***Finite Godism:***

***"There is one limited god!"***  
Though the words are not in Greek, he may not be very familiar with the worldview of finite godism.  As the name suggests, this view of reality beliefs that God exists, is beyond the world, but is limited in power and imperfection. This view happens to be very similar in some ways to the worldview of polytheism, however, finite godism believes that there is only one single god in the universe.  This worldview suffers from many of the same problems and defeaters as polytheism.

Here is a comparison of the beliefs of finite godism and biblical Christianity:

**Limited God of Finite Godism:            The One God of Biblical Christianity:**  
*God partially controls the universe.         God is sovereignly ruling over the universe.*  
*God is very imperfect.                            God is absolutely and infinitely perfect.*  
*God is finite and very limited.                  God is absolutely infinite and unlimited.*  
*God has limited power.                           God is All-Powerful (omnipotent).*  
*God has limited knowledge.                     God is All-Knowing (omniscient).*  
*God does not do miracles.                       God can do miracles and supernatural acts.*  
*God needs our help and prayers.             God needs nothing and is in total control of all.*  
*God can't control all evil in the world.        God has total control over all that happens.*

 A person who seriously believes in the god of finite godism might say something like this:

***"We have to pray for god and try to help him out.***

***After all, god is doing the best that he can with His limited power.***

***He can't be expected to control everything."***  
Though this may sound strange to a believer in the God of Scripture, devoted followers of finite godism such as Rabbi Kushner have been quoted many times saying things of this nature. Unfortunately, Rabbi Kushner lost one of his sons in a Nazi concentration camp in the second world war, and because of this has concluded that God isn't able to stop the evil and suffering in the world. Many people also consider the god of finite godism to be the object of worship that Plato described in his writings, and also the god of John Stewart Mill, a scientific intellectual of the 1800's.