

Birds, Beasts, and Bugs

Romans 1:21-23

1A. Introduction

2A. Step 1: Willful Ignorance of Known Truth (vs. 21a)

1B. “Even though they k_____ God...”
In what sense does the unbeliever “know” God?

2B. “...they did not h_____ Him as God...”
What does it mean to “honor” God?

3B. “...or give t_____...”
Why should we be a thankful people?

3A. Step 2: Futile Thinking (vs. 21b)

1B. “...but they became f_____ in their speculations...”
How does rejecting God’s truth affect our thinking?

4A. Step 3: A Darkened Heart (vs. 21c)

1B. “...and their foolish h_____ was darkened...”
How does futile thinking affect our moral choices?

5A. Step 4: Foolishness Abounds (vs. 22)

1B. “Professing to be w_____, they became fools...”
What does the Bible mean by the term “fool”?

6A. Step 5: Full-blown Idolatry (vs. 23)

1B. “...and exchanged the glory of the incorruptible God for an i_____ in the form of corruptible man and of birds and four-footed animals and crawling creatures.”
Why does rejection of God result in idolatry of some sort?

7A. Conclusion

Walking In The Truth: As Christians, we are responsible to live out God's Word in our daily lives (Matthew 7:24-27; Luke 6:46; James 1:22-25). Upon studying and being taught God's Word, we need to ask ourselves: How can I apply, in a practical way, the divine truths and principles of God's Word that I have heard today? What changes do I need to make in my thoughts, attitudes, and actions in order to be more Christ-like?