

Who created God? This is a question that rattles the cage of our theology. I choose to agree with J. Warner Wallace in this edition of "Think Like a Detective" when he says he believes in an uncreated creator. As a person that loves these kind of questions I would like to take his theory one step further. In Genesis 1, the book begins with these words..."In the beginning God..." There is no mention of creating God, there is no mention of any time or space without God. The reason there is no mention of either of those things is that God IS, God always HAS BEEN, and God always WILL BE (capitalization added for emphasis). As creator, God is not bound by the limitations of the creatures he creates. There are two columns in this theological spreadsheet...there is the column of God, then there is the column of everything else that is creaturely. God created the heavens and the earth and everything in the earth, but is not like those things. God (as an uncreated being) has thoughts that are beyond our creaturely minds, he has no limitation on time or space. God does not have to "look back" in the timeline of history to see what He has done, because He is already there, and here at the same time. There is no set of data or information system that needs to be learned or downloaded into God's being because he already knows it. The answer to the question of "Who created God?", is found in the question of "Who is God?" Once we define God as omnipotent (all powerful), omniscient (all knowing), and omnipresent (all present) we are on our way to discovering the truth about Him. Right placing God as a divine essence instead of a created being also puts us on the right track of discovering who He is. Lastly, while God is above all and should be beyond our capacities as a creature, God is personal, God is reachable, God can be known and truly desires to have a personal relationship with each one of us! Thank you God for these truths. Help us to begin to understand so that we might share them with others.