

“Blessed are the peacemakers,
for they will be called children of God.”

Matthew 5:9

Even More Ways to Work for Peace

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Realize I'm not God. I admit that I am powerless to control my tendency to do the wrong thing and my life is unmanageable.

Earnestly believe that God exists, that I matter to Him, and that He has the power to help me recover.

Consciously choose to commit all my life and will to Christ's care and control.

Openly examine and confess my faults to myself, to God, and to someone I trust.

Voluntarily submit to any and all changes God wants to make in my life and humbly ask Him to remove my character defects.

Evaluate all my relationships. Offer forgiveness to those who have hurt me and make amends for harm I've done to others when possible, except when to do so would harm them or others.

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True/False

Ideas

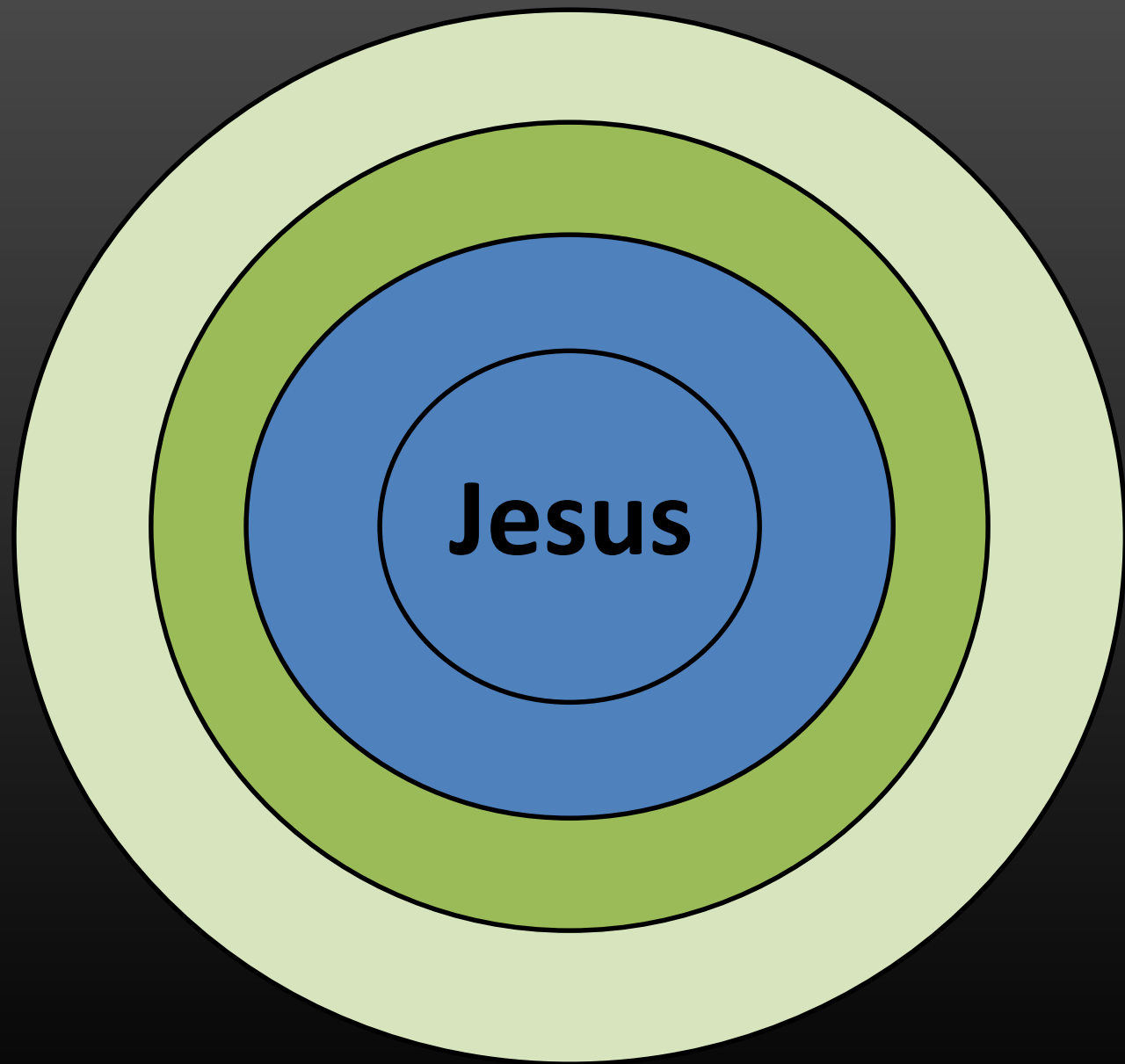
Opinions

Worldview/Theology

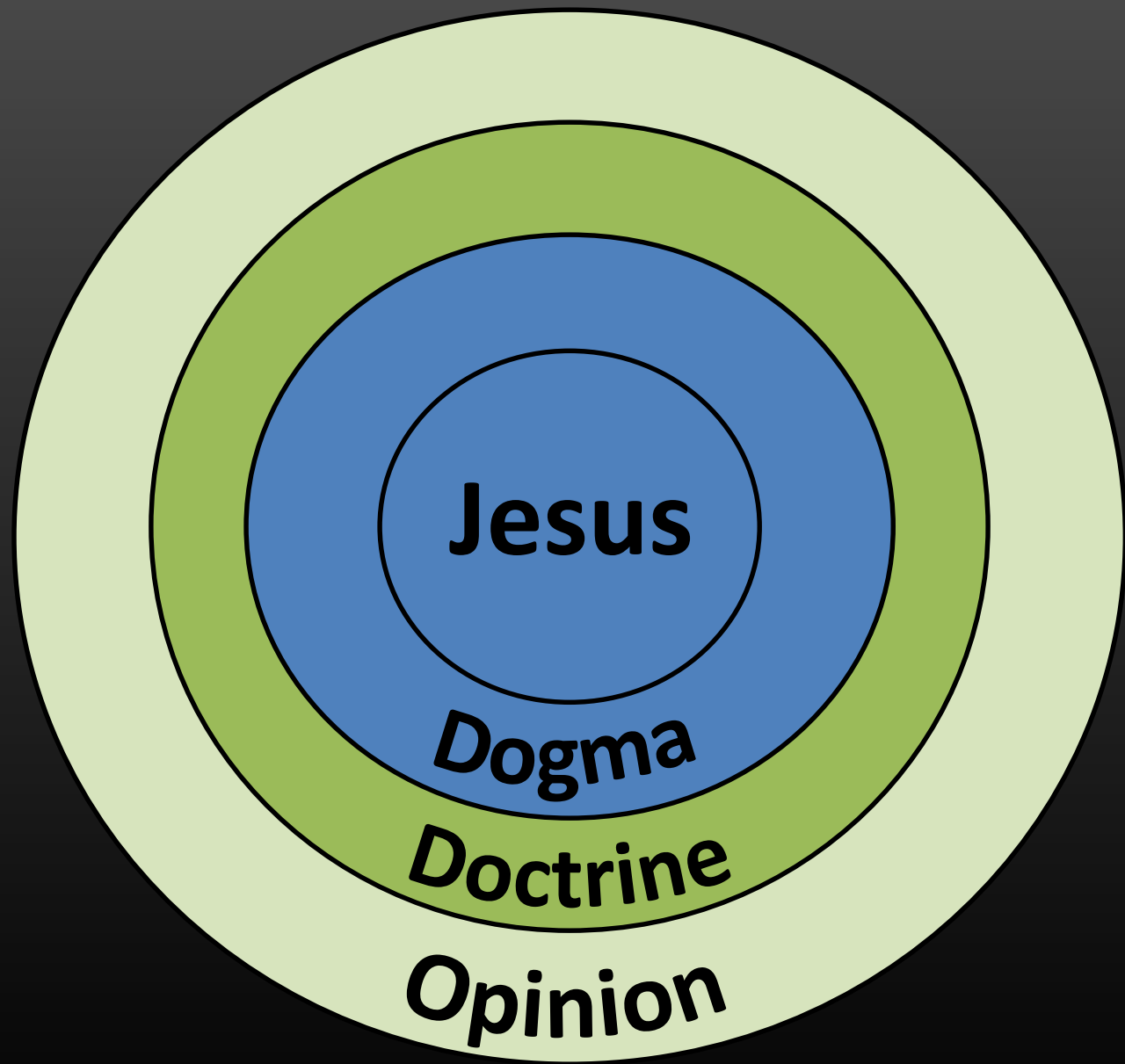
Right/Wrong

Experiences

Good/Bad



Jesus

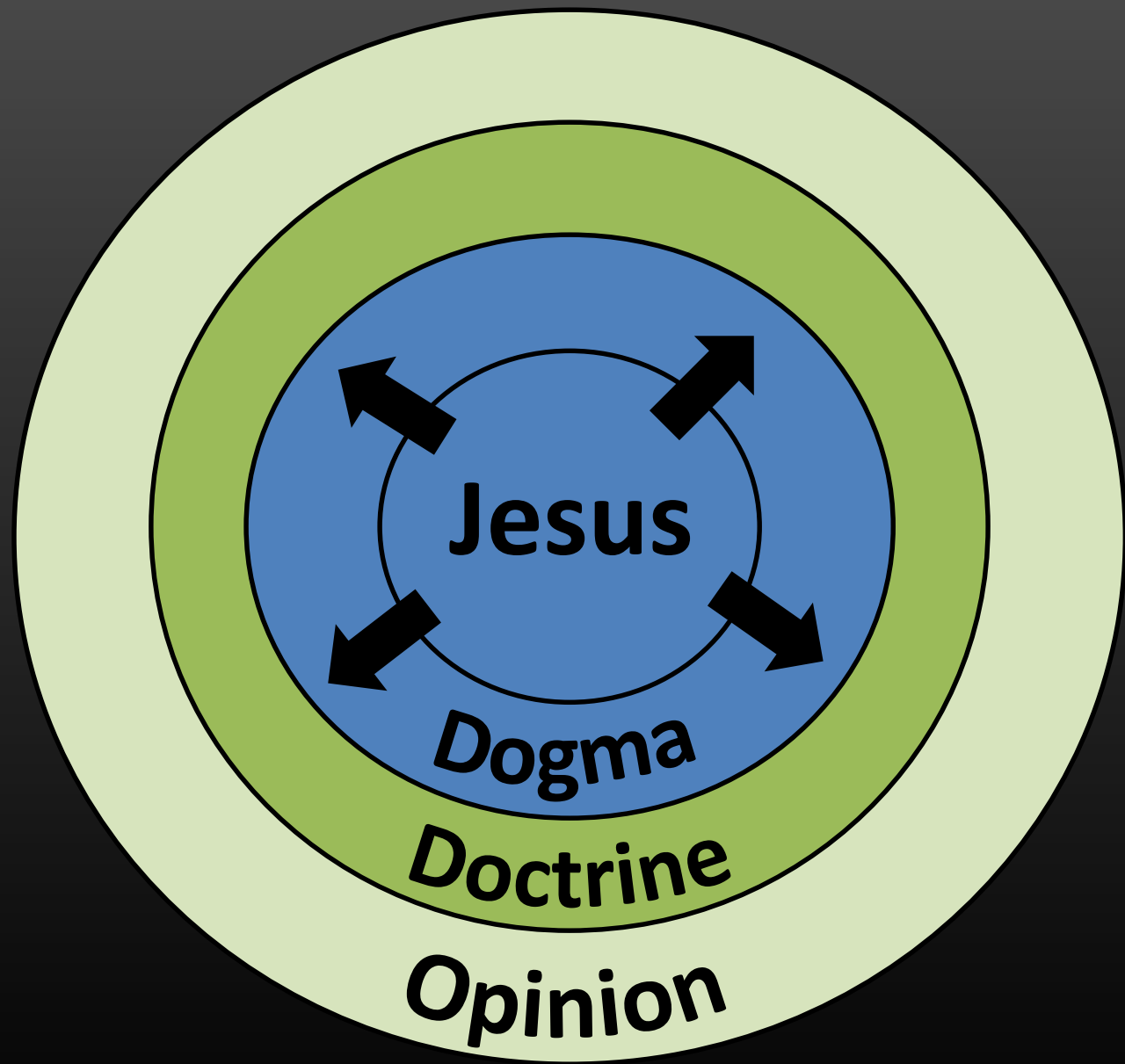


Jesus

Dogma

Doctrine

Opinion



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3 More Ways to Work for Peace

1. Be convinced of the essentials
2. Be open to challenge
3. Be open to correction