

"KENDRICK LAMAR ON LIFE AND THE NATURE OF DEATH"

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Using the album DAMN, this talk explores Kendrick Lamar's understanding of the interconnected nature of life and death. In so doing, it provides a sense of how hip hop wrestles with some of the central theological challenges that plague our historical moment.

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