

“THINKABOUTIT” THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

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When David honored God by writing, “Know that the Lord Himself is God; it is He who has made us, and not we ourselves; we are His people and the sheep of His pasture.” (Psalm 100:3) he left a continuing lesson for us even in a more urban setting. As David made the observation about man’s creation, he reminded us of two important elements of our relationship with God. First, noting that God created us, it is a statement based in humility. We are God servants because we are His creation. We belong to Him as a possession; therefore we should submit to Him. Yet, maybe as importantly, in this statement we find relief. Because God made us, we were made perfectly. We are not the creation of a fallible scientist; rather, we have been formed by the All-Powerful, All-Perfect God.

As we give thanks to God for His presence in our world, let’s not forget to focus on His role in our life. Before Him, we know our place; because of Him, we know our promise.

Think about it! For the Madison Avenue Church of Christ; this is Charlie Wharton.