

How you can be sure that **GOD** exists

Triston Jacobsohn



Created by a ~~big bang~~"

Created by God

1. Something cannot come from nothing.

Reality points to the existence of God.

1. Something cannot come from nothing.

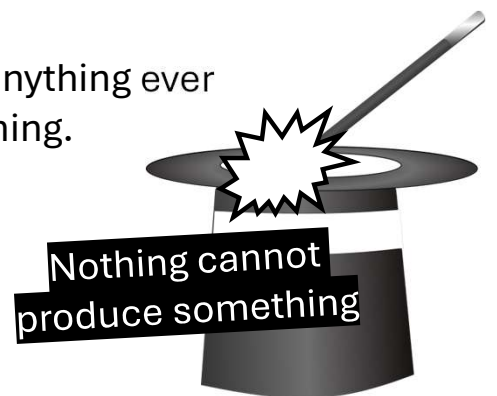
This is an obvious fact. There is not one example of anything ever coming from nothing. Nothing can only produce nothing.

2. But something exists now.

You exist. These words exist.

3. Therefore, something has always existed.

This is logical, because if there was ever a time when there was nothing, there would still be nothing, because something cannot come from nothing.



Does this make sense?

YES

NO

2. So, what has always existed?

So, what is the “something” that has always existed? Has the universe always existed?

No, both the Bible and science agree that the universe had a beginning.

- Science speaks of a “**big bang**”
- The Bible says: “In **the beginning** God created the heavens and the earth” (Genesis 1:1).



The universe has not always existed

The universe is not the “something” that has always existed. There must be something apart from the universe that caused the universe.

Let’s investigate that >>

3. Something separate from the universe created it.

So, a cause that is **separate from the universe** created it. What is that cause?

Here are 2 options:

1. Some believe that there was a “big bang” that caused the universe, and then evolution caused life. Is this true?
2. Some say that there is a God who created the universe and everything. Is this true?



Let’s examine these two options by examining you >>

4. You are the evidence.

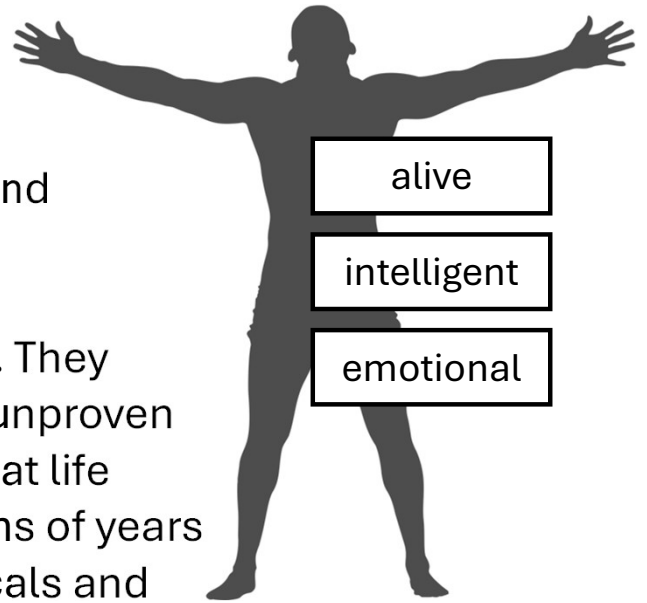
Since we cannot directly investigate the cause, we will study the result: humanity. **Let's investigate you.**

You have:

Life + Intelligence + Emotions.

What caused you? God or a “big bang” and evolution?

Note: Some people don't believe in God. They believe in evolution, but evolution is an unproven theory. Evolutionists generally believe that life sprang from chemicals and water millions of years ago. We will, therefore, compare chemicals and water with God.



Let's examine which is most likely >>

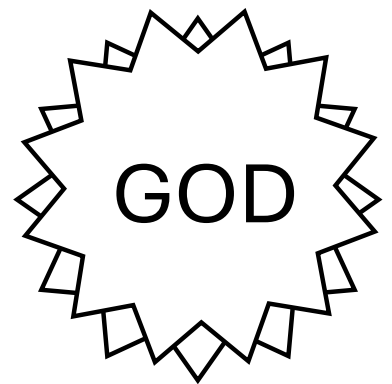
5. You are alive and intelligent.

First, you are alive.

Remember, something cannot come from nothing, so how can life come from something lifeless? It cannot. Are chemicals and water alive? No, but God is alive. God is the adequate cause because He is alive. The chemicals and water of evolution are inadequate.

Second, you are intelligent.

Again, something cannot come from nothing. How can intelligence come from non-intelligent chemicals and water? It cannot, but God is intelligent. God is the adequate cause because He is intelligent.



or



6. You have emotion.

Third, you have emotion.

Do chemicals and water have emotion? No, so they are an insufficient cause. Emotion only comes from emotion, and God has emotion. Chemicals and water are insufficient, but God is a sufficient cause.

Logically, therefore, you come from God.

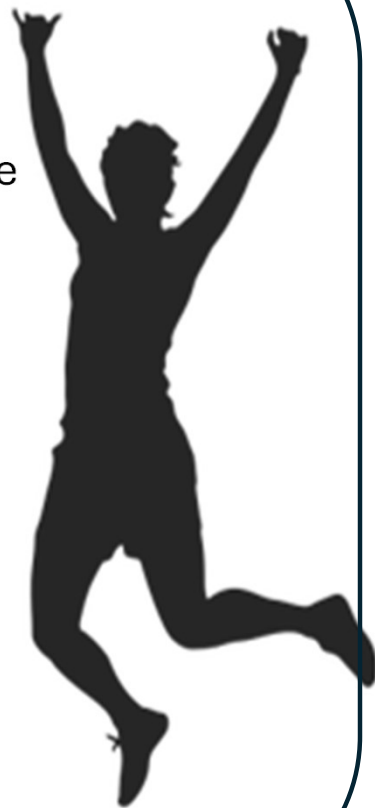
That's why the Bible says:

- You are created in His image -- Genesis 1:26
- God is your heavenly Father -- Matthew 6:9

Does this make sense?

YES

NO



Now for the big question: Where did God come from? >

7. Where did God come from?

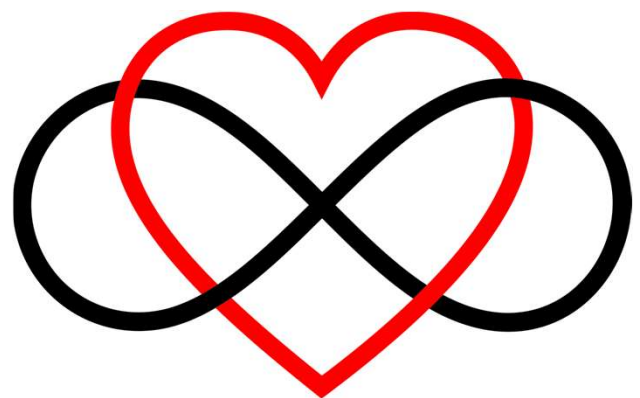
Where did God come from?

God has always existed. The Bible says that God has always been there, "from everlasting to everlasting" Psalm 90:2

This is hard to understand, but there is no other answer, because: **Something has always existed.**

Remember, if there was ever nothing, there would still be nothing because something cannot come from nothing. There's no other answer.

Think about it.



Frequent questions >>

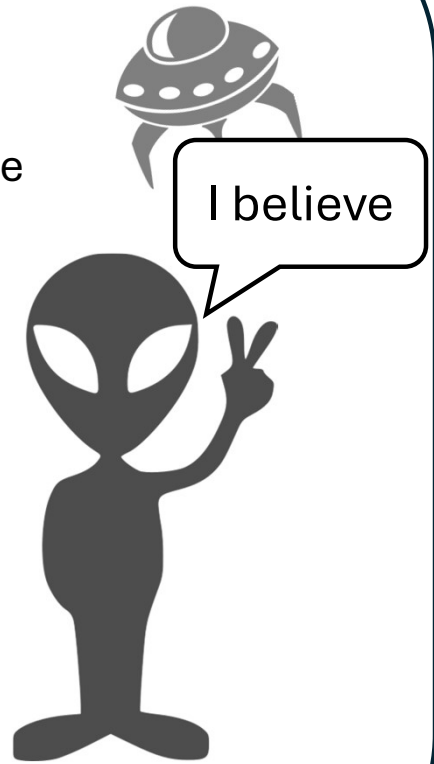
8. Common questions

What about aliens? Did they create life on earth?

Even if one does believe in aliens, this does not solve the problem of where life, intelligence, and emotion came from. We only need to ask: Who created the aliens? Furthermore, there is no scientific evidence that aliens exist.

What about multiverses?

Like aliens, there is no evidence for multiverses. There is, however, evidence for God. He is your Father, because you are created in His image. You are alive, intelligent, and have emotion – like God.



Next lesson: How you can know that the Bible is from God >>

Notes...