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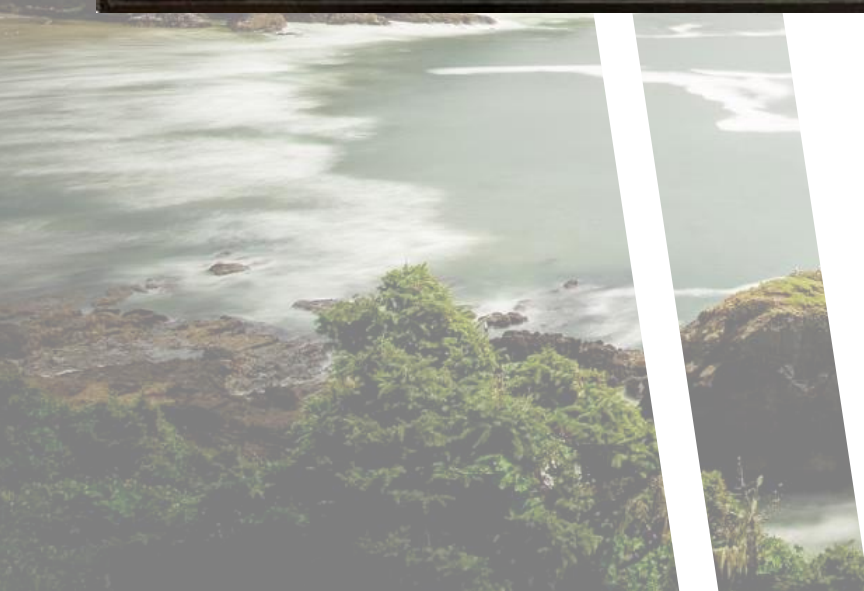


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The fear of the Lord:

... is a deep ,abiding and holy reverence and respect for the Lord and for His Word.

...tends to lead to obedience.

...Fearing God saves us from caving in to the sinful nature. Romans 3: 18 says that our chief sin is that we “have no fear of God at all.”

... is a healthy respect and adoration for Him.



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