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Fourth Baptist Church

**The Word of God:
Creation, Condemnation, and Conversion**

2 Peter 3:1-7

Peter is calling us to remember the Word of God, for it is the authoritative Word of creation, condemnation, and our conversion.

- I. God's Word is a _____ of _____ (1-2)
 - A. Through the Old Testament _____
 - B. Through the New Testament _____

- II. God's Word is the _____ of _____ (3-7)
 - A. _____ regarding God's future judgment (3-4)
 - B. _____ of God's past judgement (5-6)
 - C. _____ for God's judgment by fire (7)

- III. God's Word _____ us _____ for salvation
(2 Tim 3:15; Acs 2:40-41; 1 Pet 1:23)

I want atheism to be true and am made uneasy by the fact that some of the most intelligent and well-informed people I know are religious believers. It isn't just that I don't believe in God . . . it's that I hope there is no God! I don't want there to be a God; I don't want a universe to be like that.

- Thomas Nagel