

WHAT IS SIN?
WHO CAN SAVE US?

WHAT IS THE MEANING OF LIFE?

WHY IS THERE SUFFERING?
WHERE DO WE COME FROM?
GOD THE FATHER?

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The Format

I talk

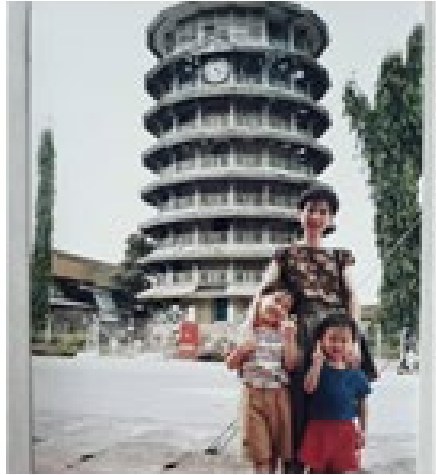
You talk

I talk

We talk

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The Journey Thus Far

God is Creator

God is Heavenly Father

God is Holy

God is Almighty

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You Talk

Share one experience in your life where
you felt someone greater than you,
was there to protect you from harm or danger.

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God Is almighty – why is there suffering?
Philosophical or Personal

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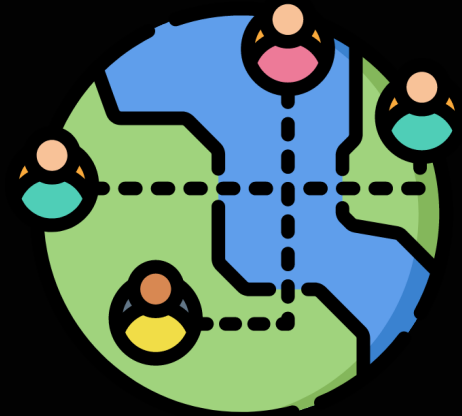
God is Almighty



All Knowing



All Powerful



All Present

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Jeremiah 23:23- 24

I am a God who is everywhere and not in one place only. No one can hide where I cannot see them. Do you not know that I am everywhere in heaven and on earth?

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Psalms 139:1-4

O Lord, you have examined my heart and know everything about me. You know everything I do. You know what I am going to say even before I say it, Lord.

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Psalms 50:15

Then call on me when you are in trouble, and
I will rescue you.

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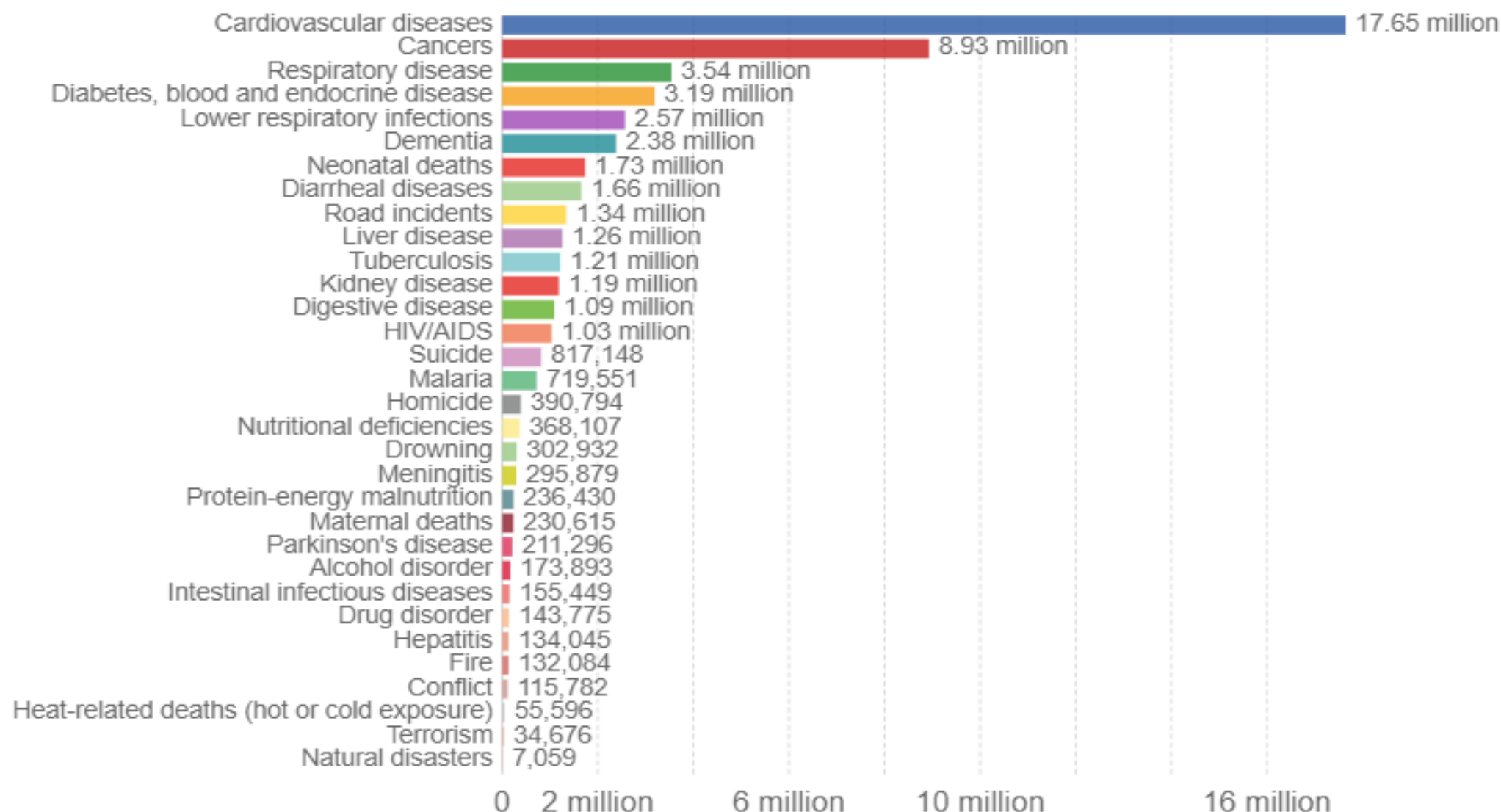
Genesis 1:31

God saw all that he had made, and it was good.

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Annual number of deaths by cause, World, 2016

Data refers to the specific cause of death, which is distinguished from risk factors for death, such as air pollution, diet and other lifestyle factors. See sources for further details on definitions of specific cause categories.



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- Results of our own choices and actions?

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Why is there suffering?

- Why didn't God stop suffering?
- How do you define suffering?
- Where do you draw the line of what suffering is?

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THE BOOK OF JOB

The holiness, riches, and
religious care of Job
for his children

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Jesus is the answer

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John 14:6

I am the way, the truth, and the life.

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John 16:33

I have told you these things, so that in me,
you may have peace. **You will have
suffering in this world.** But be courageous!
I have conquered the world.

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Romans 8:28

And we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love him, who have been called according to his purpose.

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You can choose either bitterness
or peace and courage

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