

Postmodernism and the Death of Truth: Why It Matters for Christianity

"There is no absolute truth."

This single idea **defines postmodernism**—and it has become the foundation of modern culture.

We see it everywhere:

- ☞ Morality is fluid.
- ☞ Identity is self-defined.
- ☞ Religion is just a personal preference.
- ☞ The Bible? Just another story among many.

The postmodern world doesn't reject Christianity because it's outdated. It rejects Christianity because it **dares to claim absolute truth**.

What Is Postmodernism?

Postmodernism isn't just a philosophy—it's a mindset that has reshaped **how people think about reality, truth, and faith**.

At its core, postmodernism claims:

- ✗ **There are no objective truths—only perspectives.**
- ✗ **Reality is socially constructed, not absolute.**
- ✗ **Religion is a personal experience, not a universal truth.**

This is why many today say things like:

- ✂ *"Your truth is different from my truth."*
- ✂ *"The Bible is just a cultural document."*
- ✂ *"Christianity worked for the past, but we've evolved beyond it."*

But here's the problem:

If **everything is relative**, then **nothing is reliable**.

Why Postmodernism Collapses Under Its Own Weight

The irony of postmodernism is that it **refutes itself**.

- ✂ It claims **there is no absolute truth**—but is that statement **absolutely true**?
- ✂ It says **words have no fixed meaning**—but should we believe the words of postmodernists?
- ✂ It argues that **all beliefs are equally valid**—but rejects Christianity for claiming exclusivity.

The moment postmodernism **makes any claim of truth, it betrays itself**.

Why This Matters for Christianity

The **Gospel is built on absolute truth**:

"I am the way, the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me."
(John 14:6)

But postmodernism teaches:

- ⊖ "There is no one way to God."
- ⊖ "Truth is subjective."
- ⊖ "Faith is a personal feeling, not an objective reality."

This is why many Christians today:

- ⚠ Hesitate to call sin what it is.
- ⚠ Downplay difficult doctrines to be more "inclusive."
- ⚠ Avoid hard conversations to keep the peace.

But Christianity is **not a flexible system of beliefs** that bends to culture. It is a **revealed truth** that remains unshaken, no matter how much society evolves.

How Should Christians Respond?

Postmodernism isn't going away. But instead of retreating, we must **equip ourselves and engage culture with clarity**.

- ◇ **Hold fast to biblical truth**—Don't soften Scripture to make it more palatable.
 - ◇ **Engage with love and reason**—People don't need arrogance; they need answers.
 - ◇ **Live in boldness, not fear**—The Gospel is exclusive, but it is also **life-giving**.

Paul's warning to Timothy is just as relevant today:

"For the time will come when people will not put up with sound doctrine. Instead, to suit their own desires, they will gather around them a great number of teachers to say what their itching ears want to hear." (2 Timothy 4:3)

Postmodernism **isn't just an intellectual trend**—it's a direct assault on **the authority of Scripture and the nature of truth itself**.

The question is: **Will the Church stand firm, or will it drift?**

💬 **Where do you see postmodern thinking creeping into modern Christianity? Let's discuss.** 🖱️

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