

## God Is! II

In the last article we pointed out that the design in the universe implies an intelligent Designer. The human body and its wonderful and complex systems demand that there be a Designer. That Designer is the God of the Bible.

Also, the fact that there is an ultimate and absolute standard of morality proves that a Being of intelligence exists. When we consider morality, we are considering things that make-up what are right and wrong. In our society some acts are right while other acts are wrong. It is right to live in harmony with the laws of the land and it is wrong to murder, lie, steal, etc. What makes certain things in our society wrong? What is the origin of this standard of morality? Was it present before man arrived on the scene or did it originate with man? If it was present before man's appearance then it was established by one who existed before man did and is superior to man. On the other hand, if the standard came into existence with man (man originated it), then each man becomes his own standard of authority and can do anything he is capable of doing without it being intrinsically evil. The Nazis maintained during the Nuremburg trials that they were right in exterminating six and one half million Jews. They were just following orders from their superiors and the law of Germany. If there is no higher moral standard than that which originates with man then they were right in this declaration. But, the judges saw that Germany's actions were more than just a violation of International Law. It was that, but it also violated the "higher law of God". If man is the product of Organic Evolution he is no better than an animal. And murdering of a man would be no different than killing a roach, if a society decrees that it is "right" to do such. Morality flows from the very nature of Deity. It did not originate with man, but comes from God.

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