

KNOWING GOD – from Ken Burnett

“And this is life eternal, that they might know Thee, the only true God and Jesus Christ, Whom thou hast sent.” John 17:3
Eternal life is not the greatest blessing of the human soul; **it is the vehicle** for the greatest blessing of the human soul – the knowledge of God.

- This is the **intent** of eternal life – not alone to save us from hell, but to bring us into the knowledge and enjoyment of God for Himself.
- This is the **content** of eternal life; this is what it is made up of – to know Him.
- This is the **extent** of eternal life. There is nothing beyond this.
- As God the Father and Son, through the eternal Spirit, reveals Himself to His people, we shall know Him and know Him to the vanishing point of the ages.

J. Boyd Nicholson ‘To know my Jesus crucified by far excels all things beside; O could I know and love Him more and all His wondrous grace explore.’