

AUGUST 21

“WHATEVER YOU NEED, GOD IS!”

READ

John 16:24, Philippians 4:19

What does I AM mean? I AM means the Ever Present One. I AM means there is a Power and a Being always in the now. With God, there is no past, no future. With God, everything is always in the present. Eternity has nothing to do with time. Time is only a segment of eternity that God ordained in which to show Himself. He has saved mankind, and He will one day judge mankind. When that judgment is over, He will erase time. Time will be no more, and everything will always be in the glorious present. While we are here, we must attempt to get hold of this characteristic of God: I don't have a past in Jesus. He has secured my future. I have a now. I have a present. I AM means grace, all-sufficient grace. Grace says, "I AM whatever you need." He doesn't wait for you tell Him what you need. He already knows. He says, "Come to me, and the I AM that I AM will become your peace, your healing, your salvation, your answer, your strength." Whatever you need, God is!

PRAY

Jesus, help me not to focus on the past or the future, but remain in the present where You dwell. Thank You for being a generous God, willing to supply everything I need. I come before You rejoicing that since I have You, I have everything I need.

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