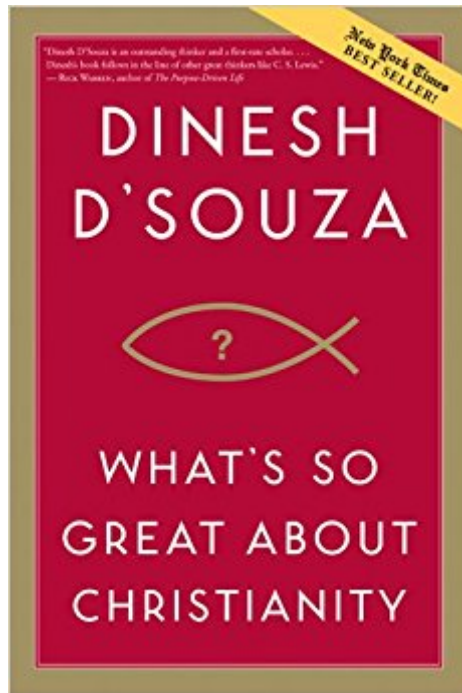




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What's So Great About Christianity



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D'Souza offers "sharp and poignant observations on...freedom and opportunity." --Wall Street Journal

Is Christianity obsolete? Can an intelligent, educated person really believe the Bible? Or do the atheists have it right? Has Christianity been disproven by science, debunked as a force for good, and discredited as a guide to morality? Bestselling author Dinesh D'Souza (What's So Great About America) looks at Christianity with a questioning eye, but treats atheists with equal skepticism. The result is a book that will challenge the assumptions of both believers and doubters and affirm that

there really is, indeed, something great about Christianity. D'Souza reveals: *Why Christianity explains what modern science tells us about the universe and our origins--that matter was created out of nothing, that light preceded the sun--better than atheism does *How Christianity created the framework for modern science, so that Christianity and science are not irreconcilable, but science and atheism might be *Why the alleged sins of Christianity--the Crusades, the Inquisition, the Galileo affair ("an atheist's fable")--are vastly overblown *Why atheist regimes are responsible for the greatest mass murders of history *Why evolution does not threaten Christian belief, but actually supports the "argument from design" *Why atheists fear the Big Bang theory and the "anthropic principle" of the universe, which are keystones of modern astronomy and physics *How Christianity explains consciousness and free will, which atheists have to deny *Why ultimately you can't have Western civilization--and all we value from it--without the Christianity that gave it birth. Provocative, enlightening, a twenty-first-century successor to C. S. Lewis' Mere Christianity, Dinesh D'Souza's What's So Great About Christianity is the perfect book for the seeker, the skeptic, and the believer who wants to defend his faith.

Excellent and well reasoned

This is a really well written book that discusses religion and atheism. He exposes the faulty thought process athiest's employ.

Addresses issues, questions, facts and history as it really is, not as humanists and atheists would like to imagine it to be.

Very interesting read! I learned a lot

Everyone must read

Very very interesting and factual

Went beyond the usual proofs and topics. It was well written.

Best selling author Dinesh D'Souza's "What's So Great About Christianity" answers urgent questions of our time and addresses critics of Christianity with a strong, open-minded examination

of the claims of Christianity. The book was written for believers (a toolkit for use when facing the challenges of a post-modern world), non-believers (many are truly seekers), and for "atheists, at least those who welcome a challenge." "What's So Great..." demonstrates:

1. Christianity is the main foundation of Western civilization, the root of our most cherished values.
2. The latest discoveries of modern science support the Christian claim that there is a divine being who created the universe.
3. Darwin's theory of evolution actually strengthens the evidence for supernatural design.
4. There is nothing in science that makes miracles impossible.
5. Atheism, not religion, is responsible for the mass murders of history.
6. Atheism is motivated not by reason but by a kind of cowardly moral escapism.

In a world where secularists are trying to disconnect religion from political issues, characterizing religion as obstructionist and evil, D'Souza provides the right medicine for attacking the cultural cancer being fed by a secularist agenda - by intellectual and morally challenging the arguments against Christianity, and by addressing the practical problems we all face in life, the change we can expect in our lives (by being Christian), as well as pointing out what is unique about Christianity amongst all other faith traditions. "What's So Great About Christianity" is a great guide for turning the tide - from being "of the world" to our God directed mission of being "in the world, fully engaged."

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