



Names of God





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Yahweh

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“You are from below; I am from above. You are of this world; I am not of this world. I told you that you would die in your sins; if you do not believe that I am he, you will indeed die in your sins.”

John 8:23-24

“Before Abraham was, I am.”

John 8:58

Bread

- of life (Jn 6:35, 48)
- which came down
from heaven
(Jn 6:41, 51)

Light

of the world
(Jn 8:12; 9:5)

Door

(Jn 10:9)
of the sheep
(Jn 10:7)

Good Shepherd

(Jn 10:11, 14)

Before (Jn 8:58)
Abraham was

**Resurrection
and Life**

(Jn 11:25)

I AM

**the Way,
the Truth,
and the Life**

(Jn 14:6)

Vine

(Jn 15:1, 5)

God chose to make a way because He wants to be in relationship with us!

Jesus helps us understand who God is and how great His desire is to be in relationship with us!

The Holy Spirit stirs our hearts and helps us to understand how to be in relationship!

What is our response?

Curiosity

Calling

Humility

Ask questions

Look to God for answers

Communicate for understanding

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Becoming

Once or twice in a lifetime
A man or woman may choose
A radical leaving, having heard
Lech Lecha - Go forth.

God disturbs us toward our destiny
By hard events
And by freedom's now urgent voice
Which explode and confirm who we are.

We don't like leaving
But God loves becoming.

Norman Hirsh, *God Loves Becoming*

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Truth

Feeling