

## jenaministries – Part 7 My Questions

### 4. Where Did God Come From?

We know everything came from God. God is the creator of all things, living or not. He also created time when he created the two main lights (sun & moon). One can wonder if time even existed before that. This makes it hard for us to figure out how the Lord came into existence. We only know life in the restriction of time. But the Lord is not restricted with time.

***Genesis 1:1*** *In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth.*

***Genesis 1:14-18*** *And God said, "Let there be lights in the vault of the sky to separate the day from the night, and let them serve as signs to mark sacred times, and days and years, and let them be lights in the vault of the sky to give light on the earth." And it was so. God made two great lights—the greater light to govern the day and the lesser light to govern the night. He also made the stars. God set them in the vault of the sky to give light on the earth, to govern the day and the night, and to separate light from darkness. And God saw that it was good.*

***Colossians 1:16*** *For by him all things were created, in heaven and on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or authorities—all things were created through him and for him.*

But, where did God come from?

The Bible teaches us that God is the Alpha and Omega, first and last. He has always been and will always be. He is not restricted by time like we are. There was never a time or ever will be a time when he did or does not exist.

***Isaiah 44:6*** *"Thus says the Lord, the King of Israel and his Redeemer, the Lord of hosts: 'I am the first and I am the last, And there is no God besides Me.*

***Revelation 1:8*** *"I am the Alpha and the Omega," says the Lord God, "who is and who was and who is to come, the Almighty."*

***Revelation 22:13*** *I am the Alpha and the Omega, the first and the last, the beginning and the end."*

And there is only one God. He has no parents or siblings or creator. He is the only creator. There is absolutely no other besides him. If he didn't exist, there would be no God and no life.

***Deuteronomy 4:35*** *You were shown these things so that you might know that the Lord is God; besides him there is no other.*

***Isaiah 44:6*** *This is what the LORD says: I am the first and the last; apart from me there is no God.*

***Isaiah 46:9*** *remember the former things of old; for I am God, and there is no other; I am God, and there is none like me*

***1 Timothy 2:5-6*** *For there is one God and one mediator between God and mankind, the man Christ Jesus, who gave himself as a ransom for all people. This has now been witnessed to at the proper time.*

So how can that be? Did he just magically appear? How can God have always been? Maybe someday in our heavenly afterlife, we may discover how this is. But for now, it's a puzzling question.