

I say that I believe in God – do my thoughts, words and actions confirm it?

This is the One that I say I believe in – let's just think about Him that these truths describe

Isa 42:5 ...**God the LORD, Who created the heavens and stretched them out, Who spread forth the earth and all that which comes from it, Who gives breath to the people on it, And spirit to those who walk on it:** (do I actually believe this?)

Amos 4:13 ...**He who forms mountains, And creates the wind, Who declares to people what His thought is...** Jer 10:7 **In all the nations...there is none like You.**

By His creation which I see, and by the conscience He's put in me, God proves He exists

Rom 1:20-21 TLB **Since earliest times people have seen the earth and sky and all God made, and have known of His existence and great eternal power. So they will have no excuse when they stand before God at Judgment Day. Yes, they knew about Him all right, but they wouldn't admit it or worship Him or even thank Him for all His daily care...(so they live as those who don't believe in God).**

Rom 2:15 TEV **Their conduct shows that what the Law requires is written in their hearts. Their consciences (the voice of their spirits) also show that this is true, since their thoughts sometimes accuse them and sometimes excuse them.**

If I truly believe in God shouldn't my life's goal be to know Him well and to belong to Him?

Jer 24:7(God says) **I will give them a heart (a spirit) to know Me (I am Spirit)...** (not just to know I exist, but to be in a personal spiritual relationship with Me, and under Me).

Luke 19:14 **But His citizens hated Him...saying, "We will not have this man (Jesus) to reign over us".** (But Instead of this, the response of many, our prayer for you is:)

Col 1:10 **That you may walk worthy of the Lord, fully pleasing Him, being fruitful in every good work and increasing in the knowledge of (in you knowing) God;** For:

1 John 4:8 ...**God is love** Mark 10:18 (Jesus) **No one is good but One, that is, God.** (This amazing God created us to, in Him, follow His wise leading in all that we do):

Prov 3:6 **Listen for GOD's voice in everything you do, everywhere you go...** MSGE

Rom 8:14 **As many as are led by the Spirit of God are the (actual) children of God.**

If I say I believe in Him but I'm not increasingly knowing Him, aren't I a practicing atheist?

Eph 1:17 (So we pray) **That the God of our Lord Jesus Christ...may give to you the Holy Spirit of wisdom and revelation in the knowledge of Him,**

2 Cor 2:14 **Now thanks be to God who always causes us to triumph in Christ, and through us diffuses the fragrance of His knowledge in every place.**

Eph 4:13 **Until we all come in the unity of the faith and of the knowledge of the Son of God, to a perfect person, to the degree of spiritual maturity of the fullness of Christ (living in us and through us, and directing all of our steps);**