

# Eternal Life

- And this is life eternal, that they might know thee the only true God, and Jesus Christ, whom thou hast sent.

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- Omniscient
- Righteous
- Truthful
- Faithful
- Unchanging in Character
- Merciful
- Patient
- Loving
- Hates Evil
- Judge
- King
- Fearful

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**WISE - WISDOM**

# God Is Wise

- <sup>4</sup> He is wise in heart, and mighty in strength: who hath hardened himself against him, and hath prospered? (Job 9:4 )

# God Is Wise

<sup>13</sup> With him is wisdom  
and strength, he hath  
counsel and  
understanding. [Job  
12:13]

# God Is Wise

<sup>5</sup> Behold, God is mighty,  
and despiseth not any: he  
is mighty in strength and  
wisdom. [Job 36:5]

# God Is Wise

O LORD, how manifold are  
thy works! in wisdom hast  
thou made them all: the  
earth is full of thy riches.

[Ps. 104:24]

# God Is Wise

The LORD by wisdom hath  
founded the earth; by  
understanding hath he  
established the heavens.

[Ps. 3:19]

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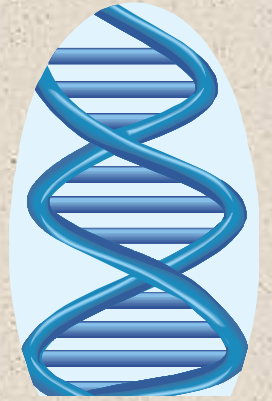
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**“JUST SO”**



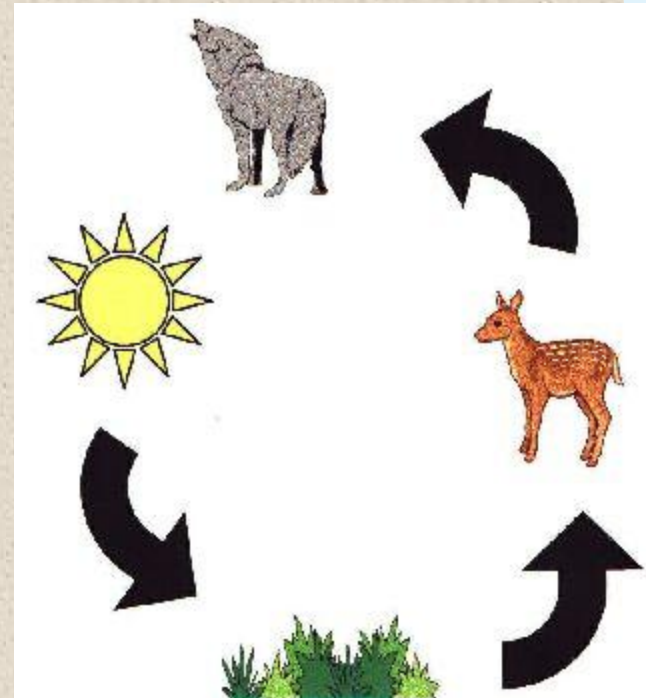
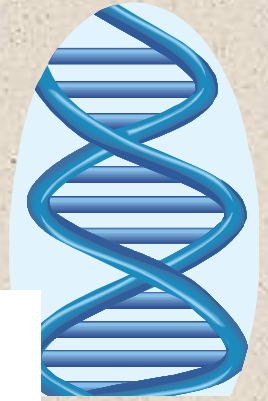
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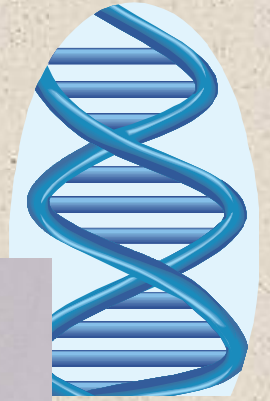
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# Wisdom in LIFE

- The MIRACLE of life –
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- Our Body



# Wisdom of God

- Is MORAL as well as intellectual.
- It is the harnessing of intelligence, cleverness, cunning unto a right end.

# Wisdom of God

- It is the power to see, the inclination to choose –
  - the best and highest goal,
  - together with the surest means of attaining it.

# The Goal

- We can only recognize the Wisdom of God when we recognize the true END for which He is working.

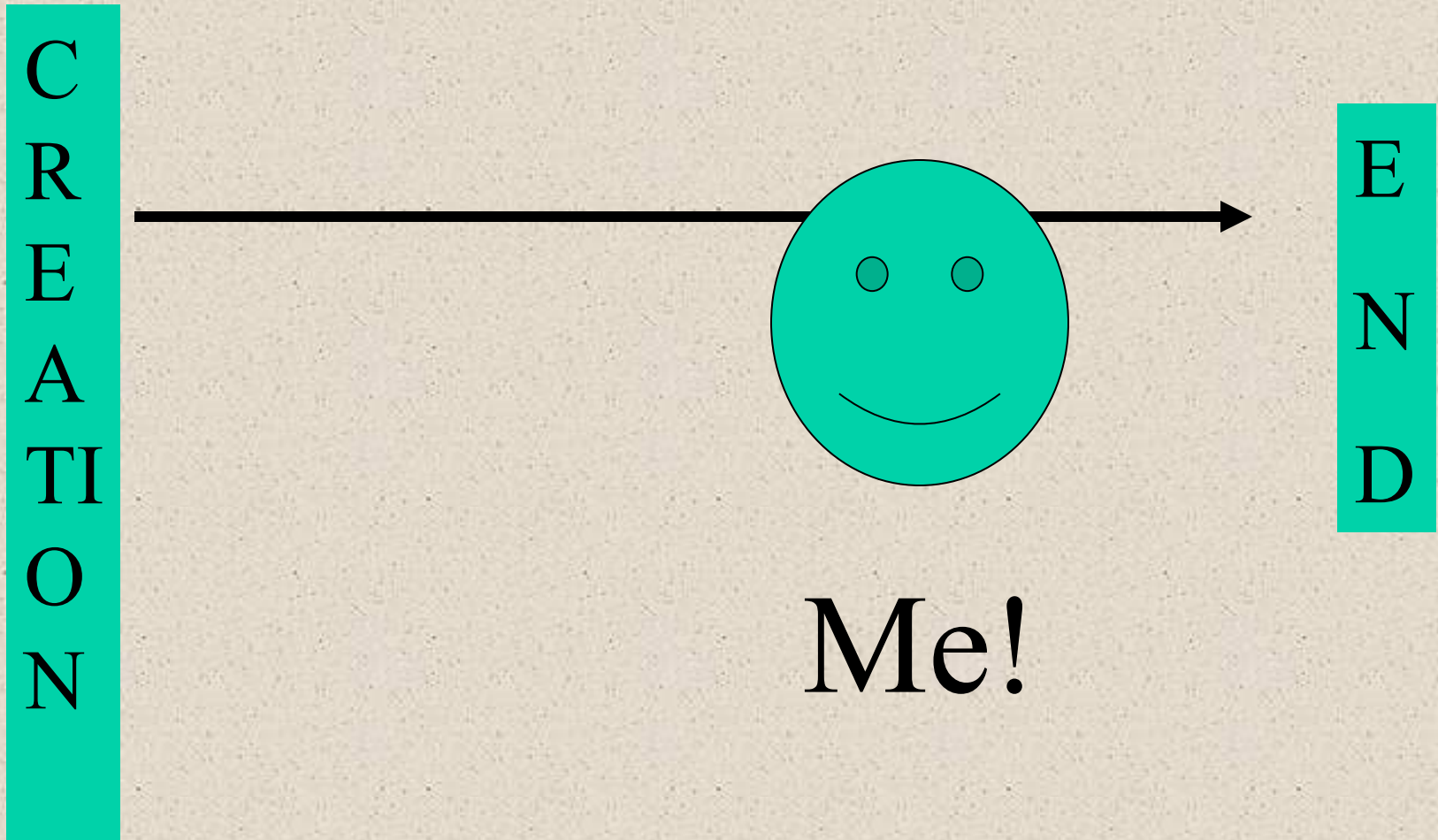


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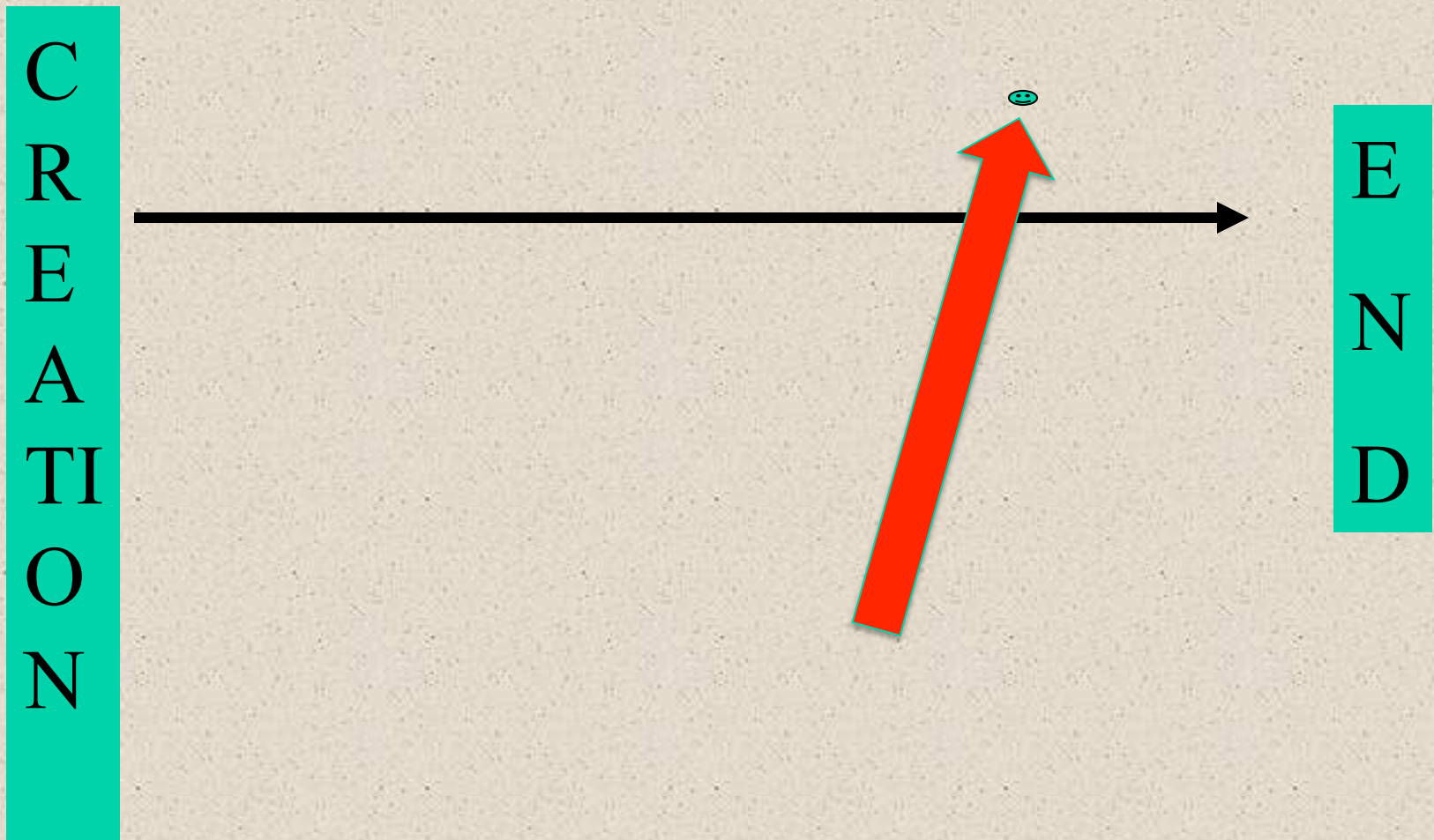
- What IS the goal, the purpose of God for this world as well as me



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# **God's Goal For Me**

**Rich ?**

**Healthy ?**

**Happy ?**

**Tall, dark, handsome...?**

# The True Goal

- His purpose is that we should love and honor Him, praising Him for the wonderfully ordered complexity and variety of His world, using it according to His will, and so enjoying both it and Him.
- J.I. Packer

# Goal

- Know God – John 17:3
- Love God – Matt. 22:37
- Live WITH God –
  - Both NOW and FOREVER

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  - Romans 5:3-5

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  - 2 Cor. 1:4

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<sup>7</sup> The fear of the Lord is the beginning of knowledge; fools despise wisdom and instruction.

**Proverbs 1:7 (ESV)**

