

Scriptures from New International Version unless noted

Search Me

Search me, God, and know my heart; test me and know my anxious thoughts. See if there is any offensive way in me, and lead me in the way everlasting.

Psalm 139:23-24

1) **SEARCH MY <u>HEART</u>.**

<u>Search me</u>, God, and <u>know my heart</u>…

Psalm 139:23a

The human heart is the <u>most deceitful of all things</u>, and <u>desperately wicked</u>. Who really knows how bad it is?

Jeremiah 17:9 (NLT)

2) **REVEAL MY <u>FEARS</u>.**

Search me, God, and know my heart; test me and know <u>my anxious thoughts</u>.

Psalm 139:23

What we fear the most reveals where we trust God the least.

3) **SHOW ME WHERE I'M <u>WRONG</u>.**

See if there is any <u>offensive way in me</u>…

Psalm 139:24

- **What are others trying to tell me?**
- **What have I rationalized for some time?**
- **Where am I most defensive?**

4) **LEAD ME.**

See if there is any offensive way in me, and <u>lead me in the way everlasting</u>.

Psalm 139: 24

...nothing can ever separate us from God's love. Neither death nor life, neither angels nor demons, neither our fears for today nor our worries about tomorrow—not even the powers of hell can separate us from God's love. No power in the sky above or in the earth below—indeed, nothing in all creation will ever be able to separate us from the love of God that is revealed in Christ Jesus our Lord.

Romans 8:38-39(NLT)