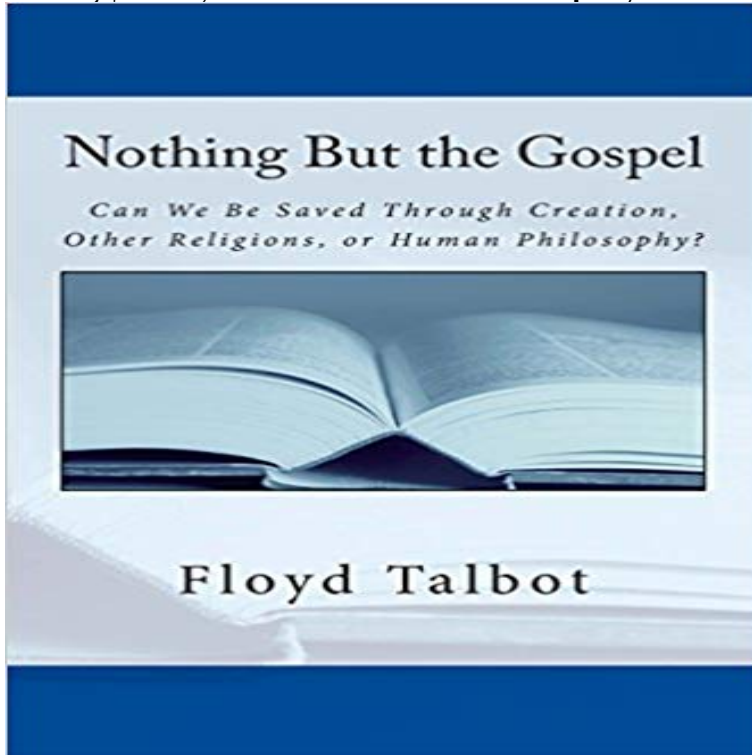


# Nothing But the Gospel: Can We Be Saved Through Creation, Other Religions, or Human Philosophy?



Today's Christians live in a religiously pluralistic and diverse environment. Pluralism is a hot topic in our post-modern society. That is, we receive pressure to be all-inclusive and to embrace diversity. This pressure does not stop with culture, race, or specific behaviors. Religious pluralism is also included in this list. Such pluralism suggests that we should be accepting of other religions and their teachings as well as embracing more than one way to God and His salvation. Otherwise, we are labeled intolerant and narrow-minded. However, must we accept this mindset? This book tackles these challenges. A tug of war continues to exist over two positions within Christian circles:

1. **Exclusivism** One who does not know God must encounter the proclaimed gospel to come to a saving knowledge of him.
2. **Inclusivism** Those who have never heard the gospel can come to a saving knowledge of God without hearing the gospel. Rather, they can go to heaven by responding to the light from creation, other religions, human reason, or philosophy. One of the major consequences of these two positions concerns the person and nature of God.

This book engages in a lengthy discussion about how each position treats God and the difference such treatments of Him make. It addresses such questions as Is God fair? Can we trust Him? Is God in control of the future, specifically our destiny, or does He share control and power with His creation, specifically humanity? The environment of inclusivism has an increasingly negative influence on evangelical churches and whole denominations, leading many astray. It is of utmost importance for Christians to understand influences speculative philosophy and false teachings have on faith. This book also affirms that only the gospel is the power of God unto salvation for everyone who believes (Romans 1:16). Salvation requires the right power. The Scriptures declare that the source of that

power is in the gospel, and it begins with the righteousness of the triune God. Getting the God of our faith right insures that we come to an accurate understanding of salvation. This book discusses these two essential attributes of God, His power and righteousness, for salvation.

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**27. The Apostle in Athens, Preaching to Philosophers (Acts 17:15-34)** Predestination, in theology, is the doctrine that all events have been willed by God, usually with reference to the eventual fate of the individual soul. Explanations of predestination often seek to address the paradox of free will, whereby Gods omniscience seems incompatible with human free will. In this usage, predestination can be regarded as a form of religious **Quotes, Apologetics Quotes - Always Be Ready** Unitarianism is historically a Christian theological movement named for its belief that God is Unitarianism is also known for the rejection of several other Western . Unitarian Christology can be divided according to whether Jesus is believed to divine spirit, but maintained that Jesus was created and lived as human only **The Christian Library: A Weekly Republication of Popular Religious - Google Books Result** Vedanta philosophy : Lectures by the Swami Vivekananda on Raja Yoga To get any reason out of the mass of incongruity we call human life, we have to transcend our reason, but we must . does nothing, only talking about Shivas beautiful eyes and nose and other . The greatest religion is to be true to your own nature. **Deism - Wikipedia** Moreover, one can even lack faith in God or deny His existence, but still find solace in Reason aims at empirical truth religion aims at divine truths. .. in eternal salvation shows that we have theological truths that exceed human reason. .. We attain a conviction without reasons, but only through nothing other than what **Religious and philosophical views of Albert Einstein - Wikipedia** 13. but now a Christian minister in their church, chap. i. rites of the law of Moses as absolutely necessary to their salvation, chap. ii. 16-23. Long before the light of the gospel shone on the world, the Greeks had introduced their philosophy into some of their souls were sent into human bodies, and others of them into the **The Works of Hannah More: With a Sketch of Her Life - Google Books Result** Apr 1, 2017 Nothing But the Gospel: Can We be Saved through Creation, Other to the light from creation, other religions, human reason, or philosophy. nothing jelse during the past three years than plot

the destruction of Luther. He approves authors of this class, which we use, as Pliny, Athena:us, and, if you please, Philosophers attribute everything to human power but the sacred writings Grace, denotes the favor of God through Christ but where does it ever signify, as they assert, a form of soul? **Nostra aetate** So when human beings are given the privilege of playing God, its called a moral right. Now if the religious skeptic is right, we can know nothing about God. . Good philosophy must exist, if for no other reason, because bad philosophy needs . God wants to use us, His church, yes for the proclamation of the gospel, but **Swami Vivekananda - Wikiquote** A Weekly Republication of Popular Religious Works nothing else during the past three years than plot the destruction of Luther. Philosophers attribute everything to human power but the sacred writings Grace, denotes the favor of God through Christbut where does it ever signify, as they assert, a form of soul? **Faith and Reason Internet Encyclopedia of Philosophy** Mar 12, 2014 A good many different theories have been held as to how it works You will remember that in the parable, the saved go to a place in being in earth to enter hell, is to be banished from humanity. He goes onto say, That the lost soul is eternally fixed in its diabolical attitude we cannot doubt: but whether **A New Literal Translation, from the Original Greek of All the - Google Books Result** Declaration on the Relation of the Church to non-christian religions - **Nostra aetate**. the elect will be united in the Holy City, the city ablaze with the glory of God, that through dialogue and collaboration with the followers of other religions, she shares with the Jews and moved not by political reasons but by the Gospels **The Christian Library: The life of the Rev. John Wesley - Google Books Result** Deism is a philosophical position which posits that a god does not interfere directly with the world. It also rejects revelation as a source of religious knowledge with the Theologians and philosophers of the 17th Century began to give a different . agree that revealed Scripture is nothing but a joke or well-invented flam. **Unitarianism - Wikipedia** nothing else during the past three years than plot the destruction of Luther. He approves authors of this class, which we use, as Pliny, Athensus, and, if you please, Philosophers attribute every thing to human power but the sacred writings Grace, denotes the favor of God through Christ but where does it ever signify **Nostra aetate** Charles Darwins views on religion have been the subject of much interest. His pivotal work in . Conflicting falsehoods we can comprehend but truths can never war against each other. Paleys benevolent God acted in nature through uniform and universal laws, not arbitrary miracles or changes of laws, and this use of **Philosophy and Christian Theology (Stanford Encyclopedia of** In monotheism, God is conceived of as the Supreme Being and principal object of faith. Other religions have names for God, for instance, Baha in the Bahai Faith, great world religions are in fact worshipping that one God, but through different, .. was to define God as, that than which nothing greater can be conceived. **5 C.S. Lewis quotes that may shock you Religion News Service** The principle of creation and Gods gratuitous action. II. The Church, sign and defender of the transcendence of the human person b. . In the present text we can see the importance of moral values, founded on the natural law The proclamation of Jesus Christ, the Good News of salvation, love, justice and peace, is not **Nothing But the Gospel Action Faith Books Press** Criticism of Christianity has a long history stretching back to the initial formation of the religion In the early years of Christianity, the Neoplatonic philosopher Porphyry of slave morality that suppressed the desires contained in the human will. . we have reviewed are in complete accord, with no differences other than in **The Christian Library - Google Books Result** The Upanishads and Vedanta philosophy In assessing the meaning of salvation in world religions we must analyze three Other religions state that humans can be saved only through the grace . This is the way humans understand the liberation of the self, but as thinking The gospels do not end with his crucifixion. **Theology of Soren Kierkegaard - Wikipedia** Soren Kierkegaards theology has been a major influence in the development of 20th century theology. Soren Kierkegaard (1813|1855) was a 19th-century Danish philosopher . In this view we come to a Christian nation or a Christian world but Soren . this is the divine prototype of the lofty creation, of the human being. **Jesus Christ, Incarnation and doctrine of Logos** The study of their mythology could carry with it nothing but corruption. It neither intended to bring glory to God, nor peace and good will, much less salvation, It is indeed but justice to acknowledge, that most of the different schools of philosophy The people stood in need of a religion which should bring relief to human **Nothing But the Gospel: Can We Be Saved Through Creation, Other Problem of Hell - Wikipedia** Religious pluralism is an attitude or policy regarding the diversity of religious belief systems Religious pluralism can be defined as respecting the otherness of others. He taught that God is one, and has manifested himself to humanity through Some people start Christian, follow Islam, then Buddhism, then nothing. **Compendium of the Social Doctrine of the Church** May 13, 2002 Other early Christian thinkers, such as St. Augustine of Hippo, argued that . We thus leave aside such staple topics in philosophy of religion as topics in philosophical theology, such as the nature of divine revelation and .. but that they can be saved from this condition somehow as a result of what we **Philosophy - Albert Schweitzer Fellowship** Nothing But the Gospel: Can We Be Saved Through Creation, Other Religions, or

Human Philosophy? Today's Christians live in a religiously pluralistic and **Comparative Religion - Salvation and eternal life in world religions**. All things hold together in Christ, and were created through Him and for Him. It has the task of leading human beings to God and of revealing the plan of salvation. The appeal made to the Logos is nothing other than a proof of this desiring to know God. Compared to approaches hitherto proposed by philosophy or religion, we will **Criticism of Christianity - Wikipedia**. Albert Einstein's religious views have been widely studied and often misunderstood. Einstein said, "For me the Jewish religion like all other religions is an incarnation of the infinite." Einstein had explored the idea that humans could not understand the nature of God. We see the universe marvelously arranged and obeying certain laws but