

**What If I'm Wrong?**

What if I've gotten it wrong?

Have you ever asked yourself that question? It is a question that might follow an important decision at your work. It might take a slightly different form when a person has second thoughts about his college choice, career choice, or even his/her choice of a mate.

However, have you ever asked yourself this question in reference to your religious beliefs? What if I'm wrong?

STOP! I'm not promoting doubt. I do not want to lead you to question your faith. But you might also consider whether you have it all figured out, completely and absolutely.

There are controversial passages that I believe I understand, but I 'go back to square one' every time I study those passages again. I recognize that I can be wrong. So, I probe the scriptures yet again to see if I've missed something.

I have had religious conversations with other believers who do not agree with me doctrinally. I have had religious conversations with people who have religious beliefs, but do not accept the Bible as I do. I have conversed with a couple of atheists about religion.

I have found these people to be well-meaning individuals with deep convictions. They often present very compelling ideas that explain life, and death, and the world. What if I've gotten some things wrong!?

Two passages help keep my feet on the ground . . . that remind me that I stand on firm ground when I trust in God, not myself, by returning to His word.



**There is a way which seems right to a man,  
but its end is the way of death.  
(Proverbs 14:12)**

**All Scripture is inspired by God and profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, for training in righteousness; that the man of God may be adequate, equipped for every good work.**

**(2 Timothy 3:16-17)**