

Our One Consuming Passion

Behold His Wonders

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1. Is your concept of the universe _____ or _____?

a. Closed = There is no _____

b. Open = God is, and He is _____

Jesus heals a man born blind. (*John 9:1-34*)

2. Jesus' miracles:

a. Reveal _____ over what is natural.

i. Nature

ii. Disease

iii. Demons

iv. Material Things

v. Death

b. Reveal _____ that brings glory to God.

c. Reveal _____ consistent with
God's character:

3. Jesus' miracles:

a. Proved his _____.

b. Demonstrated his _____.

c. Stirred up _____.

d. Showed _____.

e. Rewarded _____.

f. Fulfilled _____.

g. Displayed the _____ of God.

4. Miracles are referred to as "signs and wonders".

"Signs and wonders" give direction/point you somewhere.

a. They point us to _____.

b. Jesus points us to _____ and _____.

(*John 20:24-30, Revelation 21:1-7*)

Further Reading: *I Don't Have Enough Faith to be an Atheist* by Norman Geisler and Frank Turek

LifeGroup Questions:

1. Did your parents believe in the supernatural?
2. Did your educational experience expose you to the possibility of the supernatural?

Albert Einstein said: "There are two ways to live life. One is as though nothing is a miracle. The other is as though everything is a miracle."

3. Why do you think Einstein said this? What end of the spectrum do you see yourself at?
4. Why do you think so many people have trouble believing in miracles?

Read John 1:1-14

5. When did John say that Jesus began his work? What does this say about Jesus? What does this say about God and Jesus?
6. Reread verse 14. What are some of the deep truths revealed in this verse?
7. Verse 14 says "he made his dwelling among us." What are the implications for those of us who follow Jesus as servant leaders to others?

Prayer: Ask God to reveal the wonder and glory of Jesus in and through your life.