

# If God is your answer

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If God is your answer to every question,  
eternal and absolute  
once-and-for-all kind of answer,  
without a doubt,  
no wondering, dithering or hypothesizing,  
no clever juggling,  
struggling, pondering or agonizing  
no raised eyebrow or pursed lips,  
no tilted head with faraway gaze—  
just straight out, eyes glazed,  
one syllable,  
constant and unequivocal,  
you smiling, smiling, always smiling  
sweetly to every question:  
God;

Then,  
all questions vanish,  
all questions perish,  
and you stand like a post  
from one of your fences,  
not even enough of you  
for the upright  
of a cross  
like one Jesus chose at the end,  
facing death, and desperately  
asking the ultimate question:  
God, where are you?  
and hearing nothing,  
resigned to silence,  
said, Nevertheless, I AM  
and died the Lamb

still with his question.  
Now there's an answer,  
God.