

EQUIP PT III, THE QUESTION OF  
MORALITY

Romans 1:18-25 \_\_\_\_\_  
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**1 - Is there an Absolute Moral Law?**

A - **C.S. Lewis**: *“My argument against God w that the universe seemed so cruel and unjust. But how had I got this idea of just and unjust? A man does not call a line crooked unless he has one idea of a straight line. What was I comparing this universe with when I called it unjust?”* \_\_\_\_\_  
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B - **Immanuel Kant**, an 18th century philosopher gave two evidences for the existence of God... *“The starry sky above me and the moral law within me”*

1st: The starry sky above me: \_\_\_\_\_  
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2nd: The moral law within: \_\_\_\_\_  
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**2 - Can we have Absolute Moral Truth without God?**

A - *“I don’t need some old book to tell me how to be good”*

Is it possible for mankind to be moral without the knowledge of God?: \_\_\_\_\_  
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B - What would happen if we decided to build a world in which mankind ruled himself, according to his own standards... ***How bad could it get?***

**Genesis 6:5-6** <sup>5</sup> *The Lord observed the extent of human wickedness on the earth, and he saw that everything they thought or imagined was consistently and totally evil.* <sup>6</sup> *So the Lord was sorry he had ever made them and put them on the earth. It broke his heart.* <sup>(NLT)</sup> \_\_\_\_\_  
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**Sam Harris** is quoted saying: *“I am arguing that, in the moral sphere, it is safe to begin with the premise that it is good to avoid behaving in such a way as to produce the worst possible misery for everyone.”* \_\_\_\_\_  
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How do we get from a God fearing society to one that has devalued human life to a point where it is no longer of any significant value: \_\_\_\_\_  
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**2 Peter 3:5-6** <sup>5</sup>*For when they maintain this, it escapes their notice that by the word of God the heavens existed long ago and the earth was formed out of water and by water, <sup>6</sup>through which the world at that time was destroyed, being flooded with water.(NASB)* \_\_\_\_\_  
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