

What Creation Can Tell Us



A Reflection Worksheet for Seekers and Believers

Read: Romans 1:20; Psalm 19:1

Focus Truth: Creation cannot tell us everything about the Creator, but it tells us enough to begin asking better questions

Key Verse: “For since the creation of the world God’s invisible qualities, his eternal power and divine nature, have been clearly seen, being understood from what has been made...”
Romans 1:20, NIV

Opening Question: What if creation is showing us more than we usually notice?

Before You Begin

Creation is easy to rush past because it is always around us. We see the sky, trees, seasons, weather, food, beauty, and human life every day. But familiar does not mean meaningless. This worksheet is meant to help you slow down and think carefully about what creation can and cannot tell us about the Creator. You do not have to answer every question at once. You do not have to force conclusions. Simply observe honestly, reflect carefully, and ask better questions.

Creation Reflection

What part of creation most clearly makes me think about the possibility of a Creator?

What do I notice when I slow down and pay attention to the world created for us?

What seems beautiful, complex, purposeful, or surprising?

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Looking Beyond Function

It is good to ask how things work. But “how” is not the only question worth asking. A song can be explained by notes, rhythm, harmony, and sound waves. But those explanations do not remove the composer. A house can be explained by wood, nails, concrete, measurements, and tools. But those explanations do not remove the builder.

Why does beauty move us?

Why does music stir something within us?

Why do love, truth, justice, and human dignity seem important?

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What Creation May Suggest

Creation gives us reasons to think carefully about the Creator.

Powerful: Where do I see power in creation?

Wise and Orderly: Where do I see patterns, systems, rhythm, structure, or design?

Intentional: Where do I see purpose, function, or things fitted for life?

Personal: What do I notice about human life that may point beyond the material world?

Generous: Where do I see beauty, pleasure, variety, color, taste, sound, or wonder?

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What Creation Can Show Us

Creation can give us a meaningful starting point. It can point us toward power, wisdom, order, purpose, beauty, generosity, and personality.

What do I think creation can honestly show us about the Creator?

Which qualities seem most important and impactful to you as you think about creation? Number them from 1 to 6, with 1 being the quality that stands out the most and 6 being the quality that stands out the least.

- _____ Power
- _____ Wisdom
- _____ Order
- _____ Purpose
- _____ Generosity
- _____ Personality

What Creation Cannot Fully Show Us

Creation can point toward the Creator, but it does not give us the full picture of who He is, what He desires, or how we should respond to Him. That does not take away from what creation can show us. It simply reminds us that creation has limits.

What questions does creation raise but not fully answer?

What do I think creation cannot fully tell us about the Creator?

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Drawing Careful Conclusions

We should not claim too little. We should not claim too much.

Based on what I notice in creation, it seems reasonable to ask whether the Creator is:

Three things creation helps me see more clearly:

Three things creation does not fully answer for me:

The Next Question

If creation gives us a beginning, the next question is this:

Has the Creator made Himself known in a clearer way?

Creation can point us toward the Maker, but it cannot answer every question about who He is, what He desires, or how we are meant to respond to Him. If the world gives us signs of power, wisdom, order, intention, generosity, and personality, then we should keep seeking.

The honest next step is to ask whether the Creator has given more light than creation alone can provide. That does not mean we should rush. It means we should stay open, humble, and willing to follow truth.

My next question:

Has the Creator made Himself known in a clearer way?

My Honest Response:

**Remember: Creation cannot tell us everything about the Creator,
but it tells us enough to begin asking better questions.**