

Evangelism and Polytheism?

WHAT IS POLYTHEISM?

Belief In Or Worship Of More Than One god. (see Exodus 12:12. 18:11).

In Ancient Days Past, And So Still Today, People Have Formed gods In Their Mind To Help Them Figure Out The Meaning Of Their Lives.

Today, With The Greater Scientific Understanding Of **GOD'S Marvelous Creation**, The Worship Of Stars, Sun, Moon, Rivers, And Seas, Has Proven Foolish, At Best.

And So Has The Worship Of Man In His Finiteness. For All Have Discovered Themselves To Be No gods.

IN THE BEGINNING THERE WAS ONLY ONE SELF-EXISTENT AND ETERNAL GOD! "IN THE BEGINNING GOD!" Genesis 1:1.

HE CREATED ALL THAT CAME INTO EXISTENCE. "CREATED THE HEAVENS AND THE EARTH!"

But Adam & Eves' Intelligent Mind Was Corrupted By **"THE KNOWLEDGE OF GOOD AND EVIL"**

From That Moment On, Adam And Eve, And ALL Their Descendants, Would Often Have A Corrupted View Of **CREATOR GOD**.

IN THE BEGINNING CREATOR GOD CREATED MAN IN HIS OWN IMAGE!

From The Fall Into Disobedience on, Mankind Would Often create god in their own image. (Gen 31:30)

In the Image of Man, Man Created his own gods, for his own purposes, in his own culture's, with his own ideas & lifestyles to fit. (Ex 32:1-4).

Since They Ran And Hid From Their **CREATOR GOD**, they often would not call on **HIM** for what they needed. So they formed Idols and gave their Soul to them for material things they desired. (Gen 3).

Mankind wanted fertility and agricultural productivity, and made

up a fertility god they called baal, and molech, and exalted him on the high places. Mankind even laid their children in fire pits and on the alters of their foreign gods.

Mankind still does that today, but we call our prosperity gods "Pro-Choice." Doesn't it have a sweet ring on the ears? (see Ex 34:14-17).

Today We Have Everything Money Can Buy To Ensure Fertility And Productivity, So Modern Man Worships The almighty dollar in all it's names across the world.

JESUS CHRIST Said In Matthew 6:24 That Man Could Not Worship **2 gods**.

"NO ONE CAN SERVE 2 MASTERS, EITHER HE WILL HATE THE ONE AND LOVE THE OTHER, OR HE WILL BE DEVOTED TO THE ONE AND DESPISE THE OTHER. YOU CANNOT SERVE BOTH GOD AND MONEY." —Matt 6:24.

In Light Of This Principal Fact, Can Anyone Be Truly Polytheistic? **NO!** Not Really Devoted!

The Bottom Line Is They worship One god and have Become gods unto themselves and what works for them. (see Acts 7:40)

So When People Come To You Saying They Worship Many gods, Simply Understand That They Worship Themselves And What Is Convenient For Them.

Then Take Them Back To The Beginning before man started creating gods and mythologies. And if they are mind tripping, read to them Matt 11:25-30...

"IT THAT TIME JESUS ANSWERED AND SAID, I THANK THEE, O FATHER, LORD OF HEAVEN AND EARTH, BECAUSE THOU HAST HID (Concealed Away) THESE THINGS FROM THE WISE (Who Think Their Clear) AND PRUDENT (Shrewd,

Thinking They Have It Mentally Put Together) , **AND HAS REVEALED (uncovering the knowledge to) THEM UNTO BABES (minor's & the simple minded).**

EVEN SO, FATHER: FOR SO (in this way, manner, fashion) IT SEEMED GOOD (well-pleasing) IN THY SIGHT.

ALL THINGS ARE DELIVERED (Surrendered) UNTO ME OF MY FATHER:

AND NO MAN KNOWETH (Being Fully Acquainted With) THE SON, BUT THE FATHER; NEITHER KNOWETH ANY MAN THE FATHER, SAVE THE SON, AND HE TO WHOMSOEVER THE SON WILL REVEAL HIM.

COME UNTO ME, ALL YE THAT LABOR (toil, feel fatigue, wearied) AND ARE HEAVY LADEN (loaded up, over burdened with sin or spiritual anxiety), AND I WILL GIVE YOU REST (repose, exemption, refreshment, ease).

TAKE MY YOKE (coupling, servitude, beam of balance as connecting scales) UPON YOU AND LEARN OF ME; FOR I AM MEEK (gentle, humble) AND LOWLY IN HEART: AND YOU SHALL FIND (obtain, get) REST (intermission, recreation) UNTO YOUR SOULS (psyche, spirit, revived & restored).

FOR MY YOKE IS EASY (employable, useful to help you) AND MY BURDEN IS LIGHT!

Let Them Know That All Must Come To **JESUS CHRIST** Just Like A Child In Belief And Trust For **HIS SAVING GRACE**.

God Is Mentioned 2346 Times In The BIBLE For **The One God!**

The small "god" title (mentioned 244 times) was first promised to Adam by the Serpent! (See Genesis 3:5). (also read 1 Cor 8:4-6. Gal 4:8-9.

Christianity is not polytheistic! Our GOD Is ONE, Yet TRIUNE!

