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Atheism

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Atheism is a lack of belief or a denial of the existence of any god. It is a growing movement that is becoming more aggressive, more demanding, and less tolerant of anything other than itself. Is atheism a sound philosophical system as a worldview or is it ultimately self-defeating? Learn how to deal with the arguments raised against the existence of God that seek to replace Him with naturalism, materialism, and moral relativism.

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- ✧ If God can't lie, then he isn't omnipotent
- ✧ Only atheism offers a predictable universe
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- ✧ Why do you believe in Jesus but not Santa Claus?
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