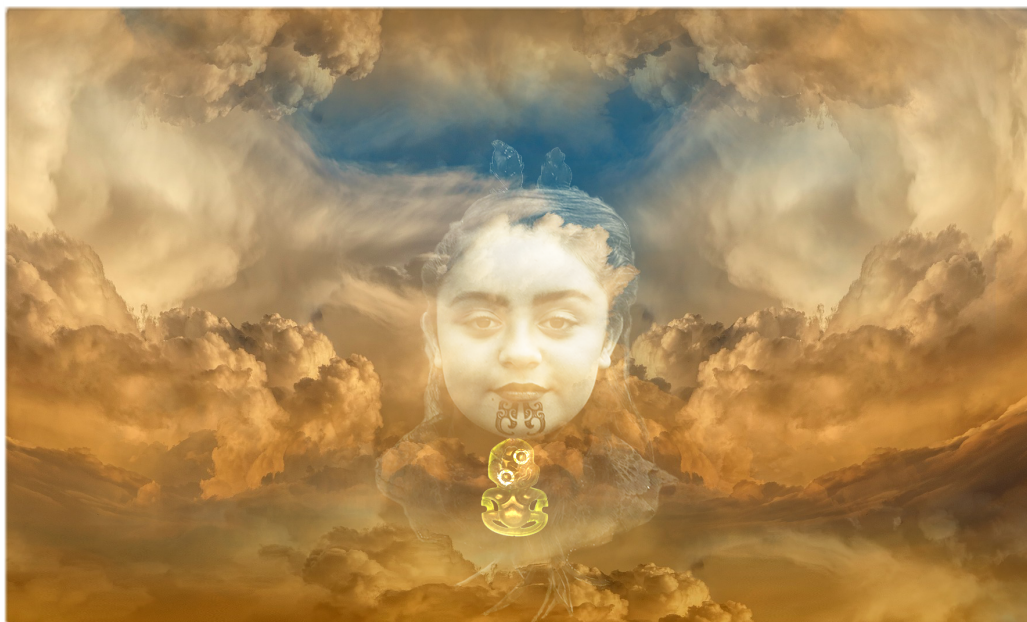


Images of GOD

...effect how we interact with others and our earth.



What's the deal with images of God?

Whether we are aware of it or not, the way we picture God moulds us as people.

Our image of God grows and changes as we grow and change. When we are young our image of God is informed by our parents and family. As we grow our culture, tradition and personal faith shape our view God, and as we mature, all of these things as well as our own experiences and learnings continue to build this image.

What kind of God do you believe in? What are your favourite images of God?

1

LOVING

"Jesus looked at him and loved him ..."

Mark 10:21

2

FORGIVING

"Father, forgive them, for they do not know what they do "

Luke 23:34

3

MERCIFUL

"When he saw the crowd he had compassion for them"

Matthew 9:36

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Mother

Isaiah 66:13 As a mother comforts her child, so I will comfort you.

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Friend

Exodus 33:11 ...the Lord used to speak to Moses face to face, as one speaks to a friend

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Leopard

Hosea 13:7-8 So I will become like a lion to them, like a leopard I will lurk beside the way.

