

Kerygma Cube

How to walk a person through the Gospel of Jesus Christ

Instructions

(Use the arrows on the cube to help you see how to open the pictures!)

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Show 'Man in Sin' separated from 'God'



- This light (point to the right side) represents God.
- God is perfect and without sin.
- God loves us!
- God doesn't want us to perish, but to have everlasting life.
- But our sins must be removed in order to have eternal life with God.
- This figure (point to the left side) represents every person - like you and me.
- The darkness represents our sin.
- Sin is anything that God tells us not to do.
- The Bible says "all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God." (Rom. 3:23)
- Our sins separate us from God.

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Open to 'Christ on the Cross'



- God loved us so much that He sent His only Son Jesus Christ to earth as a man.
- God sent Jesus to die on a cross to pay for our sins with His blood. He bore our sins in His body on the cross so that we could come to God (1 Peter 2:24, 3:18).
- The Bible also says that "God so loved the world that He gave His one and only Son Jesus, that whoever believes in Him shall not perish, but have everlasting life." (John 3:16)
- The Bible says, "God demonstrates His own love for us, in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us." (Romans 5:8)

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Open to the 'Tomb'

- Men buried Jesus in a tomb.
- They rolled a huge stone in front of it.
- Soldiers guarded the tomb.



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Open to 'Risen Christ'



- By His own power, Jesus raised himself from the dead and appeared to hundreds of witnesses.
- Soon afterward, Jesus ascended into heaven.
- Jesus has paid the price for our sin, and Jesus has conquered death.

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Open to 'Cross Bridge'



- Jesus is the only way we can come to God.
- Jesus said in the Bible, "I am the way, and the truth, and the life; no one comes to the Father [God] except through Me." (John 14:6)
- Through Jesus, we can be forgiven of all our sins and be with God forever.
- But just **knowing** about these things is not enough! We must choose to put our **faith** in Jesus - to **trust** in Him to save us from sin.
- Faith without works is dead. (James 2:17)
- One must keep God's commandments. (Matt 19:17)

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Open to 'Heaven & Hell'



- The Bible says that whoever believes in Jesus has **eternal life**. But whoever does not believe in Jesus has been judged already and the **wrath of God** remains upon him! (John 3:16, 18, 36)
- The penalty for sin is death, but eternal life through Jesus is a free gift from God.
- **What choice will you make?**
- Trust in Jesus Christ to be forgiven and have eternal life? (point to 'heaven')
- Or reject Jesus Christ and suffer eternal punishment in fire? (point to 'hell')

Act of Consecration

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Ask the person if they would like to give their lives to Jesus right then and there. If yes, continue to step 8.

Act of Consecration Cont.

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O Lord My God, I thank You for the gift of my life, and for the gift of Your boundless love for me.

Yet I know that many times I have sinned against You and I am truly sorry. I know that You still love me, despite my sins, and have even sent Your only Son to die for me, that I might be saved from sin and hell.

Today, I say "yes" to Your love, revealed in Your Son Jesus. I give my life to You, Lord, and ask You to fill me with Your Holy Spirit.

Lord Jesus, come and be enthroned in my heart as King. Rule my thoughts, words, and actions, so that I might live as Your disciple for the rest of my life. Amen.

To get back to the starting cube position again, just open the "Heaven and Hell" picture!

Steps for Followers of Christ!

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When the KerygmaCube is in the starting position, on the back side is this image. Use it to help the new believer grow in Christ!



LOVE God and all people.

"You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind. This is the great and foremost commandment. And a second is like it: you shall love your neighbor as yourself." (Matt. 22:36-40)



STUDY the Bible (God's Word) daily.

Start with the gospel of John; read 1 chapter each day. "Like newborn babes, long for the pure milk of the word, that by it you may grow in respect to salvation..." (1 Peter 2:2)

"If anyone loves Me, he will keep My word" Jesus in (John 14:23)



PRAY to God constantly.

In prayer you can thank and worship God, ask for His help, confess your sins, and pray for others. "Be anxious for nothing, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving, let your requests be made known to God." (Phil. 4:6-7)



JOIN the church founded by Jesus Christ.

Jesus Christ founded the Catholic Church upon Peter in Matt 16:18. Jesus protects His Church from error on matters of faith and morals and promised he would be with it until the end of the world. (Matt. 28:20)



TELL others the good news about Jesus.

God wants us to tell other people how to have Eternal Life with God by trusting in Jesus to save them from sin. You can use this paper when you talk to others about Jesus! "And He (Jesus) said to them, 'Go into all the world, and preach the gospel to all creation.'" (Mark 16:15)