

Is the Book of Genesis Trustworthy?

Discussion Questions

1. What convinced you to believe that God created everything?
2. If you were to give someone proof that Genesis is true, what would it be?
3. Why is it important to accept a 6 day account of creation with a day being a literal 24 hour period as described in Genesis?
4. Have you ever found it hard to accept the stories of Genesis to be true? Why or why not? If you did, what brought you around to believing it as true?
5. Why do we have to believe Genesis is true to be able to believe the rest of the Bible as true? What is the connection?
6. If you were to come up with a list of things that a god must be able to do, qualities and characteristics he must have and characteristics he must not have, what would they be?
7. What would your opinion be of a god who either was created or had an ending?
8. What impact does God being eternal have on your viewpoint of God?
9. In what ways does God creating everything out of nothing blow your mind? In what ways does this support your view of who God should be?
10. How does God meet all the requirements of who God should be? Does any other god do this?
11. What does creation tell us about its Creator?
12. What does it mean to be created in the image of God?
13. Why does God give humans responsibility over His creation?
14. Read Romans 5:12. How did we all sin when Adam did? Why is this important to understand?
15. Why does God keep showing grace to His people when they mess up? Which story from Genesis of God's grace is your favorite?
16. Read Genesis 9:11. What covenant did God make with Noah?
17. Read Genesis 2:2-3. What covenant did God make with Abraham? Why is this particular covenant important?
18. How does viewing everything in the world, including the stuff you call yours, as God's help you to be generous with what you have?
19. How does it make you feel that God owns you? Why do you feel that way?
20. What purpose has God given you? Why does He give us purpose?