

## Psalm 139

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Lord, You search me, You know me  
You see me when I rise  
You go before me, behind me  
You're there with watchful eyes  
If I should fly to the end of the earth You are there  
If I should dive to the depths of the sea You are there  
You are there...

*My Creator - the One whose hands made me  
I was dust, but You awakened me, awakened me  
My Sustainer - You give me everything  
Everywhere I go You carry me, You carry me  
You carry me, You carry me, You carry me,  
Lord, You carry me  
You carry me, You carry me, You carry me,  
Lord, You carry me*

From the start to the finish My eyes will seek Your face  
And, though You see when I stumble I'm covered by Your grace  
Now, every step that I take by faith leads to You  
Cause every promise I've found in Christ leads to You, leads to You...

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I am lovingly  
and wonderfully made



Our prayer is characterized by silence ~

*Be still and know that I am God!*

In that silence we listen for a new word.  
God is present in all our lives.

God cares for us, and  
our life experiences are a source  
of deepening knowledge of God and self.

Inspired by God's Word in the silence  
we share from our hearts.

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## TO PONDER:

### *The value of One Loyola Press*

The number one can seem insignificant.  
Imagine 1 sheep out of 100 or 1 coin out of 10.  
One seems very little in the grand scheme of things.  
But then think about one positive remark, one well-executed goal,  
one precious new life. Do you see the impact of Jesus' words?  
One can make a tremendous difference for good.  
One by one, Jesus healed.  
One by one, Jesus invites us into a deeper relationship with him  
and with his Father/Mother.

And it was the One, Jesus Christ, who saved the world.  
Each and every person is precious in God's eyes,  
and as creations of God, children of God we are called  
to recognize the great value of ourselves individually  
and the great value of everyone God created.



## READING:

### *Psalm 139 (selected verses) Nan C. Merrill*

O my Beloved, You have searched me and known me!  
You know when I sit down and when I rise up;  
You discern my innermost thoughts.  
You find me on the journey and guide my steps;  
You know my strengths and weaknesses.

You formed my inward being,  
You knit me together in my mother's womb.  
I praise You, for You are to be reverence and adored.  
Your mysteries fill me with wonder.  
O that You would vanquish my fears  
so that ignorance and suffering would depart from me.  
I yearn to come to You in love,  
to learn of your mercy and wisdom!

How precious to me are your creations, O Blessed One!

Sharing...

a word...

a phrase...

a reflection...