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I Corinthians 3:20-21, “**And again, The Lord knoweth the thoughts of the wise, that they are vain. Therefore let no man glory in men.**”

How often do you just sit down and think about how magnificent God is. He is so wonderful, so powerful, so all-knowing that He knows our very thoughts. The prophet Isaiah, in speaking of those who thought to sanctify and purify themselves, tells about how God knew their evil intent. Isaiah 66:18 says, “**for I know their works and their thoughts:..**” In Luke we find God’s wondrous ability “**when Jesus perceived their thoughts,..**” The Lord answered the gain-sayers to bring to light their evil thoughts when he said, “**What reason ye in your hearts?**” (Luke 5:22). Some of the Super Hero movies have featured a character who supposedly was able to discern others thoughts which is of course, fantasy. But with God, it is not fantasy! In Luke 6:8 “**he knew their thoughts**”. In Luke 11:17 it says, “**But he, knowing their thoughts, said unto them...**” In extolling the all-knowing capabilities of God, Paul expressed it plainly in Hebrews 4:12-13, “**For the word of God is quick, and powerful, and sharper than any twoedged sword, piercing even to the dividing asunder of soul and spirit, and of the joints and marrow, and is a discerner of the thoughts and intents of the heart. (13) Neither is there any creature that is not manifest in his sight: but all things are naked and opened unto the eyes of him with whom we have to do.**” Whether our being wise is a vain wise (based on our own limited knowledge), or if we are blessed to be wise in the spiritual things of God, it is all vanity in comparison to the wisdom of God. Let us then not assume we know how others feel or what they are thinking, only the Lord himself is capable of knowing our thoughts. One old saying is, “*when I think I know something, I then learn how much I do not know.*”  
***Think about it!***