

7 Critical Doctrines of Christianity – Study Outline

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Introduction: One God The Father

The Bible does not directly seek to prove there is a God. It begins with the assumption God is (Gen. 1:1). Mankind has up until recently mankind has never denied the concept of God (Acts 17:16-31), But rather held to many gods.

1. One God verses many Gods

- a. Joshua 24:14-15**
- b. Isaiah 37: 14-20**
- c. Isaiah 44:12-17**
- d. Romans 1:18-23**
- e. I Thess. 1:8-9**
- f. I Tim. 2:5**
- g. Matthew 6:25-34**

2. Three-In-One Concept of God

- a. Gen. 1:1 Elohim (Plural)**
- b. Col. 1:15-17 (Christ Jesus)**
- c. John 1:1-3 & 1:14 (Christ Jesus)**
- d. John 14:26 & John 16:13-16 (Holy Spirit)**
- e. Matthew 3:16-17 (Father-Son & Holy Spirit)**
- f. Matthew 17:3-5 (Father & Son)**

3. The Father Image Of God

- a. Matthew 6:9 Hears Our Petitions**
- b. Romans 8:15 Adoption**
- c. I Peter 5:7 Cares For Us**
- d. II Peter 2:9 Protects & Delivers**
- e. Matthew 6:33 Provides**
- f. John 14:1-3 A Place In His Home**

- 4. He Planned Our Redemption**
 - a. The Father Is The Planner John 3:16**
 - b. The Son Is The Sacrifice I Peter 1:18-19**
 - c. Spirit Gives Life Titus 3:5**
 - d. These Three Are One I John 5:7**

Conclusion: We have a Father in Heaven whose loves us and wants the very best for us. We must as obedient children not fashion our lives after the works of the flesh, but rather the fruits of the Spirit. Who guides us into all truth.