# The Secret Things Belong to God

**Deuteronomy 29:29** 

God's Two Revelations:

General – Known through observation of creation Psa. 19:1-4; Rom. 1:20

Special – Known through extra-ordinary means

Jesus – John 1:14, 18

Scripture – 1 Cor. 2:9-13

Not Everything Revealed:

Not through observation of creation:

Origin and existence of evil.

Why innocent suffer with guilty.

Man's freedom/God's foreknowledge.

Not Everything Revealed:

Not through scriptures:

Who was Cain's wife?

Fallen angels?

Michael's dispute with devil over Moses' body?

What year Jesus born?

When Jesus aware of His deity?

Why Not Everything Revealed:

Some things are beyond our limited intelligence. Isa. 55:8-9; Rom. 11:33

Purpose of scripture does not require it. 2 Tim. 3:16-17

Unanswered questions develop greater faith.

Pro. 3:5

## The Revealed Things Belong To Us ... That We May Do All Words Of Law

Revelation is about satisfaction of duty, not satisfaction of curiosity.

We needed the message in order to have a relationship with God – John 20:30-31.

God's book is not like "Ripley's Believe It Or Not." It is an instruction manual to construct our lives for the salvation of our souls – 2 Tim. 3:17.