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Chapter 4 questions

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#1 The first one is I was told I had a learning disability and that I wouldn't succeed like others.

Another example I see a lot is bias against same sex marriages or relationships. We see bias in the media all the time like the media believed Trump was unjustifiably prejudice. Every day we see bias in the work place and racism is a big one we don't see it as often as we used to but we still see it. It isn't easy to challenge assumptions in our cultures. If I was born into a racist family I wouldn't except it because I'm not racists and believe we are all equal in all areas and deserve the same treatments and values in all areas.

#2 I do agree that we as people can humbly try to evaluate our beliefs carefully but not to hope for the worst but the best as well. We as people do need to take time to evaluate who we are and our beliefs and doing this helps us through good and bad times in our lives. We all have different beliefs and that is ok and we can discuss our beliefs with others even if we don't agree with someone else's beliefs we need to respect them and at least listen to the beliefs they have.

#3 For the third question I chose the author discussed several intellectual virtues, studio situs, intellectual humility, intellectual caution, intellectual courage, intellectual integrity and intellectual perseverance. Which of these characteristics are the most difficult for you to develop and strengthen this capacity? The answer to this question is that I have a very difficult time with intellectual courage which means having a consciousness of need to face and fairly address ideas, beliefs, and viewpoints towards which one has strong and negative emotions to one has

not given serious hearing. I have a hard time with this due to people in my life who put me down for my feelings and life, viewpoints and I do get discouraged as they don't care about my views or me as a person. I also have a problem who put me down for my feelings on life and viewpoints and I get discouraged as they don't care about my views. Humility is another one I have an issue with because I have been around people who don't accept my beliefs and opinions on issues and they expect me to accept their views and opinions. I can't say I don't agree with you because they demand I must agree with them and my feelings don't count. To strengthen this I can involve myself with more positive people and those who share the same values as I do and that is not always easy to do.

#4 For this question how do human finitude, human frailty and human fallenness affect and limit quest for knowledge? The answer to this that finitude prevents us from being able to think of anything including whole reality as truly infinite. This effect quest of knowledge we can't always investigate everything but our search for knowledge is increasingly reliant on mechanical aides and limits what we can experience directly. In conclusion the desire to know and understand God's world is a god given capacity but the pursuit of knowledge is affected by world views, human finitude, human frailty, individual and communal sin. When we can't explore and learn that does make limits on knowledge and that makes things harder on our learning.

#8 When reading the bible I use liberal interpretation and moral interpretation are the main two I use and the most talked about and that I have heard of. As far as adopting a hermeneutics

interpretation I want to adopt the analogical one as it explains the biblical events as they relate to life and I would like to have help to understand the bible and to help me through hard times in my life and to better myself as a person. I also use liberal and moral as these are the two I have heard the most about and can relate to in my life. I am always up to better myself in learning more about all of these interpretations.

9) The last question I chose the author described four methodologies for seeking knowledge, authority, logic empiricism and hermeneutics. Give one example of how someone might make use of each of these methods to attain knowledge. To use these methods we must read the book to show correct methodology and degree of the person studying. We need to read the reading, research and memorize. Keep reading until you understand. We must read and understand the methodologies' and seek knowledge. Ask others and continue reading to get more familiar with the knowledge.