

A script from



“Search Me, O God”

A Responsive Reading

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- What** What a comfort to know that no matter what we do or no matter where we go, God the Father will always be there. Here is the Psalmist’s prayer as a responsive reading. Themes: God’s character, comfort, Father, prayer, God’s love, guidance, protector, God’s plan
- Who** Reader 1
Reader 2
Reader 3
- When** Present
- Wear (Props)** 3 black binders
- Why** Psalm 139; Matthew 10:29-31
- How** “All” can be all 3 readers or the congregation. If the congregation reads “All”, then you can either print out the words or project them onto a screen. These words are poetry and personal, so be sure to make them real for you. It is a prayer to God and prayer should be a conversation, so make it conversational...not ominous.
- Time** Approximately 1-3 minutes; This script is 2 pages long.

Readers face audience and read or quote.

Reader 1: God, hear my prayer.

Reader 2: God, hear my plea.

Reader 3: God, hear my cry.

Reader 1: (Psa. 139:1) O Lord, you have searched me and you know me.

Reader 2: (Psa. 139:2) You know when I sit and when I rise; you perceive my thoughts from afar.

Reader 3: (Psa. 139:3) You discern my going out and my lying down; you are familiar with all my ways.

All: (Psa. 139:4) Before a word is on my tongue you know it completely...

Reader 1: God, give me wisdom!

Reader 2: God, give me compassion!

Reader 3: God, give me strength!

Reader 2: (Psa. 139:5) You hem me in—behind and before; you have laid your hand upon me.

Reader 1: (Psa. 139:6) Such knowledge is too wonderful for me, too lofty for me to attain.

All: (Psa. 139:7) Where can I go from your Spirit? Where can I flee from your presence? (Psa. 139:8) If I go up to the heavens, you are there; if I make my bed in the depths, you are there.

Reader 3: (Psa. 139:9) If I rise on the wings of the dawn, if I settle on the far side of the sea,

Reader 1: (Psa. 139:10) even there your hand will guide me, your right hand will hold me fast.

To read the rest of this script and perform it, download the full version at [SkitGuys.com!](http://SkitGuys.com)

ENDING:

All: (Psa. 139:23) Search me, O God, and know my heart; test me and know my anxious thoughts. (Psa. 139:24) See if there is any offensive way in me, and lead me in the way everlasting.

Reader 1: God, I want to have a good heart that yearns for you.

Reader 2: God, test my heart- I don't want to make you sad.

Reader 3: God, give me a heart that chases after you.

All: And lead us in the way everlasting.

The end.