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Isaiah 40:12 – 17

"...the nations are merely a drop in a bucket." Isaiah 40:15.

Reality check!

There are times we need to see and acknowledge the Lord as GOD and not merely a Being who is like us yet lives in a realm so completely and utter higher than what can be humanly imagine. Isaiah challenges all such small thinking of Yahweh!

"Can you measure the waters of the seas in your hand? Or can you measure out the heavens with the span of your hand? Maybe you can weight the mountains in a scale or the hills in a balance? O, maybe it was you who the Lord has sought out as His counselor or offered Him instruction? Maybe His Spirit seeks your advice? Could it be He has taken His sense of justice and learned all His knowledge from you?

"Stand back and look, the nations are merely a drop in a bucket. As a speck of dust would not affect a measuring scale, so the nations don't even affect His measurements! The truth be told, the nations are as nothing before Him – even less than nothing for all their vanity and pride!" Isaiah 40:12 - 17 Author's paraphrase.

"Son, never allow a familiarity with the Lord. Always hold Him in His rightful place as Creator and God Almighty! Cultivate a deep and reverent fear of the Lord. But in your fear of God, never forget His is also your Father; full of compassion and kindness. His door is always open for you! His welcome mat is out... but enter with respect and a holy fear."

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