

Culture Clash

Understanding the Influence of Culture for More Effective Evangelism

Reclaiming a Christian Worldview

Handout 4

- Recognizing a Christian Worldview -

- Knowing Scripture
 - Reading
 - Studying
 - Prayer
 - Memorization
- **2 Timothy 3:12-17, Joshua 1:8-9, Hebrews 4:12, Psalm 119:10-11**
- Examine everything for truth
 - **1 John 4:1-6, Acts 17:11, Acts 24:3-14, 1 Thessalonians 5:20-22**



- Reclaiming a Christian Worldview -

- Barriers
 - False Ideas - "False ideas are the greatest obstacle to the reception of the gospel." - J. Gresham Machen
 - Isolationism - keeping out opposing ideas
 - Anti-intellectualism - Thinking and reasoning is not the antithesis of faith.
Matthew 22:37
- Methods
 - Live authentically
 - Actively engage the culture
2 Corinthians 10:4-6
 - Missionaries
Romans 10:13-15
 - Ambassadors
2 Corinthians 5:20
 - Pre-evangelism
Acts 17:22-34