

Sabbath School

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WCF 2.1 (6): The Immensity & Omnipresence of God

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There is but one only[a] living and true God,[b] who is infinite in being and perfection,[c] a most pure spirit,[d] invisible,[e] without body, parts,[f] or passions,[g] immutable,[h] **immense**,[i] eternal,[k] incomprehensible,[l] almighty,[m] most wise,[n] most holy,[o] most free,[p] most absolute,[q] working all things according to the counsel of his own immutable and most righteous will,[r] for his own glory;[s] most loving,[t] gracious, merciful, long-suffering, abundant in goodness and truth, forgiving iniquity, transgression, and sin;[u] the rewarder of them that diligently seek him;[w] and withal most just and terrible in his judgments;[x] hating all sin,[y] and who will by no means clear the guilty.[z]

Prooftexts

[i]: **1Ki. 8.27** But will God indeed dwell on the earth? *behold, the heaven and heaven of heavens cannot contain thee*; how much less this house that I have builded? **Jer. 23.23-24** Am I a God at hand, saith the LORD, and *not a God afar off*? Can any hide himself in secret places that I shall not see him? saith the LORD. *Do not I fill heaven and earth?* saith the LORD.

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Q. 7. What is God?

A. God is a Spirit, in and of himself infinite in being, glory, blessedness, and perfection; all-sufficient, eternal, unchangeable, incomprehensible, **everywhere present**[1], almighty, knowing all things, most wise, most holy, most just, most merciful and gracious, long-suffering, and abundant in goodness and truth.

Prooftexts

[1]: **Ps. 139.1-13**