



THE 7 BIG QUESTIONS

DISCUSSION GUIDE

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Session Two:

Is There a God?

Big Idea

We can explore the existence of God through nature, philosophy, history, and personal experience—and all signs point to an intelligent, intentional Creator who wants to be known personally.

Opening Icebreaker

What's the most awe-inspiring natural wonder you've ever seen?

- (Grand Canyon? A thunderstorm? A mountain sunrise?)

What did it stir in you?

Read Together

- Genesis 1:1 – “In the beginning, God created the heavens and the earth.”
- Psalm 19:1 – “The heavens declare the glory of God, and the sky above proclaims his handiwork.”
- Isaiah 40:26
- 1 Peter 3:18

Discussion Questions

1. The Natural Argument:

“If there's design, there's a Designer.”

- What feat of nature has ever made you think: “This can't be random”?
- Why do you think nature often stirs spiritual curiosity in people?
- Does the idea of a “fine-tuned universe” strengthen your belief in God? Why or why not?

Do you feel like science and faith are at odds with each other, why or why not?

2. The Philosophical Argument:

“There’s a moral law...so is there a moral Lawgiver?”

- C.S. Lewis argued that our sense of right and wrong points to God. Do you agree?
- Where do you think our sense of morality comes from if not from God?
- Why do we long for justice—even when it doesn’t benefit us?

3. The Historical Argument:

“History hinges on Abraham, Jesus, and the resurrection.”

- Why is the story of Abraham significant across so many world religions?
- The resurrection of Jesus is widely supported even among skeptical scholars—does that challenge or reinforce your view of Christianity?
- What stands out to you about fulfilled prophecies like Isaiah 53 or Psalm 22?

4. The Experiential Argument:

“God doesn’t just want belief. He wants relationship.”

- Have you ever had a personal experience that made you feel like God was real?
- What would it look like to move from exploring God to experiencing Him?

Application Challenge

Take a step beyond curiosity this week.

- Read a gospel chapter (like John 1 or Luke 7) and ask God to reveal Himself.
- Reflect on nature this week—intentionally—and ask, “What is this showing me about its Creator?”
- Write a short prayer asking God to help you take a step toward Him, even if you’re still exploring.

Prayer Time

Invite your group to respond personally.

- Ask God to open your eyes to His presence—in creation, in history, in your life.
- Pray for courage to explore, and openness to experience.
- Lift up specific doubts or questions people may have.