

The Lakeside



Message in a bottle

Verse of the day for Monday June 10, 2024 - Isaiah 46:9

9 Remember the former things, those of long ago; I am God, and there is no other; I am God, and there is none like me..

Read Isaiah 46 for meditation and inspiration.



THE MYSTERY OF GOD

Dear Lakesiders and Friends,

"With what can we compare the Kingdom of God" (Mark 4:30).

Back in the twenties, Thomas Edison wrote these lines:

"We don't know the millionth part of one percent about anything. We don't know what water is. We don't know what light is. We don't know what gravitation is. We don't know what enables us to keep on our feet when we stand up. We don't know what electricity is. We don't know what heat is. We don't know anything about magnetism. We have a lot of hypotheses about these things, but that is all. But we do not let our ignorance about all these things deprive us of their use."

Many teachers wisely have said that, "We actually know very little but what we are learning volumes about what we do not know and there is great value

in that.” Of course, since the 1920s, we have learned a tremendous amount about the physical and biological sciences. But there is still much more that we don't know. But we do not let our ignorance deprive us of their use.

God is an impenetrable mystery. But we do not let our ignorance deprive us of that which is given to us in Jesus Christ. Though we may not understand God, or even have any part that is a clear picture of Him as First Corinthians 13 states “12 For now we see only a reflection, as in a mirror, but then we will see face to face. Now I know only in part; then I will know fully, even as I have been fully known. 13 And now faith, hope, and love remain, these three, and the greatest of these is love.

So, hold on with all your strength to faith, hope and the greatest LOVE.

In His wisdom hold fast,

Love,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Roger".

Roger