

Christian Worldview  
The beginning  
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Worldview definition: “A foundational set of \_\_\_\_\_ to which one commits that serves as a framework for understanding and interpreting reality and deeply shapes one’s behavior.”

Assumption – an underlying \_\_\_\_\_ that is presupposed or presumed in advance of careful reason and reflection.

Faith – Trust in and \_\_\_\_\_ to a set of core worldview beliefs or in a person.

Reason – The process of \_\_\_\_\_ and then supporting, modifying, or rejecting particular presuppositions.

Worldviews are formed through a series of \_\_\_\_\_ that can run the extent from very positive to very negative.

A Christian worldview is “A foundational set of assumptions which are derived from \_\_\_\_\_ concepts and principals to which one commits that serves as a framework for understanding and interpreting reality and that deeply shapes one’s behavior.”

**What can an understanding of worldview do for my life? 3 responses:**

1. An understanding of worldview can give us internal stability by providing \_\_\_\_\_ about what we believe.
2. It gives us is the ability to \_\_\_\_\_ our beliefs in the face of opposition.
3. It gives us the ability to make a difference in \_\_\_\_\_ and in other people’s lives.

How we look at any situation is influenced by how we look at the world at large and what’s \_\_\_\_\_ to us.

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## HOMEWORK

1. What is the working definition of faith as used in this series?
2. Worldviews are formed through what?
3. What is the series definition of a Christian worldview?
4. In class you were given 3 responses to the question “Just what can an understanding of worldview do for my life?” – which one did you find to be the most valuable? Why?