAH Lesson 46

Learn: O the depth of the riches both of the wisdom and knowledge of God! how unsearchable are his judgments, and his ways past finding out! For who hath known the mind of the Lord? or who hath been his counselor? Or who hath first given to him, and it shall be recompensed to him again? For of him, and through him, and to him, are all things: to whom be glory for ever. Amen. Romans 11:33-36

Read: Isaiah 40:12-18

1. In what four ways does verse 12 give us a better understanding of man's inability when compared to God? "span"- the distance between the thumb and little finger
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2. What does the question of verse 13 bring to our attention? Also see Romans 11:33-36
3. Why was it not necessary for God to get counsel, instruction, judgment, knowledge, or understanding from any person? v 14 See Proverbs 8:11, 22-30.
4. Often times people want to give God counsel and instruction. What are some of the ways that they do this?
5. What are some ways that people try to impose their judgment upon God?

6. What are some ways that people try to prove that they have more knowledge or understanding than God?
7. Why is man's effort to give counsel to God foolish according to Proverbs 8:22-30?
  
8. According to I Corinthians 2:4-5, what should believers avoid when trying to reason with people about spiritual things?  
  
Why?
  
9. What is the problem with man's wisdom and instruction?  
I Corinthians 1:18-25; 2:14; Romans 1:18-23
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
10. Those who believe in Jesus Christ as their Savior have the benefit of God's counsel, understanding, instruction, and knowledge. How is this possible?  
I Corinthians 2:6-16
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
11. Knowing that all wisdom, understanding, counsel, and knowledge can be found in the Lord, what ought believers to do? James 1:4-7
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
12. What are the nations of the world in comparison to God? Isaiah 40:15-17

13. When it comes to honoring God, what does Isaiah 40 verse 16 tell us?

14. Use Isaiah 29:7 to further explain verse 17 of Isaiah 40.

15. Since God speaks of all the nations of the world as nothing and vanity, does that mean that God does not care about the people of the world? II Peter 3:3-9  
Eplain.