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V. Comparison of the major world views

	Theism	Naturalism		Pantheism
	Christianity	Modernism	Postmodernism	New Age
	Personal	Non-existent	Non-existent	Impersonal
World	Creation	Physical	Physical	Spiritual
Human Nature	Like God	Like Animals	Like Animals	Is God
Body/Soul	Unity	Body Only	Body Only	Soul Only
Immortality	Resurrection	Annihilation	Annihilation	,
Destiny	Glorification	Extinction	Extinction	Absorption
Source of Authority	Divine Revelation	Human Reason	Culture	Spiritual
Truth	Absolute	Relative	Culturally Based	Personal
Jesus Christ	Son of God	Good Man	A Product of His Culture	Enlightenment
Salvation	Redemption	Education	Whatever is Effective	Meditation
Evil	Rebellion	Ignorance	Culturally Defined	Illusion
Ethics	God-centered	Man-centered	Culturally Centered	World -centered
History	Linear	Chaotic	Culturally Defined	Cyclical
Culture	God ordained/ Man's stewardship	Man- centered	Language- Centered	World- centered

VI. World views should pass certain tests.

- A. *Consistent*. It should be logically consistent.
- B. *Coherent*. It should make sense as a whole.
- C. *Comprehensive*. It should be all-inclusive.
- D. *Correspondence*. It should correspond with reality.

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