

BREAKTHROUGH

A SERIES IN REVELATION

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Questions to consider:

What are some names from history or from current culture that are laden with meaning (good or bad)?

What names or descriptors might you like to have associated with you?

What names or descriptors would make you cringe to have associated with you?

Syncretism is a belief system that is willing to accept Jesus, the Bible, and the Gospel, but also accepts other faith and belief systems. Where do you see syncretism most often in your everyday life? (education, workplace, media, social groups)

Why do you think we can be easily tempted to yield to syncretism.

In your experience, what have you allowed too much influence in your life? In other words, what would you place in the blank in the following sentence: "I've too easily allowed myself to depend on Jesus + _____."?

When you encounter syncretism outside the church, what are a couple creative and maybe winsome ways that you can clarify or explain to others why you believe the Gospel is sufficient on its own?

Who do you know that has withstood the temptation to yield or buckle to outside influences that would cast doubt on the Gospel. This week sincerely thank God for their influence and drop them a note of gratitude for their example.