

Champions Arise Study Guide

Series: The Four Priorities

Priority #4 – A personal, progressive commitment to the work of Christ in the world

Program #CA 37 (TFP4) – The Christian Worldview

Focus passage – John 14:6: *“I am the Way, the Truth, and the Life. No one comes to the Father, except through Me”*

1) Have you had a friend, relative, or coworker try to convince you that you should follow their view of life? What did you do?

2) In your own words, what does it mean to have worldview?

“A worldview is the combination of our values, beliefs, preferences, and prejudices.”
Dr. John Tolson and Larry Krieder

3) What is the difference between having a worldview and living by that worldview?

“But don’t just listen to God’s word. You must do what it says. Otherwise, you are only fooling yourselves.” James 1:22. [NLT]

4) What often happens when men don’t live by their biblical worldview?

5) What are two reasons living a biblical worldview isn’t always easy?

1. _____

2. _____

“The LORD is my rock, my fortress, and my Savior; my God is my rock, in whom I find protection. He is my shield, the power that saves me, and my place of safety.”

Psalm 18:12

Commitment: I commit to living my life by the standards of the Bible.

The Christian Worldview – LEADER’S GUIDE

1. Thank everyone for coming.
2. Open in prayer
3. Read the focus passage.
4. Ask men to answer Question #1. Examples could include religious views, someone wanting them to smoke or take illegal drugs, temptations for illicit sex, or politics.
5. Listen to the program: “The Christian Worldview”
6. After the program is finished, allow time for comments or questions on the program
7. Review the answers to the four remaining questions with the men in the group. Encourage everyone to participate, but never force or shame someone into participating.
 - a. Question #2 answer: Have the men share what they believe a “worldview” is.
 - b. Question #3 answer: We say we believe something, but our actions are contrary to what we say we believe.
 - c. Question #4 answer: They lead an increasingly sinful and flesh-driven life.
 - d. Question #5 answer: 1) Circumstances in life can challenge our beliefs.
2) The world tempts and pressures us to live according to its rules.
8. Ask the men what was most important to them from this teaching.
9. Ask the men to help each other live according to a biblical worldview.
10. Confirm the time for the next meeting
11. Take prayer requests.
12. Close in prayer

Sample prayer: Almighty God, please show us where we are straying from your Word and help us to live by biblical truth. In Jesus name, Amen.