#### Seven Reasons I sleep well at night.

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**Slide 7. Text:** [Job 19:25-27 KJV] 25 For I know [that] my redeemer liveth, and [that] he shall stand at the latter [day] upon the earth: 26 And [though] after my skin [worms] destroy this [body], yet in my flesh shall I see God: 27 Whom I shall see for myself, and mine eyes shall behold, and not another; [though] my reins be consumed within me. (How my heart Yearns within me!) (I'm overwhelmed at the thought!)

### **Seven Reasons**

### 1) I am Born Again

**Slide 8-10.** [Jhn 3:3, 7-8 KJV] 3 Jesus answered and said unto him, Verily, verily, I say unto thee, Except a man be born again, he cannot see the kingdom of God. ... 7 Marvel not that I said unto thee, Ye must be born again. 8 The wind bloweth where it listeth, and thou hearest the sound thereof, but canst not tell whence it cometh, and whither it goeth: so is every one that is born of the Spirit.

[1Jo 5:13 KJV] 13 These things have I written unto you that believe on the name of the Son of God; that ye may know that ye have eternal life, and that ye may believe on the name of the Son of God.

I know that I know. I can see clearly now.

### 2) My Trust in Him: I trust Jesus for my eternal life.

### Where is your confidence?

**Slide 12.** [2Sa 22:3, 31 KJV] 3 The God of my rock; in him will I trust: [he is] my shield, and the horn of my salvation, my high tower, and my refuge, my saviour; thou savest me from violence. ... 31 [As for] God, his way [is] perfect; the word of the LORD [is] tried: he [is] a buckler to all them that trust in him.

[Psa 18:2 KJV] 2 The LORD [is] my rock, and my fortress, and my deliverer; my God, my strength, in whom I will trust; my buckler, and the horn of my salvation, [and] my high tower.

**Slide 13.** [Psa 25:20 KJV] 20 O keep my soul, and deliver me: let me not be ashamed; for I put my trust in thee.

**Slide 13.** [Psa 34:22 KJV] 22 The LORD redeemeth the soul of his servants: and none of them that trust in him shall be desolate.

**Slide 13.** [Pro 3:5 KJV] 5 Trust in the LORD with all thine heart; and lean not unto thine own understanding.

<u>Slide 14.</u> [Psa 52:8 KJV] 8 But I [am] like a green olive tree in the house of God: I trust in the mercy of God for ever and ever.

<u>Slide 14.</u> [Psa 62:8 KJV] 8 Trust in him at all times; [ye] people, pour out your heart before him: God [is] a refuge for us. Selah.

<u>Slide 14.</u> [Pro 29:25 KJV] 25 The fear of man bringeth a snare: but whoso putteth his trust in the LORD shall be safe.

# Slide 15. 3) Wherever I go Jesus is watching over me to help me through trouble. His Protection is 24/7

**Slide 16.** [Psa 139:7-12 KJV] 7 Whither shall I go from thy spirit? or whither shall I flee from thy presence? 8 If I ascend up into heaven, thou [art] there: if I make my bed in hell, behold, thou [art there]. 9 [If] I take the wings of the morning, [and] dwell in the uttermost parts of the sea; 10 Even there shall thy hand lead me, and thy right hand shall hold me. 11 If I say, Surely the darkness shall cover me; even the night shall be light about me. 12 Yea, the darkness hideth not from thee; but the night shineth as the day: the darkness and the light [are] both alike [to thee].

### Slide 17&18. God Has the Enemy Outnumbered One to One.

[Psa 34:7 NLT] 7 For the angel of the LORD is a guard; he surrounds and defends all who fear him.

[2Ki 19:35 KJV] 35 And it came to pass that night, that the angel of the LORD went out, and smote in the camp of the Assyrians an hundred fourscore and five thousand: and when they arose early in the morning, behold, they [were] all dead corpses.

### 4) I Fear God and don't want to go against his Commandments.

**Slide 20.** [Ecc 12:13 KJV] 13 Let us hear the conclusion of the whole matter: Fear God, and keep his commandments: for this [is] the whole [duty] of man.

<u>Slide 21.</u> Fear of God Defined: To fear God is to hallow Him. Hallow is defined as "to respect greatly." To fear God is to esteem, respect, honor, venerate, and adore Him above anyone or anything else. When we fear God, we take on His heart. We love what He loves, and we hate what He hates.

### **Use Godly Wisdom**

**Slide 22.** [Psa 112:1 KJV] 1 Praise ye the LORD. Blessed [is] the man [that] feareth the LORD, [that] delighteth greatly in his commandments.

[Pro 4:6, 13, 23 NLT] 6 Don't turn your back on wisdom, for she will protect you. Love her, and she will guard you. ... 13 Take hold of my instructions; don't let them go. Guard them, for they are the key to life. ... 23 Guard your heart above all else, for it determines the course of your life.

## Slide 23. All Will Fear Him One Day (Are we treating God the way Bugs treated Elmer?

**Slide 24.** [Rev 14:7 KJV] 7 Saying with a loud voice, Fear God, and give glory to him; for the hour of his judgment is come: and worship him that made heaven, and earth, and the sea, and the fountains of waters.

[Psa 128:1 KJV] 1 [[A Song of degrees.]] Blessed [is] every one that feareth the LORD; that walketh in his ways.

### Slide 25. Respect Brings Reward

[Pro 13:13 KJV] 13 Whoso despiseth the word shall be destroyed: but he that feareth the commandment shall be rewarded.

[Pro 14:2, 16 KJV] 2 He that walketh in his uprightness feareth the LORD: but [he that is] perverse in his ways despiseth him. ... 16 A wise [man] feareth, and departeth from evil: but the fool rageth, and is confident.

[Isa 50:10 KJV] 10 Who [is] among you that feareth the LORD, that obeyeth the voice of his servant, that walketh [in] darkness, and hath no light? let him trust in the name of the LORD, and stay upon his God.

### **Slide 26.** Place Your Hope In God Alone

[Psa 31:24 KJV] 24 Be of good courage, and he shall strengthen your heart, all ye that hope in the LORD.

### 5) My Path

### I walk in his ways as I learn them. (Seek Him)

**Slide 27-30.** [Job 34:21 KJV] 21 For his eyes [are] upon the ways of man, and he seeth all his goings.

**Slide 31.** [Psa 25:4 KJV] 4 Shew me thy ways, O LORD; teach me thy paths.

**Slide 31.** [Psa 91:11 KJV] 11 For he shall give his angels charge over thee, to keep thee in all thy ways.

[Psa 95:10 KJV] 10 Forty years long was I grieved with [this] generation, and said, It [is] a people that do err in their heart, and they have not known my ways:

[Psa 103:7 KJV] 7 He made known his ways unto Moses, his acts unto the children of Israel.

[Psa 119:15 KJV] 15 I will meditate in thy precepts, and have respect unto thy ways.

[Psa 128:1 KJV] 1 [[A Song of degrees.]] Blessed [is] every one that feareth the LORD; that walketh in his ways.

[Psa 145:17 KJV] 17 The LORD [is] righteous in all his ways, and holy in all his works.

[Pro 3:6 KJV] 6 In all thy ways acknowledge him, and he shall direct thy paths.

[Pro 5:21 KJV] 21 For the ways of man [are] before the eyes of the LORD, and he pondereth all his goings.

[Pro 8:32 KJV] 32 Now therefore hearken unto me, O ye children: for blessed [are they that] keep my ways.

### Slide 32. The Roadrunner was never Outfoxed by the Coyote.

## 6) The God I serve is never taken by surprise and cannot be defeated. Nothing ever occurs to God.

### Slide 33. God's Eyes are Everywhere

**Slide 33.** [Pro 15:3 KJV] 3 The eyes of the LORD [are] in every place, beholding the evil and the good.

**Slide 33.** [Rom 11:33-36 KJV] 33 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! 34 For who hath known the mind of the Lord? or who hath been his counsellor? 35 Or who hath first given to him, and it shall be recompensed unto him again? 36 For of him, and through him, and to him, [are] all things: to whom [be] glory for ever. Amen.

### Slide 34. Brian Courtney Wilson Has it Ever Occurred to You?

Has it ever occurred to you?

That nothing occurs to God

He knows the end from the beginning

And you'll never catch Him off guard

There's no need to be dismayed

Our God is already made a way

Has it ever occurred to you?

That nothing, no nothing occurs to God

[1Jo 3:20 NKJV] 20 For if our heart condemns us, God is greater than our heart, and knows all things.

[Mat 6:32 NKJV] 32 "For after all these things the Gentiles seek. For your heavenly Father knows that you need all these things.

[Dan 2:22 KJV] 22 He revealeth the deep and secret things: he knoweth what [is] in the darkness, and the light dwelleth with him.

[Mat 24:36 KJV] 36 But of that day and hour knoweth no [man], no, not the angels of heaven, but my Father only.

[Mar 13:32 KJV] 32 But of that day and [that] hour knoweth no man, no, not the angels which are in heaven, neither the Son, but the Father.

[2Ti 2:19 KJV] 19 Nevertheless the foundation of God standeth sure, having this seal, The Lord knoweth them that are his. And, Let every one that nameth the name of Christ depart from iniquity.

[2Pe 2:9 KJV] 9 The Lord knoweth how to deliver the godly out of temptations, and to reserve the unjust unto the day of judgment to be punished:

[1Jo 3:20 KJV] 20 For if our heart condemn us, God is greater than our heart, and knoweth all things.

### 7) He never goes back on his promises they are all yea and amen.

**Slide 37.** [2Pe 1:4 KJV] 4 Whereby are given unto us exceeding great and precious promises: that by these ye might be partakers of the divine nature, having escaped the corruption that is in the world through lust.

[2Pe 3:9 KJV] 9 The Lord is not slack concerning his promise, as some men count slackness; but is longsuffering to us-ward, not willing that any should perish, but that all should come to repentance.

**Slide 37.** [2Co 1:20 KJV] 20 For all the promises of God in him [are] yea, and in him Amen, unto the glory of God by us.

[Gal 3:16 KJV] 16 Now to Abraham and his seed were the promises made. He saith not, And to seeds, as of many; but as of one, And to thy seed, which is Christ.

[Heb 6:12 KJV] 12 That ye be not slothful, but followers of them who through faith and patience inherit the promises.

[Heb 8:6 KJV] 6 But now hath he obtained a more excellent ministry, by how much also he is the mediator of a better covenant, which was established upon better promises.