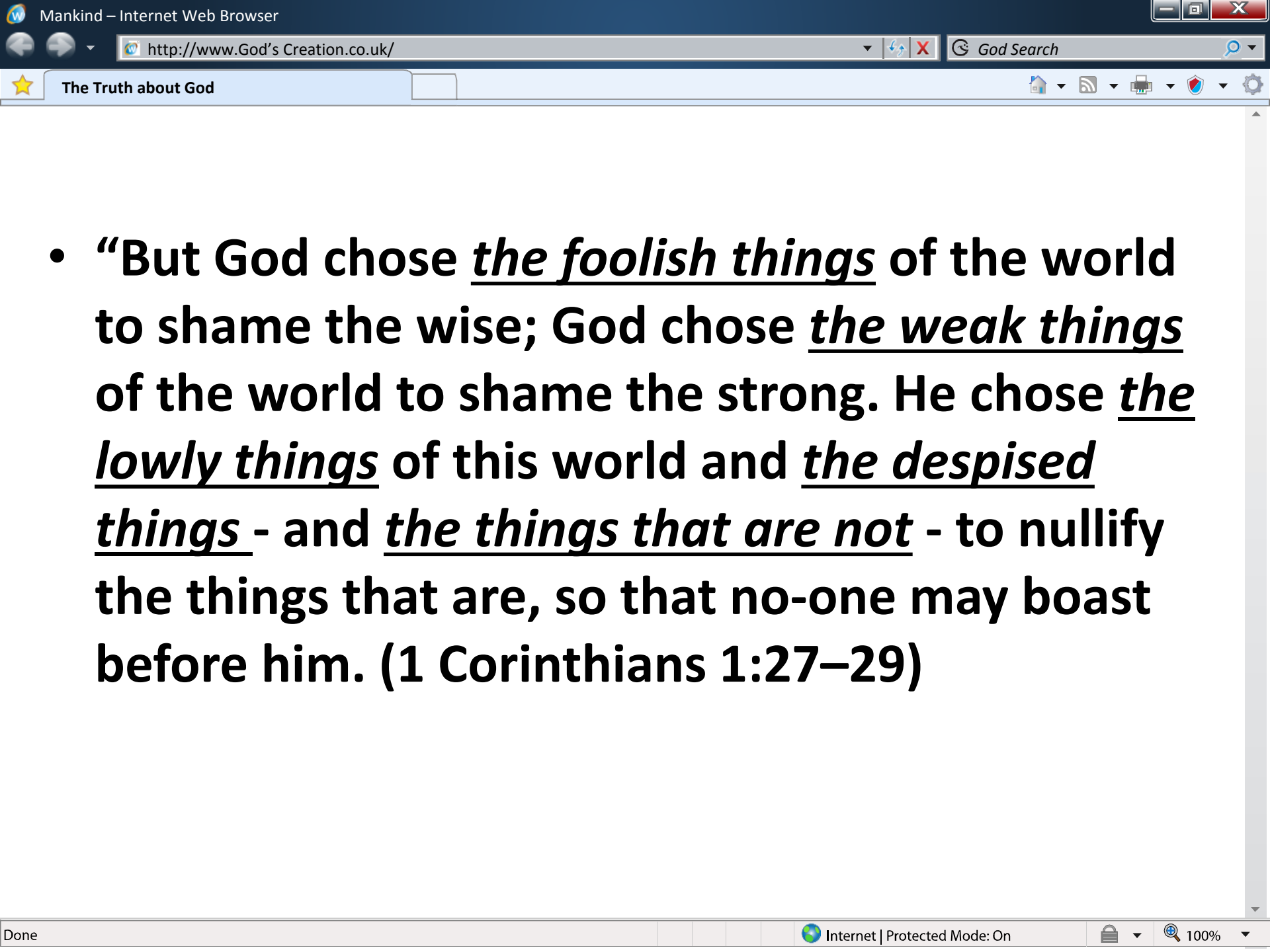


'What is Man?'

Reading from Psalm 8

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- **“O LORD, our Lord, how majestic is your name in all the earth! You have set your glory above the heavens.” (Psalm 8:1)**
- **Everything in this passage belongs to our LORD God Almighty!**



- “But God chose the foolish things of the world to shame the wise; God chose the weak things of the world to shame the strong. He chose the lowly things of this world and the despised things - and the things that are not - to nullify the things that are, so that no-one may boast before him. (1 Corinthians 1:27–29)

1. SIGNIFICANCE

- **The Greatness of the LORD (V.1)**
- **The Smallness of the child (Vss 2, 3 & 4)**
- **We are to 'rule over' all creation**

1. SIGNIFICANCE 2. SOVEREIGN

- **“When I consider your heavens, the work of your fingers, the moon and the stars, which you have set in place, what is man that you are mindful of him, the son of man that you care for him?” (Psalm 8:3–4)**
- **The little ones praising God’s ‘Name’ drowns out the noise of the curses from the foe and the avenger.**
- **It is in mankind where the heart of God lies!**
- **He chose to send his only Son as a human baby boy. . .**

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- the children shouting in the temple area, “Hosanna to the Son of David,” they were indignant. “Do you hear what these children are saying?” they asked him. “Yes,” replied Jesus, “have you never read,” *‘From the lips of children and infants you have ordained praise’?*”” (Matthew 21:14–16)