Hebrews 9:6-7

Now when these things had been thus prepared, the priests always went into the first part of the tabernacle, performing the services. But into the second part the high priest went alone once a year, not without blood, which he offered for himself and for the people's sins committed in ignorance.

How awesome is our God? I mean, stop and really think about that.
Put your hand out in front of you and look at the nothingness in your hand, and then say, let there be light, or let there be a dog or a cat, and it would appear out of nothing, made from nothing. Unfortunately a lot of movies have it where someone creates something out of thin air, which belittles what God has done and turns it into entertainment, even though no one ever could do such a thing. But think of the wonders of a simple leaf from a tree and all the complexity there is in leaf and all the colors and veins going through it.

Here is one that just boggles my mind to no end, and that is people. Men and women. Just think of the face. Everyone one has two eyes, a nose, a mouth, and two ears. Yet if you look around at work, at the store, at a movie theater or concert, or just people watch. Who in the world would have ever thought to place two eyes, a nose and mouth and two ears on this thing called a head and have everyone of them look different? That just amazes me to no end, but I know my God did that, because He is Awesome and He is GOD!!!

Now you may have your own thing that makes you realize how awesome our God really is.
But in today's devotional verse, this tells once again of God's awesomeness and how Holy He really is. You see the high priest would go into the second part of the tabernacle where the Ark of the Covenant was once a year to offer a sacrifice for the people. Now this priest had bells sewn on the edge of his robe and a rope tied around his ankle. Why? Well as long as the bells on the priest's robe were making a sound, they knew everything was ok and God had accepted the sacrifice. But if the bells ever stopped ringing, that would mean that the sacrifice was not accepted by God and the priest would have died. Now this second part of the tabernacle was so holy that only the High Priest was allowed to go in once a year. So if he died, they needed to get the dead body out, but how since they could not enter this part of the tabernacle? Hence the reason for the rope tied around his ankle, it was there so they could pull his dead body out with the rope.

"That sounds kind of extreme", you may be thinking. Well, yes it is. But that's how Holy God is, yet the enemy has given us lies and tries to belittle God making us think that God is less than Who He Is. Some will call God their Buddy or Bro, or The Big Man up stairs.

No, He is God, our Savior, our Redeemer our Creator, our Great Provider, our Love, our Life, our every breath. Don't belittle our God with casual ways of describing Him.

Do you really need a reminder of how awesome our God is and how to speak to such an awesome God? Read Job chapters 38-42, then after you do, bow down and worship Him for Who He really is, and not the lies the enemy want's you to think God is. Here is a little taste of it.

- **Job 38:2-7** ***"Who is this who darkens counsel By words without knowledge? Now prepare yourself like a man; I will question you, and you shall answer Me. "Where were you when I laid the foundations of the earth? Tell Me, if you have understanding. Who determined its measurements? Surely you know! Or who stretched the line upon it? To what were its foundations fastened? Or who laid its cornerstone, When the morning stars sang together, And all the sons of God shouted for joy?***