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GOD ASKS GOOD QUESTIONS. HERE ARE THREE OF THEM IN SCRIPTURE

Stunned, Job responded to God's series of pointed, rhetorical questions: "I am vile. I will not answer." Others, too, no doubt, bit their tongues when grilled by God: Where were you when I created all things? Is there any other God? To whom will you liken me? Amazingly, Mormons have ventured to answer such questions. Consider their answers, and how you might help a Mormon you encounter by simply asking these questions

(linked below*) and similar questions.

<u>Job 38:4</u>*

Where wast thou when I laid the foundations of the earth? declare, if thou hast understanding.

The Mormon church's answer? Job, and you (and every mortal, past, present, and future) were present as God's spirit children. We approved His creation plan —and some helped with the work: maybe Adam or Joseph Smith; who knows?

This clearly contradicts God's message to us, via Job, and also his message below: God created "all things...alone...by myself."

Isaiah 44* (verse 24)

Thus saith the Lord, thy redeemer, and he that formed thee from the womb, I am the Lord that maketh all things; that stretcheth forth the heavens alone; that spreadeth abroad the earth by myself.

Isaiah 44:8*

Fear ye not, neither be afraid: have not I told thee from that time, and have declared it? ye are even my witnesses. Is there a God beside me? yea, there is no God; I know not any.

Mormon authorities say "the Gods" created, and their dead prophet Joseph Smith is now "mingling with Gods." Their "God" is one of many. But—

Mormons are to worship the one God who fathered their spirits, then created an Earth where they could be mortal and strive to prove worthy of eternal life. They may also worship Jesus, another God; and the Holy Ghost. The three are a trio, "one God" only figuratively.

Isaiah 40:18*

To whom then will ye liken God? or what likeness will ye compare unto him?

Scripture that Mormons have written to supplement the Bible says, "...the Gods went down to organize man...in the image of the Gods.., male and female...."

Mormon prophet and church president Brigham Young and others opined that man is the exact image of a flesh and bone God: eyes, forehead, eyebrows, nose, cheekbones, mouth, chin, ears, "precisely like our Father in heaven."

Women are said to be the precise images of their Mother in heaven, first as spirits eons ago, and now in mortal flesh.

The Mormons you talk to might not believe these doctrines of their church. But in Mormonism, that's okay. What they most likely believe: they and all mankind are literal divine sons and daughters of Deity, and by living a good life and adhering to Mormonism (obey their prophet, marry in a Mormon temple, eschew coffee) one becomes saved. Simply ask. Listen. Share.

*We have used the KJV Bible because that is the translation commonly used by Mormons. All translations deliver the same message.