

WONDER (Isaiah 29)

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Album: Amazing Creator 'n' Critters

Companion song: BURNING QUESTIONS

Isaiah 29: 13-14: Therefore the Lord said:

“Inasmuch as these people draw near with their mouths And honor Me with their lips,
But have removed their hearts far from Me,
And their fear toward Me is taught by the commandment of men,

Therefore, behold, I will again do a marvelous work among this people,

A marvelous work and a **wonder**; For the wisdom of their wise *men* shall perish,
And the understanding of their prudent *men* shall be hidden.”

MOVEMENT 1

1

Do squirrel tails just get bigger, the older that they be?

That is a silly question that, quite frankly intrigues me.

And do crickets ever wonder why the world is so noisy?

Bug World is loud. I'm not too proud to ask things so silly.

And what of buzzards? Do they wonder why their flights cause frights?

Do owls and bats ever wonder that many creatures don't like nights?

2

And why are the mice in pet stores cute,

but the mouse in my house has fangs that are huge?

And why did God make mosquitoes when roaches could feed frogs and toads.

And have you ever wondered why that some dogs really slobber,

while other dogs keep their tongues in their mouths where I think that they
ought-er?

And why do cats always so want to be in a high place?

More exactly, when I'm lying down, why is that place on my face?

MOVEMENT 2

3

Of all the Questions in my head, the one that most stumps me

is **why I'm dearly loved by God through all eternity.**

Even if I don't love Him. Even if I don't believe in Him.

Even if I won't follow Him.

4

Of all the Answers I have found, the one that amazes me

is found in Romans 5, verse 8 ___

God All- Mighty demonstrates His Love, DYING for me.

Verse 10: **While I was an enemy, Jesus died to reconcile me to God.**

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Isaiah Chapter 29, God says,
'these people once more I'll astound with wonders.
But intelligence will vanish from arrogant ones."

Verse 19: "Humble people will rejoice,
and the needy will rejoice" ____ with God.

6

Of all the questions in OUR heads,
the one that should grieve us

**is how we Christians know God's love and
yet act so selfish.....**

WHY DON'T WE SEE THE WONDERS OF GOD ???

7

Of all the wonders in OUR HEARTS,
the one that should break us

**is "How many persons have I turned AWAY from God because...
I've been so unloving.... while
using Jesus' Name: 'Christian'?"**

Song Story. This song suggests evidence that God has a sense of humor. It was inspired along a hiking trail by an average-sized-body squirrel with an *enormous* tail ! It gives us joy to wonder at God's wonders...

And the greatest wonder of all is that God ACTUALLY loves us 'no matter what' weird questions come to our minds.

And, sadly for God, is the wonder that He actually loves even persons who scoff at any mention of God, who won't try the scientific experiment of **seeking 'god'**. (See song SAFE EXPERIMENTS.) Who never give themselves the experience of honestly, with a scientific curiosity and mind open to unexpected results, at least try testing the many Bible promises that they'll find Him IF they seek.

Deuteronomy 4:29, Jeremiah 29: 11-14, Luke 11:9, and Acts 17:27-28 NIV:

"...they should seek the Lord, in the hope that they might grope for Him and find Him, though He is not far from each one of us, For in Him we live and move and have our being....")

JESUS: Seek and you WILL find. Knock and the door WILL be opened to you....

Luke 11:9, Matthew 7: 7

"Remember how the Lord your God led you through the wilderness for forty years,
humbling you and testing you to prove your character, and
to find out whether or not you would really obey his commands...

He did it to teach you that people need more than bread for their life;

real life comes by feeding on every word of the Lord."

- Deuteronomy 8:2 and 3b but see entire chapter