

What is God like?

God has many amazing attributes.

God is...

- Creator
- Truth
- Eternal
- Self-existent
- Gracious

He is the Great I AM

- Wise
- Righteous
- Sovereign
- Holy
- Good

Today, we add a new one: Omnipotent

- Which means “all powerful”

There's a song called: I believe I can fly.

I believe I can fly

I believe I can touch the sky

I think about it every night and day

Spread my wings and fly away

I believe I can soar

I see me running through that open door

I believe I can fly

My children have changed the lyrics to: I believe I can die.

I just imagine someone jumping off a cliff, flapping their arms while singing “I believe I can fly” and crashing into the ground below.

There are a lot of things that we can't do.

We lack the ability.

But our God is **OMNIPOTENT**.

- **OMNI** – all
- **POTENT** – powerful

God is **ALL Powerful**.

He is not limited by **CAN**, but only by **WILL**.

He has the ability to do whatever he wants to do.

Psalm 115:3

Our God is in the heavens; he does all that he pleases.

Now, there are these **SILLY STATEMENTS** people make about God to confuse you.

Can God make a rock so big he can't move it?

No.

Can God make a pepper that is so spicy he can't eat it?

No.

There are some things that **God can't do**. He can't:

- Lie
- Do wrong or anything that goes against His character
- Cease to exist

But God can do whatever he desires to do.

He has **all the power in the universe**. --- He made the universe!

He is **BY FAR** the most powerful being in existence. He is a **MILLION TIMES** more powerful than **anyone** in heaven and anyone on earth.

Daniel 4:35

All the inhabitants of the earth are accounted as nothing,
But He does according to His will in the host of heaven
And among the inhabitants of earth;
And no one can ward off His hand...

No one in the **host of heaven** can stop God. There are mighty, powerful angels in even that could squash you like a bug. But none of them can stand up to the **All-Powerful God**.

SATAN, a guardian cherub, one of the most powerful created beings, because of his pride turned against God and brought other angels with him in his rebellion ... according to Revelation it seems that **1/3 of the angels** followed him. And God threw them out of heaven. They were no match for God.

Ezekiel 28:16-17 --- God speaking to the devil:

16 Through your widespread trade you were filled with violence, and you sinned. So I drove you in disgrace from the mount of God, and I expelled you, guardian cherub, from among the fiery stones.

17 Your heart became proud on account of your beauty, and you corrupted your wisdom because of your splendor. So I threw you to the earth; I made a spectacle of you before kings.

Here we see that **SATAN** was a very beautiful angel who became proud and sinned against God. So, God chucked him out of heaven.

At the end of the world, we see that the earth is just a temporary dwelling place for Satan. Ultimately, God will throw Satan into hell.

Revelation 20:10

And the devil, who deceived them, was thrown into the lake of burning sulfur... [to] be tormented day and night for ever and ever.

The devil is no match for our Omnipotent God.

Satan can never go against God's sovereign will. Actually, God uses Satan for His purposes.

Martin Luther once said, "Even the devil is God's devil."

If God wants to do something no one can stop him. No one in heaven and no one on earth.

Back to Daniel 4:35

"All the inhabitants of the earth are accounted as nothing..."

No one on earth can get in God's way: We could gather all our missiles, tanks, war ships, airplanes and nuclear bombs. We could **LAUNCH ALL THE FIRE POWER** of the world against the thrown of God... and it would go **DINK** and fall to the ground.

It would be like throwing a cotton ball against mount Everest hoping to topple it.

In **Psalms 2**, David puzzles over how foolish people are to go against God. He asks the question: **Why?** Why would you ever try to fight against God?

Don't you know that God will just destroy you. It's **not** a fair fight. You **don't** have a chance.

Psalms 2:1-2

Why do the nations rage

and the peoples plot in vain?

The kings of the earth set themselves,

and the rulers take counsel together,

against the LORD?

Do you think God is scared when the kings of the earth plot against Him?

Verse 4 says: God laughs at them.

Psalms 2:4

He who sits in the heavens laughs;

the Lord holds them in derision.

God is like: **Is this a joke?**

Imagine an ant waving his fist at you. He yells up to you: "I'm going to take you down."

You'd laugh too. You'd say: "Is this a joke?"

The kings of this world take their stand against God, and he laughs. --- Is this a joke?

This is like a FLEA trying to attack an EARTH MADE OF GRANITE. The flea can fly as hard and as fast as he can against this massive sphere of rock-hard granite. But the granite will not move. Zooom DINK.

What do we learn from this?

1st – It is very FOOLISH to fight against God. You are going to lose.

2nd – It is very WISE to pray to God. Because He is powerful. --- He can grant your requests. He can make it happen.

He is omnipotent. He can do whatever He wills to do.

We serve a BIG God who can do anything He wants!

Go Fish: My God is so Big so Strong and So Mighty