

How Has Christianity Benefited Our World?

FOR WITH DISCUSSION QUESTIONS



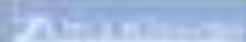
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UNDISCOVERED INFLUENCES

#1 - Battling Infanticide

“You shall not abort a child nor, again, commit infanticide” -The Epistle of Barnabas



#2 - Struggle to End Child Abandonment

“In neither Greek nor Roman literature can one find any feelings of guilt related to abandoning children.” -Alvin Schmidt



#3 - Orphanages and Child Care

- “Religion that God our Father accepts as pure and faultless is this: to look after orphans and widows in their distress” - James 1:27
- “Orphanatrophia” (to care for orphans)

1-Minute Bible Love Notes



George Muller clothed, sheltered, and educated 10,000 orphans without asking for a shilling.

#4 - Hospitals and Health Care

- “Many of our brethren . . . did not spare themselves, but . . . visited the sick without thought of their own peril, and ministered to them assiduously and treated them for their healing in Christ, died from time to time most joyfully . . . drawing upon themselves their neighbors’ diseases.” - Dionysius



Tommy Douglas

#5 - Abolition of Slavery

- “There is neither Jew nor Greek, there is neither slave nor free, there is neither male nor female; for you are all one in Christ Jesus” -Gal. 3:28



William Wilberforce

#6 - Establishing Universities

- “They never stopped teaching.” -Acts 5:42

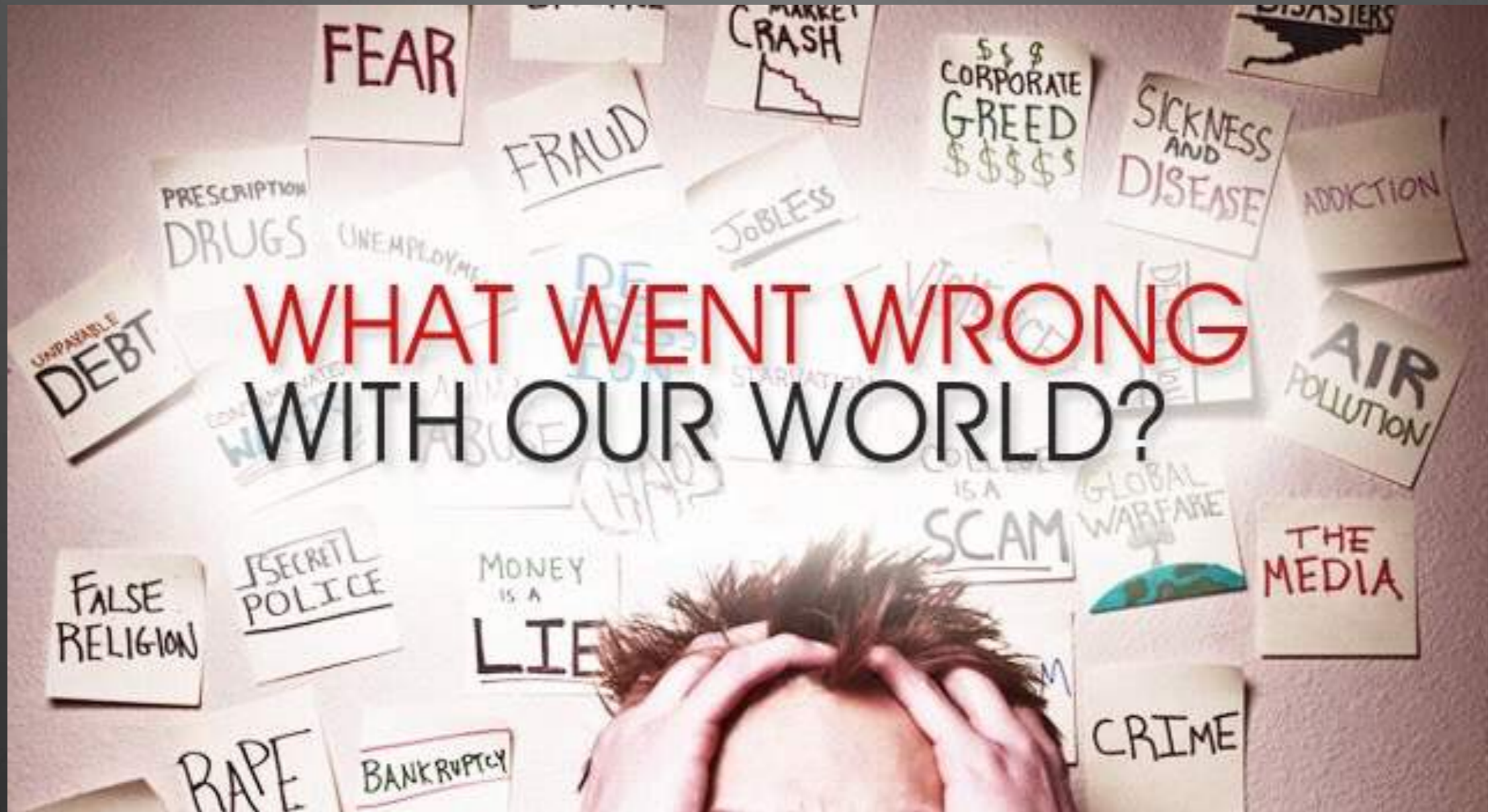


“As an atheist, I truly believe Africa needs God: Missionaries, not aid money, are the solution to Africa’s biggest problem—the crushing passivity of the people’s mindset.”

Matthew Parris



The Radical Change of Jesus Christ



Dear Sirs,

I am.

Sincerely Yours,

G.K Chesterton

GOD *FORMED* US

SIN *DEFORMED* US

JESUS CAN

***TRANSFORM* US**