

Series: Why I Know

Title: Why I Know God Exists

Text: (Heb 11:6)

I. Nature Proclaims a Creator: (Rom 1:19-20)

A. Universal Order demands a Designer. (John 1:3)

1. Law of Causality:

Something Cannot Come from Nothing! (2 Pet 3:3-5)

B. The Natural Laws Proclaim a Creator: (Ps 19:1-6)

1st Law of Thermodynamics – The Law of Conservation

Energy can be changed from one form to another, but it cannot be created or destroyed. (Gen 1:31-2:3)

2nd Law of Thermodynamics – The Law of Increasing

Entropy. Everything tends from a state of order to disorder or increased Entropy.

(Heb 1:10-11)(Is 40:7-8)(Ps 102:26) (Is 51:6)

The Law of Angular Momentum: (Ps 8:3; 33:6)

2 Planets spin backwards

8 out 91 known moons spin in the opposite direction.

II. Man's Universal Desire to Worship: (Rom 1:21-25)

(Prov 21:2)

III. But why Jehovah God?

A. He made first Contact:

1. He came to me: (Lk 19:10)

2. He sought me: (Rom 5:8)

3. He died for me: (Rom 5:8)

4. He asks me to live for Him: (Lk 20:38)

5. He paid my Sin debt for me: (1 Pet 2:24)

6. He is building a place for me: (John 14:2-3)

B. He Gave Me His Word:

It Has Proven Itself To Be True: HOW?

Cover this in detail Next Week!

1. It Claims to be True: (2 Tim 3:16) (2 Pet 1:21)

No mistakes or contradictions. – Has to be from God.

2. History & Science: 100% accurate

(Isaiah 40:22) Round Earth 2000 years prior to Columbus
(Job 40:15-24) Behemoth/Dinosaurs Job 41

3. Jesus said it was true: (Jn 17:17)

4. It has made a difference in me! (Ps 19:7-8)

5. It Saved My Soul: (1 Pet 1:23)

C. I am Different Because of Him: (2 Cor 5:17)

1. He Saved Me from My Sins: How do I know?

2. He Lives in my Heart: (Rom 8:16)

3. God Convicts Me of My Sins: (Heb 12:5-13)

4. God has changed me by Changing My Desires:
(Eph 2:1-10) (2 Pet 1:3-4)

How Did God save Me?

I had trust Him by Faith: (Heb 11:1)

I had to lay down my pride: (1 Pet 5:5b)

I had to stop being my own god: (Heb 11:6)

I had to **Yield** to Him: (2 Chron 30:8)

I had to condemn my self: – “I am a Sinner” (Rom 3:23)

I had to admit it verbally: (Rom 10:9)

I had to receive His forgiveness as a Gift: (Eph 2:8-9)

IV. Why Do you Serve Him:

- A. I am His Child:** (John 1:12)
- B. I am Promised of Everlasting Life:** (Jn 3:16; 6:37)
- C. I Love Him:** (Jn 14:15)
- D. God Answers My Prayers:** (Ps 3:4)
- E. He did not leave me alone:** (Jn 14:6-8)
- F. He works out everything for my Good:** (Rom 10:28)

Won't you respond to Him.
Don't shut Him out!

(Rev 3:20)
(2 Tim 1:12)

What About You? Do you believe in God?
(James 2:19) Satan says he believes.

Does your Obedience Prove your Belief?

All other Religions teach: "Do to Get" "*Do to be loved.*"
Real Faith: "Do B/c You Already Have His love"
(James 2:17-26)

Does Your Life Prove Out your Faith to be Real?

(Rom 12:1-2) "*that ye may prove*"

DO you Pray Like He is Real?
DO you Read the Bible Like He is Real?
Do you Attend Church Like He is Real?
DO you Tithe Like He is Real?
DO you Witness Like He is Real?

Do you REALLY believe in God?

Why do you believe in God?
When did you start believing in God?

How about today? (Heb 11:6) "*Seek Him*"

That tug in your heart today is Him trying to get your attention.