

## A Need to Know

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Text: John 21:18-22; Job 11:7

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### Introduction:

God has chosen to reveal many truths to us, but not all. Why?

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There are things that God hasn't seen the need to \_\_\_\_\_

to us, but also things He has chosen to actively \_\_\_\_\_  
from us.

The Apostle Paul used the word \_\_\_\_\_ 16 times  
in referring to things that God deliberately \_\_\_\_\_  
from us.

A \_\_\_\_\_ with God, even a very close one,  
won't ensure that God will let us \_\_\_\_\_ everything  
we would like to \_\_\_\_\_.

Some \_\_\_\_\_ are only for a season, while  
others seem to be \_\_\_\_\_.

When God chooses not to reveal something to us, we often feel  
great \_\_\_\_\_!

*While we often don't understand why God won't tell us everything, we know exactly why we sometimes choose to withhold truth from others!*

**When information is withheld, it may be because:**

- 1. God can't \_\_\_\_\_ us to not lose our heads.**
- 2. God doesn't wish to \_\_\_\_\_ us with unnecessary \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.**
- 3. God doesn't wish to \_\_\_\_\_ us physically, emotionally, or spiritually.**
- 4. God hopes that our desire to understand His \_\_\_\_\_ will become a desire to know \_\_\_\_\_.**
- 5. God knows that the ability to \_\_\_\_\_ Him when we don't \_\_\_\_\_ Him will become an anchor of \_\_\_\_\_ for our soul.**

**Conclusion:**

*Will you choose to trust God when you don't understand Him?*