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These are foundation stones for all that goes forward, for all of life and for eternity...stone by stone by stone, with Christ as the cornerstone

1. You have to acknowledge there's a "beginning"
It's a point in time, not a process
2. You have to accept the existence of God
 - A. If man rejects the existence of God: there is no Creator, no accountability
 - B. Man becomes THE authority and center of his own universe
 - C. This all ends in disaster and eternal tragedy
3. You have to believe in God's creative power
 - A. Accepted by faith, which man disparages and mocks
 - B. Only two choices: believe or reject
 - C. Two realms in creation: heaven and earth, representing two unique and distinct programs
 - D. Satan's plan of evil and God's Master Plan

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4. You have to believe in God's moral attributes
God is a holy God Who loves righteousness and hates evil
5. You have to believe in man's accountability to God
6. You have to believe in the reality of sin, and its consequences
 - A. Death
 - B. A lifelong spiritual battle
 - C. A lifetime of difficulty and sorrow
 - D. Marital power struggle
7. You have to believe in man's need of salvation
8. You have to believe in God's provision of salvation
9. You have to accept the authority of God's Word