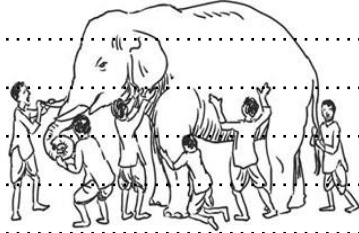


Why do we struggle with the idea of Truth?

Postmodernism

- *No one has the truth. Make your own truth.*
- *Everyone's truth is equal.*
- *Dominant truths must be weakened.*



Maybe the important question is... **What is the Truth?**

Recommended Reading

Relativism: Feet Firmly Planted in Mid-Air

by Francis J. Beckwith and Gregory Kouss

www.allaboutphilosophy.org

www.veritas.org

www.gloablethics.org

Can all Worldviews be true?

Introduction

Tests for Truth

No Logical Contradictions (Coherence)

Holds to Reality (Correspondence)

Truth

Reality in the World

1+1=2

Rules of Math

Court of Law

Human Language

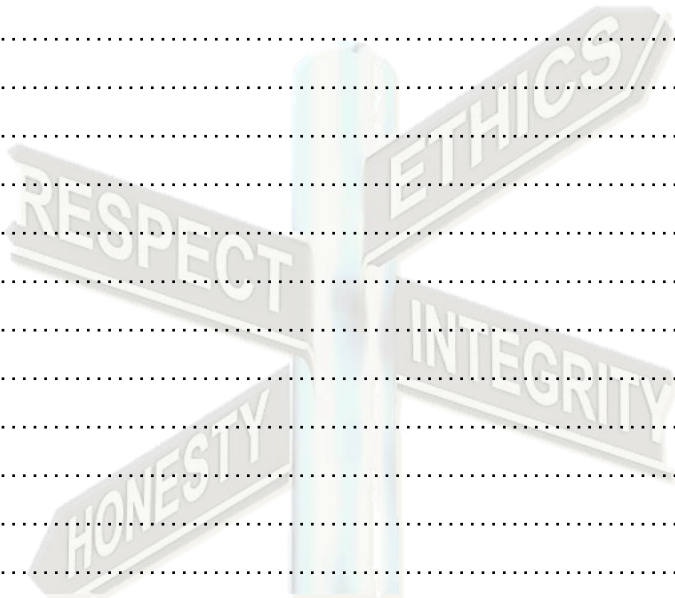
'Förstår du mig?'



Gravity.
It isn't just a good idea.
It's the law. of
Physics

"Our research suggests that five core ethical values are common to many cultures, regardless of race, age, religious affiliation, gender, or nationality."

- Institute for Global Ethics



Is moral truth **relative** to society?

No absolute right or wrong?



Absolute truths are true for everyone, at any time and in any place – no matter what you believe.

Common Objections to Truth

- There is no truth!
- We can't know the truth!
- No one has the truth!
- Everything is meaningless!
- You should doubt everything!