

Celebrate Help

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mir · a · cle — noun

1. an effect or extraordinary event in the physical world that surpasses all known human or natural powers and is ascribed to a supernatural cause.
2. such an effect or event manifesting or considered as a work of God.
3. a wonder; marvel

Christian Beliefs:

- 82% of adults believe in God.
86% of women and 78% of men.
- 70% of adults believe in the survival of the soul after death.
74% of women and 66% of men.
- 70% of adults believe in heaven.
76% of women and 64% of men.
- 70% of adults believe that Jesus is God or the son of God.
75% of women and 64% of men.
- 73% of adults believe in miracles.
79% of women and 66% of men.

Fact: God is the source of every true miracle.

Matthew 13:58, Hebrews 11:6, Matthew 7:11, 2 Kings 4:1

Road Sign # 1: “One Way Only”

“One Way Only” Sign: Admit you have a need.

2 Kings 4:2a

“One Way Only” Sign: Acknowledge God as the source and giver of miracles.

Road Sign # 2: “STOP, then Look and Listen”

2 Kings 4:2b

“Stop” Sign Question: Has God already given you a sign that a miracle is about to happen?

Romans 8:17

Road Sign # 3: “U-Turns” Allowed

2 Kings 4:2c

“You-turn Allowed” miracle moment: Faith replaces fear.

Matthew 19:26

Road Sign # 4: “Yield”

2 Kings 4:3–4

“Yield” Sign: Yield control to God.

“Yield” Sign: Yield your life to helping others.

Road Sign # 5: “No Parking!”

2 Kings 4:5–7

“No Parking” Sign: Obedience invites blessing.

2 Kings 4:6

Ephesians 3:16–21