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Introduction to "Know Why You Believe What You Believe"

No matter what conclusions you may come to about life, yourself, people, religion, or what is morally right or wrong, to name a few. It is essential to know and understand "why" you believe it.

Without this knowledge, it will be simple for people to manipulate you into their way of thinking, or you could end up allowing your emotions to think for you. In either case, you will never know why you believe something because the ability to think critically has been removed.

Being able to think critically allows you to objectively take a step back and examine the source of information and ask questions like why or how to get to the actual truth.

- With all this in mind, let's jump into this discussion with a few questions.
- What does the word truth mean to you, and is there such a thing as an absolute truth?
- What do you believe is the origin of the human race?
- How do you explain what is morally right or wrong objectively or without an objective law giver?
- What do you believe about Christianity?
- What do you think or believe about other religious groups that appear to have some of the same principles that you would find with the Christian belief? *{In answer to this last bullet point review the following passages.}*

Romans 1:18-22; Romans 2:14-16 (Amplified version),

Acts 17:26-31 (Complete Jewish Bible version).

Ecclesiastes 3:11 (Complete Jewish Bible, Amplified versions)