

GOD

If there is a God, why is there so much bad in the world?

I used to ask myself this very same question and I was angry at God for letting all of these people suffer. The questions filtering through my mind were, why is there homelessness, child abuse, racism, starvation, etc. I shook my finger at God and said, "Do something about it!"

Then it dawned on me that maybe it's our responsibility as humans. He gave us this planet to live in among one another. What we do with this world and how we treat each other is up to us.

If life is a test, maybe we're the ones who are failing. Are pollution or racism God's fault? We were given this planet at our discretion and were already taught the golden rule so ... is there a God?

Are we basing His existence on miracles? If so, in essence we are saying, "If God takes responsibility for our actions, then He exists, but if He doesn't perform for us, then we have all reason to doubt Him.

Miracles don't only come from God, they can also manifest themselves through people. It only takes one person to start the ball rolling, and then another and still another. All combining our talents and brotherly love, together we can make this world a better place.