

## God Is

Even in our darkest and most confusing moments, when there seems nothing to hope for, we can choose, George MacDonald says, to stand like children outside our good Father's window.

MacDonald asks why we should mind standing in the dark for a time. Of course we miss being in the light inside, but if we will allow it, immense spiritual growth comes through waiting.

What if rain is falling and wind blowing? What if the window seems dark, God's plan for our good inscrutable?

We can choose to say: God *is*. Jesus is not dead. Nothing is going wrong, however it may look to our hearts still in process of becoming spiritually mature.



*Coffee/tea thought:* "We know that God causes everything to work together for the good of those who love God and are called according to his purpose for them." *Rom. 8.28 NLT*

John

Ref: *George MacDonald (1824-1905)*, quoted in *A GUIDE TO PRAYER* by R. Job and N. Shawchuck (1983)

## 神是自有永有的

即使在最黑暗疑惑，毫无希望可言的时候，我们仍可选择，乔治·麦克唐纳说，像小孩在自己父亲的窗外一样站立。

麦克唐纳说我们为何介意站在黑暗里一小会。当然我们无法享受里面的光明，但若我们坚持，灵命的长进总是来自等待。

狂风暴雨吗？窗外这样黑暗，神对我们的计划这样奥秘？

我们可以选择说，神是自有永有的。耶稣不是死了。没有任何问题，尽管在我们仍在成长的心里不这么看。

随想：“我们晓得万事都互相效力，叫爱神的人得益处，就是按他旨意被召的人。”罗马书8：28

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