



# ANSWERING THE **TOUGH QUESTIONS** ABOUT CHRISTIANITY

WHO'S IN CHARGE

LESSON #

2

## TODAY'S SCRIPTURE

PSALM 14:1-2, PSALM 10:4, GEN 1:1, ROM 2:12-15

1. THE \_\_\_\_\_ .  
GENESIS 1:1
2. THE \_\_\_\_\_ OF \_\_\_\_\_ .
3. THE INHERENT \_\_\_\_\_ FOR \_\_\_\_\_ .
4. THE \_\_\_\_\_ OF \_\_\_\_\_ .

## APPLY

We must be careful when approaching a person with a different worldview because their worldview is core to their identity. For example, people may describe their search for a worldview as "finding themselves."

For this reason, people may react emotionally and get defensive, frustrated, and angry in these conversations, just as we might do if we are unprepared for challenges to our Christian worldview. This is one reason Peter included in his instructions to "always be prepared" and that our explanations should be offered "with gentleness and respect." (1Pet 3:15)

When people react poorly, be sensitive to the Holy Spirit and recognize that this may be time to end the discussion with something like, "It appears we both have some things to think about," and then set up a time to resume the conversation in the future.



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NEXT WEEK'S PREVIEW



## LOOKING TO NEXT WEEK...

### LESSON #3

WHAT ABOUT EVIL?

### NEXT WEEK'S SCRIPTURE

ISAIAH 64:5-6; ROMANS 3:10-18

### THE LESSON AT A GLANCE

In this lesson, we will explore how Christians can respond to the question "Why is there evil in the world?"

### THE MAIN IDEA

The existence of evil in the world is a major reason some people choose to reject the existence of God. In other cases, some people choose which god to believe in based on how that religion handles the problem of evil.

### QUESTIONS TO EXPLORE

*What is evil, where does it come from, and why is it here?*

