

**FOUR
CRUCIAL
QUESTIONS**





ORIGIN

Where did I come from?

PURPOSE

Why am I here?

MORALITY

How should I live?

DESTINY

Where am I headed?



Where Did I Come From?

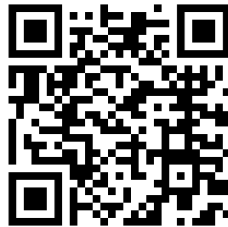
For the week of January 7, 2023
Series: 4 Crucial Questions - Week 1

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REVIEW

Pastor Mikel Cowie began our new series called “4 Crucial Questions” looking at the question “Where did I come from?” We saw that we can be confident that God exists and that He is the one who created not only us but also the universe we live in. We explored some of the vastness of the Universe and the bigness of God. We learnt that the God who made us calls us into a relationship with him, and because we could not get to him he came down to us.

Why Am I Here?

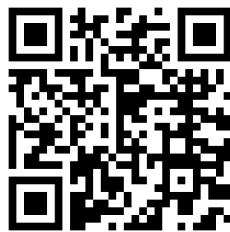
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REVIEW

Pastor Michael continued in the second week of our 4 Crucial Questions series looking at the question. "Why Am I Here? We learned that the bible actually speaks to this question. We find that we were made to Glorify God and to connect with God.

MY STORY



1. When you were a kid what did you want to be when you are up?

2. If you were to describe the meaning or purpose of life, how would you describe it?

3. What would your family and friends say is the driving force of your life? What do you want it to be?

DIGGING DEEPER



1. Read Isaiah 49:4a. The writer is expressing how they are feeling, have you ever felt like this before? What was your response to this feeling?

TAKE IT HOME

1. In spite of all the distractions from the world around me, how can I remind myself that life is really about living for God, not myself?

2. Where in my daily routine can I become more aware and live out God's purpose for me to glorify Him and connect with Him?

**“It’s in Christ that we find out who we are and what we are living for... part of the overall purpose He is working out in everything and everyone.”
Ephesians. 1:11-12 (Msg)**

PRAYER



How Should I Live?

For the week of January 21, 2023
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REVIEW

Pastor Michael Voll continued in our 4 Crucial Questions series addressing the question. "How Should I Live?" We learned that God's character is the objective foundation for moral values and how we should live. God is perfect love, kindness and mercy. Apart from him these are subjective ideas only. God's moral standard flows from His unchanging nature. Because God's nature is perfect and holy, He cannot sin, so his standard is objective and constant. God's character is the standard of our morality, not our feelings or preferences. He has set the bar high, but thanks to God he has also made a way that we can measure up through Jesus Christ.

MY STORY

1. When you think of Morality what do you think of?

2. Why should we endeavour to live moral lives?

3. What is the difference between objective morality and subjective morality.

4. Where do you find your foundation for objective morality?

DIGGING DEEPER

Read Romans 12:1-3.

1. What does it mean to be conformed to the patterns of this world? How does this relate to Morality and how we are to live?

2. Are there any patterns of the world that you find you are tempted to conform to?

3. What does it mean to be transformed by the renewing of your mind?

4. Read Philippians 4:4-9. How can we have our minds renewed? How might this transform our lives?

5. Read Ephesians 2:1-10. What insight does this passage give you into the differences between living in the morality of the world and living in the morality of God?

6. How is it possible for you to not live the worlds way?

7. What is the benefit of living God's way?

TAKE IT HOME

1. How does the fact that there is no way we can measure up to God's standard (Romans 3:23) yet God still made a way to be in right standing with him (2 Corinthians 5:21) affect the way we live and conduct our selves?

2. What is one thing you know you need to address in terms of living a moral life?

"It matters how we live. This world is not an accident, and we are not accidents. God created all things, including you and me. We are made in the image of God on purpose and for purpose. We are made to glorify God in our lives and to know Him, to reconnect with him. God's character is the standard of our morality, not our feelings or preferences. He has set the bar high, but thanks to God he has also made a way that we can measure up through Jesus Christ."

~Pastor Michal Voll~



Where Am I Headed?

For the week of January 28, 2023
Series: 4 Crucial Questions - Week 4

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REVIEW

Pastor Michael Voll concluded our “4 Crucial Questions” series with the question “Where am I headed?” Which is the question of destiny. The way we think about our destiny determine how we live daily. All of us will live eternally, because that’s how we were created and designed by God. According to Jesus, there is a resurrection for ALL PEOPLE to life or to condemnation. We will have life one way or the other-either with God or without God. Jesus wants our hearts and minds to be settled that there is a place for those who choose him and trust in him. He paid the price on the cross for you to be with him. We are all going to live forever. We must simply choose if we want that to be with God in heaven, or without God in Hell.



Read Matthew 7:13-14

1. What's your first response to this passage? How does it make you feel?

2. Why is the path to heaven—which Jesus refers to as “God’s Kingdom” in this passage—so narrow and difficult?

3. Why is the path to hell so broad and wide and easy to find?

4. Read John 5:24-29. What do you think Jesus is referring to when he says “those who have done good” and “Those who have done evil.”?

TAKE IT HOME

1. How might people live differently if they truly believed heaven and hell were real places. What about you personally?

2. How might knowing that everyone will spend eternity in one place or the other affect your relationships?

3. Who has God put in your life that may not know the truths about eternity? What can you do about it?

“For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life.”

~John 3:16~

PRAYER

Make a list of some of the people you know who don't yet know Jesus. Take some time to pray as a group and at home for these people.

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