



Does God Really Exist?

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I have received many cards and letters from people all over the world, wanting to get answers to some of the most perplexing questions around, pertaining to God and His actual existence.

Well, those of us that have faith will automatically say “yes, He exists”. And for the

believers who make this acknowledgement, that’s the final word. But there are plenty non-believers and outright Atheists out there who are saying “I need more information!”. To them, I have to say the evidence for God's existence can be found in several ways:

1 **In creation**

We see nature all around us, for example in flowers, landscapes and mountains. Creation implies a creator.

2 **In design**

A computer is more complex than a chair. A hierarchy of designs from simple to complex implies that there must be a supreme designer of all of them. An analogy was provided by William Paley (1743-1805) and runs like this: Suppose someone found a watch in an empty field. The complexity of the design would lead one to conclude that it could not be the product of random events, but rather of some creative intelligence.

3 **In morality**

The sense of right and wrong. Where does this sense come from? This points to a supreme lawgiver.

4 **In causality**

Every effect must have a cause. Thus the world must have been caused by something else. However, there must be something that is uncaused, something not dependent on anything. That something is God.

5 **In contingency**

We observe that some things are dependent ('contingent') on other things for their existence. However, not everything can be contingent, so there must exist something that is not dependent on anything else (i.e. God).

I hope that clears up your question, and if you didn't believe before, you should at least now, be reconsidering the possibility of God, if not fully believing.

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