

Easter – He is Risen!

What Is Your Worldview? #2

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“Does Truth Exist?”

John 8:32 (NIV) You will know the truth and the truth will set you free.

Worldview – _____

Signs of Truth Erosion:

1. _____

Ephesians 4:14 (NLT) Then we will no longer be like children, forever changing our minds about what we believe because someone has told us something different or because someone has cleverly lied to us and made the lie sound like the truth.

2. _____

Ephesians 4:19 (NLT) They don't care anymore about right and wrong, and they have given themselves over to immoral ways.

3. _____

2 Thessalonians 2:12 (Message) Since they refuse to trust truth, they're banished to their chosen world of lies and illusions.

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Proverbs 10:9 (NLT) People with integrity have firm footing, but those who follow crooked paths will slip and fall.

5. _____

Isaiah 59:14 (NLT) Our courts oppose people who are righteous, and justice is nowhere to be found. Truth falls dead in the streets, and fairness has been outlawed.

Discovering Truth:

John 7:17 (NIV) If anyone chooses to do God's will, he will find out whether my teaching comes from God or whether I speak on my own.

1. Through _____

Romans 1:20 (NIV) For since the creation of the world God's invisible qualities—his eternal power and divine nature—have been clearly seen, being understood from what has been made, so that men are without excuse.

2. Through _____

Proverbs 20:27 (NCV) The LORD looks deep inside people and searches through their thoughts.

Romans 2:14-15 (Message) When outsiders who have never heard of God's law follow it more or less by instinct, they confirm its truth by their obedience. They show that God's law is not something alien, imposed on us from without, but woven into the very fabric of our creation. There is something deep within them that echoes God's yes and no, right and wrong.

3. Through _____

Proverbs 14:15 (NCV) Fools will believe anything, but the wise think about what they do.

4. Through _____

2 Timothy 3:16 (NLT) All Scripture is inspired by God and is useful to teach us what is true and to make us realize what is wrong in our lives. It straightens us out and teaches us to do what is right.

5. Through _____

John 14:6 (NIV) I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me.

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Colossians 1:23 (NLT) But you must continue to believe this truth and stand in it firmly.

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Philippians 3:16 (NLT) We must be sure to obey the truth we have learned already.

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2 Corinthians 13:8 (NLT) Our responsibility is never to oppose the truth, but to stand for the truth at all times.

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John 1:6-8 (NCV) ⁶ There was a man named John who was sent by God. ⁷ He came to tell people the truth about the Light so that through him all people could hear about the Light and believe. ⁸ John was not the Light, but he came to tell people the truth about the Light.

April memory verse: Romans 11:36 (NIV) For from him and through him and to him are all things. To him be the glory forever! Amen.