

Two Worldviews! Everyone is following one or the other.

Sociological Framework	Biblical Framework
<p>Creation The universe and people evolved over 18 billion years from nothing.</p> <p>Moral Relativism Every principle, every choice of lifestyle is reduced to personal preference.</p> <p>Multiculturalism All cultures and lifestyles are morally equivalent and equally affirmed.</p> <p>Pragmatism Actions and policies are judged by effectiveness.</p> <p>Utopianism Human nature is basically good and will achieve perfection through man's efforts.</p> <p>This-World Perspective This universe is %all there is.+ There is no supernatural being or other reality. In reality those with this worldview will spend eternity in hell.</p>	<p>Creation God created the heavens and earth and all living things including people in 7 days.</p> <p>Moral Absolutes God has spoken and delivered His standards. These standards do not change.</p> <p>Cultural Diversity All cultural practices are judged by God's truth. All individuals need a Savior.</p> <p>Idealism God's standards are revealed and absolute for every action and policy.</p> <p>Biblical Hope Human nature is sinful. Only God redeems and brings about righteousness.</p> <p>Eternal Perspective This universe will be destroyed and then renewed in perfection by its Creator. All who have believed in Jesus as their Savior will be with Jesus forever with supernatural bodies in the new heaven and earth.</p>

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