**[Awesome Verses to Use in Apologetic Encounters](https://www.mrm.org/bible-verses)**

**A = Apologetics B = Bible G = Godhead M = Miscellaneous S = Salvation**

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| G | Numbers 23:19 | God is not a man |
| G | Deuteronomy 6:4 | God is one God |
| S | Joshua 1:8 | Meditate on God's Word |
| M | 1 Samuel 15:22 | To obey God is better than sacrifice |
| G | Psalm 90:2 | God is from everlasting to everlasting |
| G | Psalm 102:27 | God is eternally the same |
| S | Psalm 103:12 | The believer’s sins are forgiven as far as east is from the west |
| M | Proverbs 1:7 | The fear of the Lord is the beginning of knowledge |
| M | Proverbs 14:12 | What seems right leads to death |
| M | Proverbs 28:26 | Fools trust in their feelings |
| B | Isaiah 40:8 | God’s Word stands forever |
| G | Isaiah 43:10 | No God before or after God  | (Note: the verse 1-0 stands for "no"--see the next verse for additional info) |
| G | Isaiah 44:6-8 | God knows of no other gods  | (In combination with the previous verse which begins with "No God," this one starts with "God" and reverses the "no" "God knows (nos)...") |
| G | Isaiah 45:5-6, 22 | There is no God besides God |
| G | Isaiah 55:8-9 | God’s ways are higher than ours |
| S | Isaiah 64:6 | Our righteous acts are like filthy rags |
| G | Jeremiah 1:5 | God knew us before the world was created |
| S | Jeremiah 17:9 | The heart is desperately wicked |
| M | Hosea 6:6 | God desires mercy, not sacrifice |
| G | Malachi 3:6 | God does not change |
| S | Matthew 1:21 | Jesus came to save his people from their sins |
| M | Matthew 22:30 | Marriage is not meant for heaven |
| M | Mark 2:27 | The Sabbath was made for man |
| G | Mark 12:29 | God is one God |
| S | John 1:12 | Faith makes a person a child of God |
| G | John 4:24 | God is Spirit |
| S | John 5:29 | Two resurrections: to life or damnation |
| S | John 6:47 | He who believes Jesus has eternal life |
| A | John 7:24 | We are to make righteous judgments  | (answering Matthew 7:1 objections) |
| S | John 14:6 | Salvation is only found in Jesus |
| S | John 14:15 | We obey God because we love Him |
| S | John 17:17 | God's Word is truth |
| S | Acts 4:12 | Salvation found only in Jesus |
| S | Acts 16:31 | Believe in Jesus and you will be saved |
| B | Acts 17:11 | Be noble like Bereans: Search God’s scriptures |
| S | Romans 1:17 | The just shall live by faith |
| S | Romans 3:23 | All are sinners and fall short |
| S | Romans 3:28 | Man is justified by faith, not law |
| S | Romans 5:8 | While still sinners, Jesus died for us |
| S | Romans 6:23 | Sin’s wages= death/God’s gift= life |
| S | Romans 10:9-10 | Confess with mouth, believe in heart |
| S | Romans 11:6 | Salvation comes through grace |
| S | Romans 12:2 | Do not conform to this world |
| G | 1 Corinthians 1:18 | The cross is foolishness to the perishing |
| M | 1 Corinthians 10:13 | You will not be tempted more than you can bear |
| G | 1 Corinthians 15:1-5 | The resurrection of Jesus is true |
| S | 2 Corinthians 5:17 | The Christian becomes a new creation in Christ |
| S | 2 Corinthians 6:2 | Today is the day of salvation  | (no second chances) |
| A | 2 Corinthians 11:4 | False Jesuses do exist |
| A | Galatians 1:8-9 | False gospels do exist |
| S | Galatians 2:15-16 | Justified by faith, not by law |
| S | Galatians 2:21 | Righteousness is not gained through the law |
| S | Galatians 3:28-29 | All people are equal before God |
| A | Galatians 4:16 | Discussing truth should not make us enemies |
| G | Galatians 6:14 | Christians glory in the cross |
| S | Ephesians 2:8-9 | Salvation = grace through faith |
| S | Ephesians 2:10 | We were created to do good works |
| A | Ephesians 4:15 | Speak the truth in love |
| G | Philippians 2:5-11 | Jesus incarnated into Man  | (Kenosis) |
| S | Philippians 2:12 | Work out (not for) salvation |
| M | Philippians 4:7 | God's peace passes all understanding |
| A | 1 Thessalonians 5:21 | Test everything |
| S | 2 Timothy 2:15 | Study to show yourself as a workman |
| S | 2 Timothy 3:16 | God inspires scripture |
| S | Titus 3:5 | We’re saved through God’s mercy |
| S | Hebrews 4:12 | The Word of God is sharper than a sword |
| G | Hebrews 7:24-25 | Jesus has permanent priesthood |
| S | Hebrews 8:12-13 | God forgets forgiven sins |
| S | Hebrews 9:27 | After death comes judgment  | (no second chances) |
| S | James 2:10 | Breaking one law = guilty of all |
| M | 1 Peter 2:5 | All Christians possess royal priesthood |
| S | 2 Peter 3:16 | Paul wrote scripture |
| A | 1 John 4:1 | Test the spirits to see if from God |
| S | 1 John 5:13 | You may “know” that you have eternal life |
| A | Jude 3 | Contend for the Christian faith |

**Feel free to add your own!**

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