

El Olam: Everlasting God Ken Ball

Scripture

Before the mountains were brought forth, or ever you had formed the earth and the world, from everlasting to everlasting you are God. Psalm 90:2

Every good gift and every perfect gift is from above, coming down from the Father of lights, with whom there is no variation or shadow due to change. James 1:17

Devotion

We are living in strange times. It is hard to find someone who has seen anything like this before - a sickness that has canceled school and VBS. We like to know that other people have been through what we are going through. When we have to have school at home, it is good for us to have parents who have answers to our questions because they have been through school before. Who answers our questions when we are going through something like this?

The Bible calls God - The LORD Forever or the Everlasting Father. Psalm 90:2 tells us that God was around before the mountains were formed. He has been from everlasting to everlasting - HE HAS ALWAYS BEEN. There is a great comfort in being a child of God who is God Forever. James 1:17 reminds us that God gives us every good and perfect gift and then tells us that this God does not change. Our plans change, our schools change, our parents' jobs change; but our God never changes - HE IS FOREVER. May the Lord Forever, who does not change, comfort us in these changing times.

Questions

3-5-yr-olds

(Look at a picture of you as a baby) - How have you changed?

1st-3rd graders

How has school changed for you this year? Why?

4th-6th graders

What are some of the "good and perfect gifts" that you have noticed while staying at home?

Prayer

Lord God, who is Forever, we trust you. Help us to find and treasure the good gifts that you give. Help us to come to you with our praises and our concerns trusting the God who never changes.

Suggested Hymns

My Hope is Built on Nothing Less
Standing on the Promises of Christ My King
How Firm a Foundation

