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Who is 'God'?

Concepts of a Supreme Being, a Source of all that exists, some power greater than humans, is a universal human experience. All peoples have some concept for this. No one group of people has had exclusive access, experiences and interactions with God, or whatever word in their language used to mean "God." Therefore information and inspiration can be valid from all recorded human history.

God is the ALL. Nothing exists outside of God. God is the Source of all that is. Therefore Creation is God manifest into time and space. The Hindu's, for instance state that "God is unknowable" due to human limitations. This is why they have many gods to represent the various aspects of God. Christianity with its Trinity does something similar.

Religion tends to focus on the trees and miss the forest. Standing back to see the forest one finds that all that exists reveals something about God. Science merely explores the fabric of creation and is not in any way in opposition to religious teachings, except when religion tries to define science.

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