



If God Exists, Why Can't I See Him?

August 9, 2026

Read & Reflect

READ: Romans 1:18–25, Psalm 19:1–6, Colossians 1:15–17

God may be invisible, but Scripture says He has not left us without evidence of His existence. Creation continually points beyond itself toward its Creator, revealing His power, wisdom, order, and divine nature.

Understand the Moment

“If God exists, why can't I see Him?”

It's an important question—and one Christians don't need to fear. Romans 1 teaches that God's invisible qualities can be understood through what He has made. Psalm 19 describes the heavens as continually declaring God's glory without ever speaking a word.

Sarah shared how studying science led her to explore **intelligent design**—the scientific theory, as she described it, that certain features of the universe and living things are best explained by an intelligence rather than an undirected process.

She highlighted three areas that have especially shaped her thinking: **the beginning of the universe, the fine-tuning of the universe, and the complexity of life.**

From evidence that the universe had a beginning, to the remarkably precise conditions necessary for life, to the information encoded within DNA, Sarah sees scientific discovery not as a threat to faith but as another opportunity to recognize the fingerprints of a Creator.

The invitation is not to stop asking questions. It is to keep looking.

Process Together or Alone

- When you look at creation, what most causes you to wonder about God?
- Have you ever felt like you had to choose between faith and science? Why?
- What questions about God are you still wrestling with?
- How does believing you were intentionally created affect your understanding of your purpose?

Follow Jesus This Week

Listen

- What does creation reveal to you about the character of God?
- Where might God be asking you to approach your questions with greater humility and curiosity?

Obey

- What question about your faith could you intentionally investigate this week?
- How can you make more space to notice God's work in the world around you?

Share

- Who could you have an honest conversation with about faith, science, or the existence of God?
- How can you share what you believe without dismissing someone else's questions?

Care

- Who do you know who is wrestling with doubt or searching for answers?
- How can you pray for them and become a safe person for their questions?



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Live It Out

Set aside time this week to intentionally observe something God has made.

Look at the stars. Take a walk outside. Study the complexity of the human body. Hold a child. Notice something in creation you normally take for granted.

Then read Psalm 19:1:

"The heavens declare the glory of God; the skies proclaim the work of his hands."

Ask yourself: **What does what has been made tell me about the One who made it?**

Remember: ***God may be invisible, but His creation continually points beyond itself to its Creator.***

Pray

- Thank God for revealing His power, wisdom, and creativity through what He has made.
- Ask God for humility and wisdom as you wrestle with difficult questions.
- Pray for Christians working in science, medicine, education, and research to faithfully pursue truth.
- Pray for someone who doubts God's existence or is searching for evidence that He is real.
- Ask God to help you live with confidence that you were intentionally created by Him and for Him.

Thank You for creating a universe filled with beauty, order, complexity, and wonder. Give me eyes to recognize Your fingerprints in the world around me. When I have questions, give me courage to investigate them rather than fear them. Give me humility to keep learning and wisdom to recognize truth. Most of all, remind me that I am not an accident. You created me with purpose, and everything I discover about Your creation gives me another reason to worship You. Amen.

Group Leader Optional Questions

Opening Question:

What part of creation most naturally makes you stop and think about God?

Closing Reflection:

What question about God, science, or faith will you intentionally explore rather than avoid this week?