

Preparation for B120 —Who or What Is In Charge?

Every one of us, at some time—or many times—in our life has looked up and wondered, “Who or what is in charge?” And some of us must have also wondered, “Why does humankind keep asking that question?”

This is the biggest question of all: Who or what is in charge? Is there a God guiding our lives and everything we know? If not, what laws or forces govern the universe? Or is everything random? Or am I the one in control?

We invite you to look at this from several different angles.

1. Do you have an answer to these questions? Where does your answer—or doubt—come from?
2. What does it mean to live in a world in which that question is always present? What does it mean that so many people have different answers?
3. What does it mean to be part of a church where the question is not answered?
4. And here is one last question: Does it matter?