

STUDY & REFLECTION As we move forward on our journey of Knowing the Person, Power and Ministry of the Holy Spirit, we must ask the critical question: **How does God choose to Manifest Himself to mankind and How do we gain access to such truth?**

We see in the passage in Matthew 11 that God is pleased to keep Himself hidden from most, (the wise and prudent) but will reveal Himself to surrendered, humble, hungry children.

Jesus tells us that He all the things about God have been delivered into His hands, and the source is the Father. He further relates that no one knows the Son but the Father, and no one knows the Father but the Son, and those the Son chooses to reveal Himself to.

We are now getting into the study of God, or more precisely what is known as the **GODHEAD**.

The GODHEAD is a synonym for **“that which is God!”**

We know that God in His essence is ONE! But God has chosen to reveal Himself to mankind in three major manifestations (some call them persons): FATHER, SON, AND HOLY SPIRIT!

The passage from Matthew 16 helps us to understand how this occurs. The initial question Jesus asked the disciples was...who do people say that I am? He then challenged them with a more specific, personal question, Who do YOU say that I am. Peter replies...Thou art the Christ, the SON of the living God. Jesus qualifies Peter's answer, saying “flesh and blood did not REVEAL this to you but my Father who is in Heaven!”

Genuine knowledge of God, flows to us in this order, From the Father, to the Son, by the Holy Spirit! WOW!!

ACTION ITEMS **Hang in there. You can handle this!**

Yes, God is Incomprehensible, Hidden, yet Knowable. He wants us to know Him deeply and intimately. He will gladly and progressively Reveal Himself to us as we surrender and commit to walk with Him, through His Word, and by His Spirit.

I want you to take real time and think about, what the scriptures teach us about God. How do we perceive that God is One, yet manifests Himself in His Eternal GODHEAD of Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

Here concreteness is not necessary or desired. **Becoming Aware of God and appreciating this unbelievable Grace is!**

INVOLVING OTHERS Shared experiences in the Body will teach us how Awesome God is and how blessed we are to be a part of the Global Community of Believers. **Share your experience.**