

MEET THE **SKEPTIC** / presentations

A FIELD GUIDE TO FAITH CONVERSATIONS

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A New Model for Engaging Skeptics

Develop a mental toolbox for engaging skeptics: learn what to expect in a conversation; identify the 4 kinds of skepticism; dig up Root Ideas; and clarify the language of objections.

SPIRITUAL Skepticism*

Can being “spiritual” or “religious” provide the eternal freedom humanity desires? Discover why self-made spirituality and the “Isms” can not carry us up a stairway to heaven.

MORAL Skepticism

Understand the two kinds of truth and how the culture mixes them up. Prepare to recognize and unravel the convoluted thinking of moral relativism and the non-peaceful world to which it leads.

SCIENTIFIC Skepticism*

Learn about the blind faith and bankrupt theory behind naturalistic science. Understand why biblically informed faith is scientific and why evolution disqualifies itself as a valid theory.

BIBLICAL Skepticism

If God gave us a book, how would we really know it came from him? Reshape the skeptics’ popular perception of the Bible and learn how to rebuild the Bible’s credibility.

**More than one session available.
Ask about the presentation option(s)
that best suite your emphasis.*

TIMELY topics

Getting Real with Homosexuality*

Insights into the nature vs. nurture debate of this sensitive issue. A survey of the most famous studies, vital statistics, and biblical responses to pro-homosexual theology and rhetoric.

6 Reasons Why 6 Days Makes Sense*

Few subjects generate more passion among believers and non-believers alike than Genesis 1. There is a growing trend to interpret it in a way that accommodates the latest secular scientific claims. Understand why this compromise is not only unnecessary and textually flawed, but theologically destructive.

Art and the Biblical Worldview

Art is both a powerful influence on the thinking of the culture as well as a barometer of it. Should any form of expression be considered “art”? Take a tour of some famous and not so famous works of art and see how beauty is related to goodness and truth.

You Don’t Read the Bible LITERALLY, Do You?

Christians are often ridiculed for reading the Bible “literally,” but what does that mean? Understanding it’s various literary forms not only clarifies our own reading but equips us to respond to skeptical scrutiny of the Bible.

Meet the Trinity

Is the Trinity a contradiction? Is it incomprehensible? Are books like *The Shack* harmful or helpful in explaining it? Become informed about what Scripture says concerning the Trinity and be able to recognize erroneous teaching that leads to flawed theology.

Revelation: Making Sense of the Symbols

Does the Bible offer any clues about how to interpret Revelation, or are we left to impose a template on it from the outside? Using Scripture to consistently interpret the symbols is a key to unlocking this difficult book.

Governmentism

All forms of government are not created equal. What does the Bible have to say about the validity of economic theories such as Marxism and Capitalism? Which one is the most Godly system for human endeavor?

What is Typology and Why Does it Matter?

Learn how this God-inspired literary device in the Bible can sharpen your theology and add depth to your understanding of Scripture.