

Psalm 19

*“I take this to be the greatest poem in the Psalms
and one of the greatest lyrics in the world.*

C.S. Lewis

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God reveals himself through:

- **Creation** (v1-6)
- **Commandments** (v7-11)
- **Conscience** (v12-14)

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1 The heavens declare the glory of the Lord,
and the sky above proclaims his handiwork.

2 Day to day pours out speech,
and night to night reveals knowledge.

3 There is no speech, nor are there words,
whose voice is not heard.

4 Their voice goes out through all the earth,
and their words to the end of the world.

In them he has set a tent for the sun,

5 which comes out like a bridegroom leaving his
chamber,

and, like a strong man, runs its course with joy.

6 Its rising is from the end of the heavens,
and its circuit to the end of them,
and there is nothing hidden from its heat.

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God reveals himself through **Creation**


"The heavens declare the glory of the Lord." (v1)

Conclusions from Creation:

- There is a God.
- God is glorious, creative, powerful, majestic,...
- God loves beauty.
- God rules and we are accountable to him.







"Lift up your eyes and look to the heavens:
who created all these?"

Isaiah 40:26

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God reveals himself through **Creation**

"For since the creation of the world God's invisible qualities – his eternal power and divine nature – have been clearly seen, being understood from what has been made, so that people are without excuse."

Romans 1:20







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God reveals himself through **Commandments**

Features of God's word:

- Utterly reliable (v7-9)
“perfect”, “pure”, “right”, “sure”
- Revives the soul (v7)
- Imparts wisdom, joy, enlightenment (v7-9)
- Invaluable (v10)
- Warns and rewards (v9,11)

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'If you are a religious apologist invited to debate with
Christopher Hitchens, decline.' Richard Dawkins

THE **RAGE** AGAINST **GOD**

*'A magnificent, sustained cry against the aggressive secularism
taking control of our weakened culture.'* *The Spectator*



PETER HITCHENS



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God reveals himself through **Conviction**

Conviction is the response to God's **Communication**

*“Keep back your servant also from presumptuous sins;
let them not have dominion over me!*

Then I shall be blameless, and innocent of great transgression.” (v12)

“He will convict the world of guilt.” John 16:8

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Conclusion

*“Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart
be pleasing in your sight,
O Lord, my rock and my redeemer.” (v14)*