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To: God
From: Jon
Subj: A Quick Question

God, why does everything have to be so hard?

I'm tired of always trying to understand what the "historical significance" of this is—
I'm tired of always trying to understand what the "theological importance" of that is—
I'm tired of always trying to make everyone around me better than I am.

I want to be a kid again.
I don't want to be 21 years old, graduating, and "moving on"
What does "moving on" mean anyway?

Could you clarify that for me please?

This stage of life is so confusing.
One day someone's your friend, the next they hate you.
No matter what I think or do someone still dislikes me.

Is it possible for someone to change for the better?

Just drop me a line sometime to let me know.
I'm sure your answers are the right ones,
I know your answers are the right ones.

Talk to you soon, God.