

Does God really exist?

The Bible the written Word of God offers us the essential truths about God:

❖ **Psalm 19:1** says “The heavens declare the glory of God; the skies proclaim the work of his hands”. All we have to do is look around us. The world that we live in is awesome. The earth has a natural beauty and operates with such precision. The sun and moon have been placed in the sky in just the perfect position. The sun provides just the correct amount of heat and along with the moon provides us with the amount of light to give us day and night. Spring follows winter just as day follows night and it has since creation. The quiet and the sun come after the storm just as the flowers come in the spring just like they always have since creation. If the sun would shine 24 hours a day, we would not get relief from the heat and brightness of daytime.

❖ **Genesis 1 and 2** give a detailed account of the creation. These verses describe in detail the orderliness of creation. There was no big bang and there was no coincidence, it was all deliberately planned. Men and women were not an afterthought, but God created the earth and then He created men and women to populate the earth and take care of it.

- ❖ **John 1:1-5** says, “In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. He was with God in the beginning. Through him all things were made; without him nothing was made that has been made. In him was life, and that life was the light of men. The light shines in the darkness, but the darkness has not understood it.”
- ❖ **Romans 1:20** “For since the creation of the world God's invisible qualities--his eternal power and divine nature--have been clearly seen, being understood from what has been made, so that men are without excuse.”
- ❖ **Psalm 90: 2** “Before the mountains were born or you brought forth the earth and the world, from everlasting to everlasting you are God.”
- ❖ **Isaiah 40:28** “Do you not know? Have you not heard? The Lord is the everlasting God, the Creator of the ends of the earth. He will not grow tired or weary, and his understanding no one can fathom.”

Because we are only human, we cannot understand God or how He created the world. We cannot see God as He is a Spirit and we must make our decision that God exists from His created world and His actions within the world.

God as the creator had no beginning. We cannot understand that, as each of us had a specific beginning. We are confined by our bodies and can only live in the present. God is a Spirit and does not have any limitations.

We can ignore the obvious and the evidence all around us or we can make a decision of faith. When we make a decision of faith to believe in the existence of God life takes on an entirely different perspective.

We are no longer alone, stumbling through life, taking our chances with what will happen next. We come to know that a loving caring God is in control and even when things seem to fall apart, God will continue to bring Spring after Winter and the sunshine after the storm.