Influence On My Future

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There are a lot of similar things between, "the Truman Show" and, "the Matrix," but I don't think that my life is similar with the life of Truman or Neo. I don't think that I am watched by any robots. I know that everyone is genuine. In, "The Truman Show" the Director, Cristof, controlled Truman's life and Truman lived in a fake world. Also, as in, "the Matrix" where the human's lived in a fake world the robots decided what to do with their lives. On the other hand, I believe in God...So in some ways I am like Truman. God watches me all the time and he knows all my movements. He knows everything about me.

What if soup doesn't have the same taste I'm used to, like in, "the Matrix." What if I am controlled by Him, and all the things that happen in my life are not true. God made it all happen and just the Director of, "the Truman Show" he can make my life more interesting. In, "the Matrix," the robots wanted the energy of the humans. In, "the Truman Show," the director wanted success, but from me...what does God want? I know that in the future I want to be a volunteer. I want to help poor people either in America, Australia, or Africa. I know there are thousands of people that don't have food or water, and they are dying as a result. So I want to help them, and I have an idea how. I want to make a commercial, and show the world where and how these people live. Then, maybe people would understand that many others don't have money, food and other things that are necessary to live. So when they spend a lot of money buying unnecessary things, they may think about these people that live in Africa or other countries. They will think about these children that don't have a chance to go to school, and the parents who don't work.

However, there is my family and God. Is that what They want for me? These movies have made me reconsider my existence. Is that what I want for my future? I don't think that my family would agree because they want a better life for me...but this is my life. When I think about it more, what if I don't want to be a volunteer and I'd prefer another job, but God controlled my feelings because he wanted me to be a better person? I don't have an answer for that...but, I can chose to live with these questions or I can chose to live my dream, because I believe that deep inside me this is what I want and I will do the impossible to realize it!