

Introduction

- I. Psalm 139 teaches us how a godly man thinks about the greatness of God.
- II. Two questions addressed in this text:

Hating Those Who Hate the Lord

- I. **The Idea** - David's hatred is perfect and right.
 - A. David's hatred is directed towards the enemies of the Lord and not his own personal enemies

B. This hatred can be identified according to its motivation - it was a perfect or pure hatred.

- II. **The Activity**

A. This hatred is not manifested by killing or harming these enemies.

B. This hatred of the wicked is manifested in an antithetical life of not being friends with the wicked, as we read in vs. 19. Because I love God, I cannot stand wickedness!

- III. **The Reason**

A. The reason is based on God's covenant of friendship with His people.

B. God hates the wicked, so we must hate the wicked.