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## Ps. 111:2, "Great are the works of the LORD; they are pondered by all who delight in them."

The Hebrew word for *works* is **ma a sei** which means *deeds*, *achievements*, *labors or workmanship*. As the LORD God Almighty, we think about all of the incredible things that God has done. From creation itself to the act of redemption, God's deeds far surpass anything that anyone could ever accomplish. For everything that God has done has brought amazement and wonder to any who will look upon them.

As a senior in college, I was a lab assistant to the professor for Population Genetics. He was an amazingly brilliant man who did ground-breaking research. I remember working in the lab for him and learning so much about things I had never even thought about. One example was a project of mapping the chromosomes for the *drosophila melanogaster* (fruit fly). I would work under a super powerful microscope and spread out the chromosomes and then map them. To do so, they had to be "spun out" in a centrifuge. What was so interesting was that in this tiny little insect, so much could be learned by looking at microscopic parts. How intricate was the creation of all things by God!

What is even more awesome is the works of transformation that God does in His children. I have literally witnessed people who had no hope changed into people who gave hope to others. I've seen those addicted to drugs and alcohol be set free and transformed into spiritually led people. The works that God does are great because He is greater! Eph. 2:10, "For we are His workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand so that we would walk in them."

Dear LORD, Your works are great and magnificent. It is difficult to understand how amazing You are. Your ways are higher than our ways and Your thoughts are above our thoughts. How magnificent are You LORD. In Jesus Name, Amen