

YHWH

*The God Who Is*

Exodus 3:13

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- Most of your translations will say LORD there.
- This name is used 6,828 times in the original text.
- Sometimes it is helpful to distinguish that name from LORD (Psa. 110:1; cf. Acts 2:34-35).

# WHAT'S IN A NAME

- God gives His name in context (Ex. 3:13-15).
- YHWH emphasizes the eternal nature of God (Ex. 3:11-13).
- YHWH emphasizes God's faithfulness (Ex. 3:16-22; 6:2-8).
- YHWH emphasizes God's unchanging character (Ex. 34:6-7).

# YHWH & THE NEW TESTAMENT

- We see YHWH in the word Hallelujah (Rev. 19:1, 3, 4, 6)
- It is helpful to see it in the name of Jesus (Matt. 1:21; cf. Num. 13:16).
- Jesus is the I AM (Jn. 8:24; 58; 17:6).
- He is LORD (Lk. 1:76; 2:11; Rom. 10:9-10; 1 Cor. 8:4-6; Heb. 1:10-13).