

Putting on the Belt of Truth about God

(“Stand therefore, having fastened on the belt of truth”--Ephesians 6:14)

The Truth about God

This is essentially a time of praise. Praise is confessing the truth about God!

The Bible contains many expressions of truth about God. Here is a *partial* list we can confess as part of girding up our loins with the belt of truth:

Some Expressions of Praise

“Lord, You are:

Elohim, the great, covenant-making, 3-in-1 God

El-Shaddai, the Almighty

Adonai, Lord and Master

El-Elyon, God Most High

Jehovah, the Eternal God

Jehovah-Jireh, The Lord my Provider

Jehovah-Nissi, The Lord my Banner of Victory

Jehovah-Rophe, The Lord my Healer

Jehovah-Shalom, The Lord my Peace

Jehovah-Rohi, The Lord my Shepherd

Jehovah-Tsidkenu, The Lord my Righteousness

Jehovah-Shammah, The Lord Who is here

Jehovah-M’kaddesh, The Lord my Holiness

My Saviour

My Redeemer

Wonderful Counsellor

The Truth

The Light of the world

The Way

My Deliverer

Everlasting Father

Lord of Glory

King of Kings

Lord of Lords

Just, the Righteous Judge

A God of Wrath

Full of compassion and mercy

Full of grace

Full of lovingkindness

Prince of Peace

The Alpha and the Omega

The First and the Last

The Beginning and the End

Lord of all

Great and greatly to be praised

Holy, Holy, Holy
Creator of the heavens, the earth, the seas, and all that is in them
My Strength and my Shield
Majestic
My Rock
My Fortress
All Powerful
All Wise
All Loving
Possessor of all wealth
Mighty
Never Failing
Never sleeping
Never leaving me alone
My Hiding Place
My Refuge
My Sustainer
A Very Present Help in trouble
The One Who forgives all my sins

We can confess the truth that He is worthy of all praise, honor, glory, worship, adoration, magnification, exaltation, thanksgiving, applause, laud, sacrifice, and tribute.
We can confess the truth that He is the Source of all riches, power, authority, might, strength, wisdom, love, truth, righteousness, holiness, salvation, sanctification, and glory.

Some Praise Passages

We can also confess the truth about Him by reading aloud from several of the many praise passages found in the Bible. Here are a few you may find useful. You may want to look these up and mark them in your own Bible.

Psalms: 9, 18, 20, 24, 29, 33, 34, 47, 57, 59, 66, 68, 89, 95-98, 100, 103, 105, 108, 113, 145, 147-150

Revelation: 4:8-11; 5:9-13; 7:9-12; 11:15-18; 14:6-7; 15:2-4; 16:4-7; 19:1-7; 21:1-7; 22:12-17,20

Isaiah: 35; 40:6-11, 26-31; 41:4-5,10,13,16-20; 42; 43:1-7,10-13,15-16,18-21; 44:3-4,6-8,22-26; 45:4-9,12-13,18-19,21-25; 46:9-10; 48:12-13,16-22; 49:13,22-26; 51:5-16; 52:1-2,7-15; 54; 55; 58:6-12; 59:16-20; 60:1-3,18-20; 61:1-3,10-11; 63:7,15-16; 64; 65:17-19; 66:10-16

Exodus 15; I Chronicles 29:10-13; Luke 1:46-55,68-75; Luke 19:38; Romans 8:28-39; 11:33-36; Ephesians 3:20-21; Philippians 2:9-11

Another excellent way of confessing the truth about God is singing hymns and songs of praise. The expressions and scriptures listed above will probably remind you of several of these.