

TEST YOURSELF: APOSTASY

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HI, I'M A
CHRISTIAN.



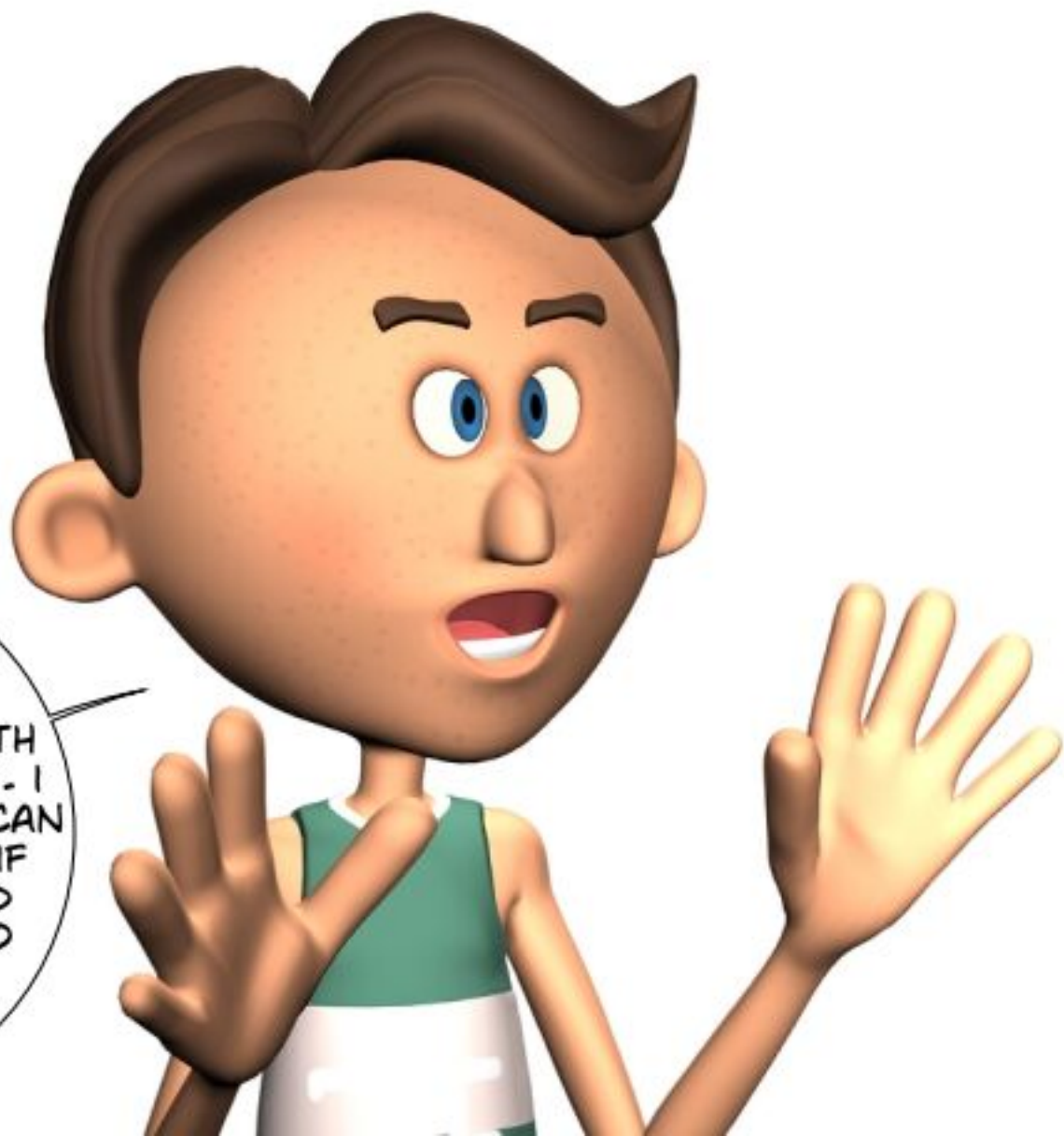


I'M A
CHRISTIAN
TOO.

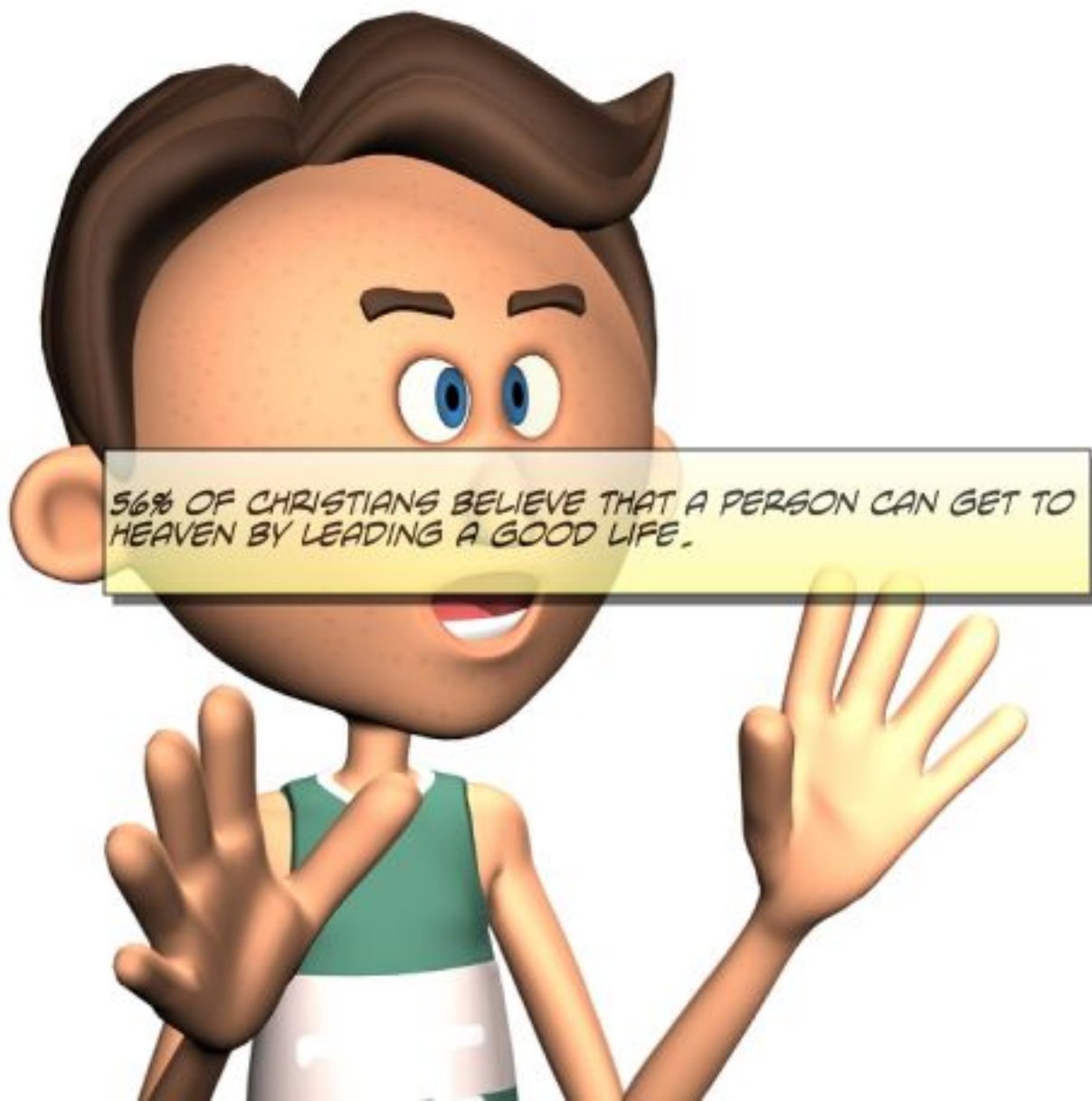


I BELIEVE
THAT REPENTANCE
AND FAITH IN JESUS
GIVES ME ETERNAL
LIFE WITH HIM IN
HEAVEN, RATHER
THAN AN ETERNITY
IN HELL.





WOAH, WOAH!
TAKE IT EASY WITH
THAT HELL STUFF. I
BELIEVE ANYONE CAN
GET TO HEAVEN IF
THEY'RE A GOOD
PERSON AND DO
GOOD THINGS.



56% OF CHRISTIANS BELIEVE THAT A PERSON CAN GET TO HEAVEN BY LEADING A GOOD LIFE.



BUT JESUS SAID IN JOHN 14:6, "I AM THE WAY, THE TRUTH, AND THE LIFE. NO ONE COMES TO THE FATHER EXCEPT THROUGH ME."

THE BIBLE ALSO
TALKS ABOUT JESUS IN
ACTS 4:12 WHEN IT
SAYS, "THERE IS SALVATION IN
NONE OTHER, FOR NEITHER IS
THERE ANY NAME UNDER
HEAVEN GIVEN AMONG MEN
BY WHICH WE MUST BE
SAVED."

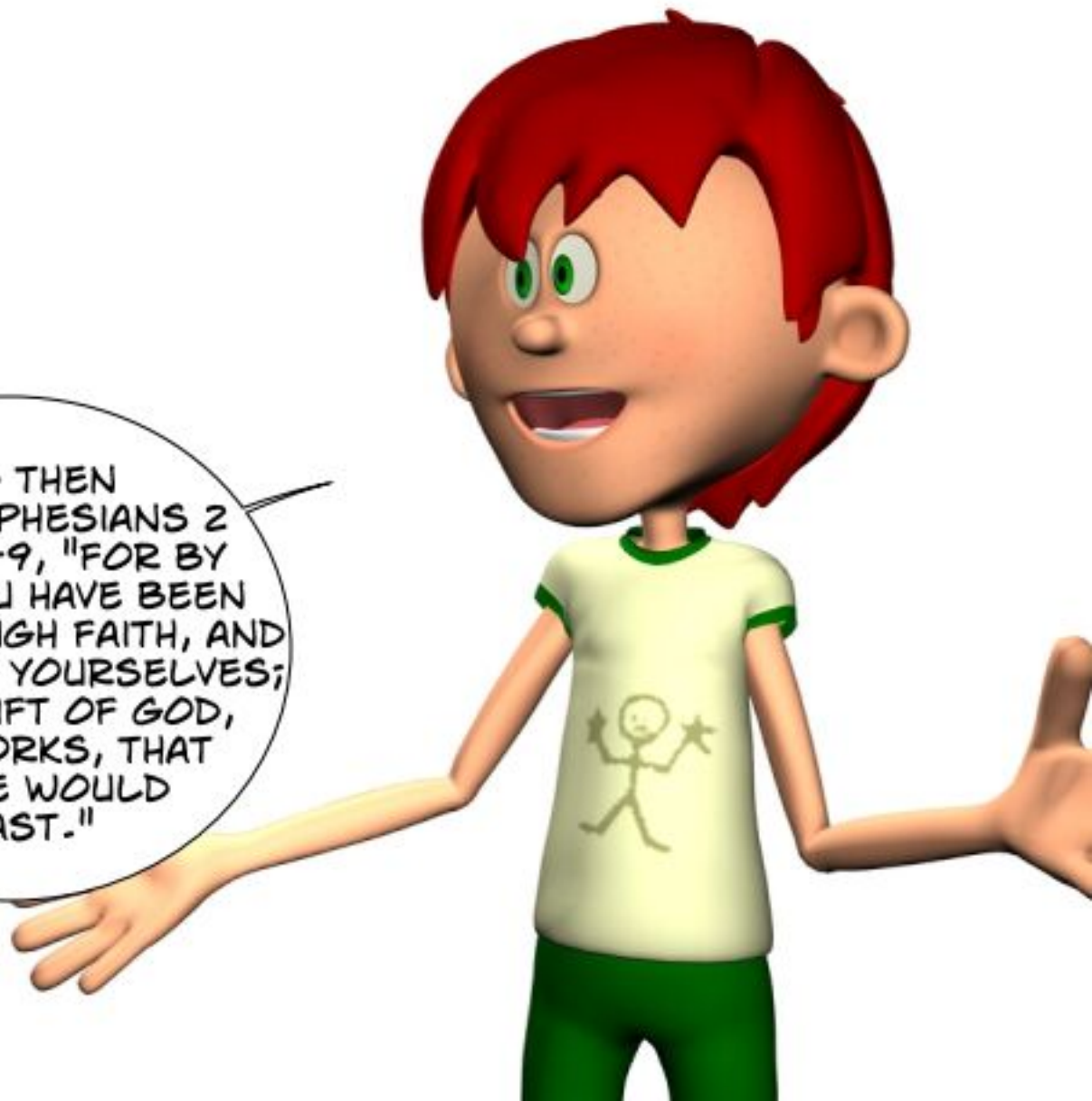




AND IN JOHN 3
VERSE 18 JESUS SAID
ABOUT HIMSELF, "HE
WHO BELIEVES IN HIM IS
NOT JUDGED. HE WHO
DOESN'T BELIEVE HAS
BEEN JUDGED ALREADY
BECAUSE HE HAS NOT
BELIEVED IN THE NAME
OF THE ONE AND
ONLY SON OF
GOD."



AND THEN
THERE'S EPHESIANS 2
VERSES 8-9, "FOR BY
GRACE, YOU HAVE BEEN
SAVED THROUGH FAITH, AND
THAT NOT OF YOURSELVES;
IT IS THE GIFT OF GOD,
NOT OF WORKS, THAT
NO ONE WOULD
BOAST."

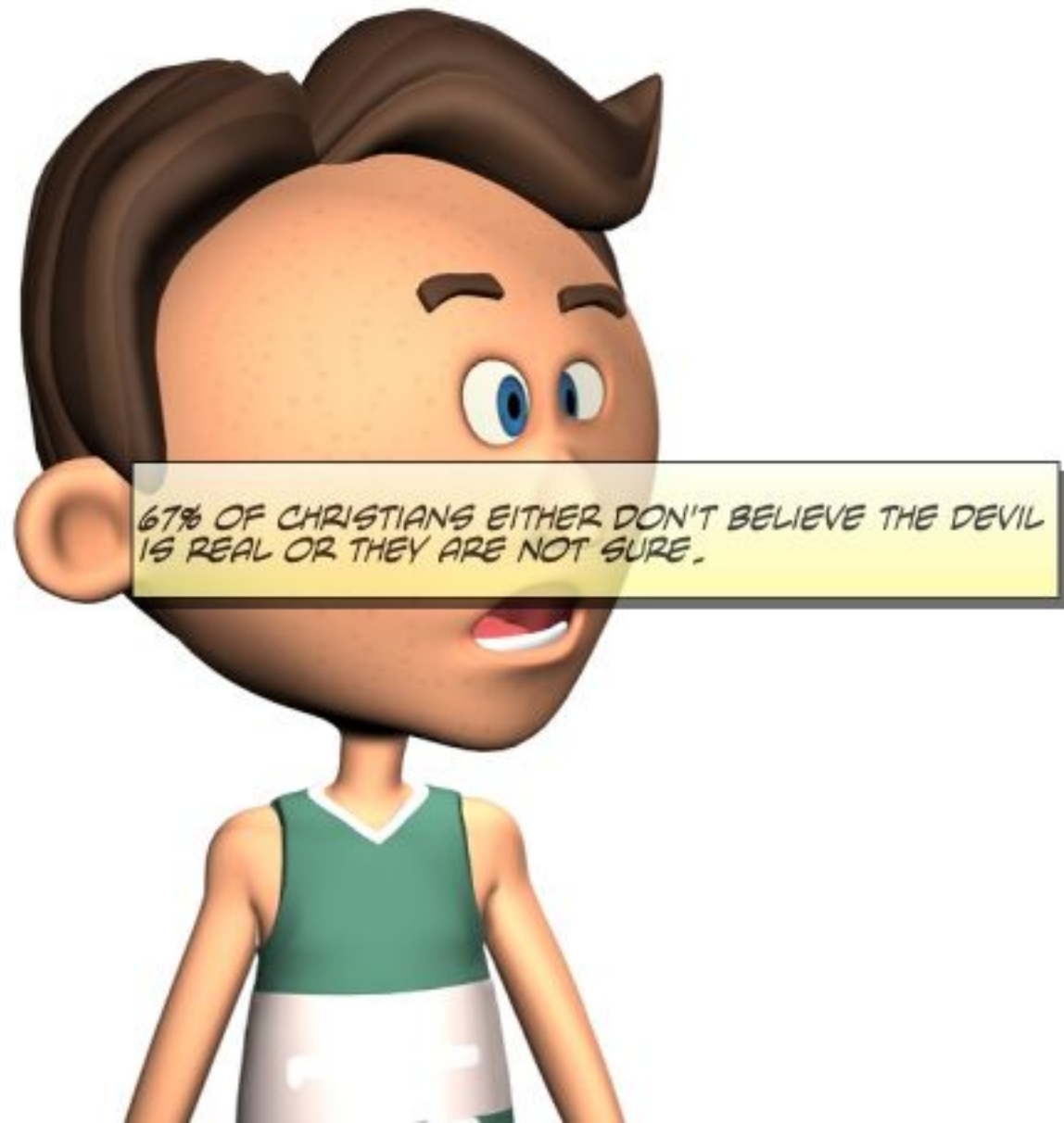




YOU SEE, THE
DEVIL WANTS PEOPLE
TO THINK THEY CAN
AVOID HELL THROUGH
THEIR OWN GOOD
WORKS. THAT WAY, THEY
WON'T DEPEND ON
JESUS.



I DON'T
BELIEVE THAT
THE DEVIL IS
REAL. IT'S JUST
A SYMBOL OF
EVIL.

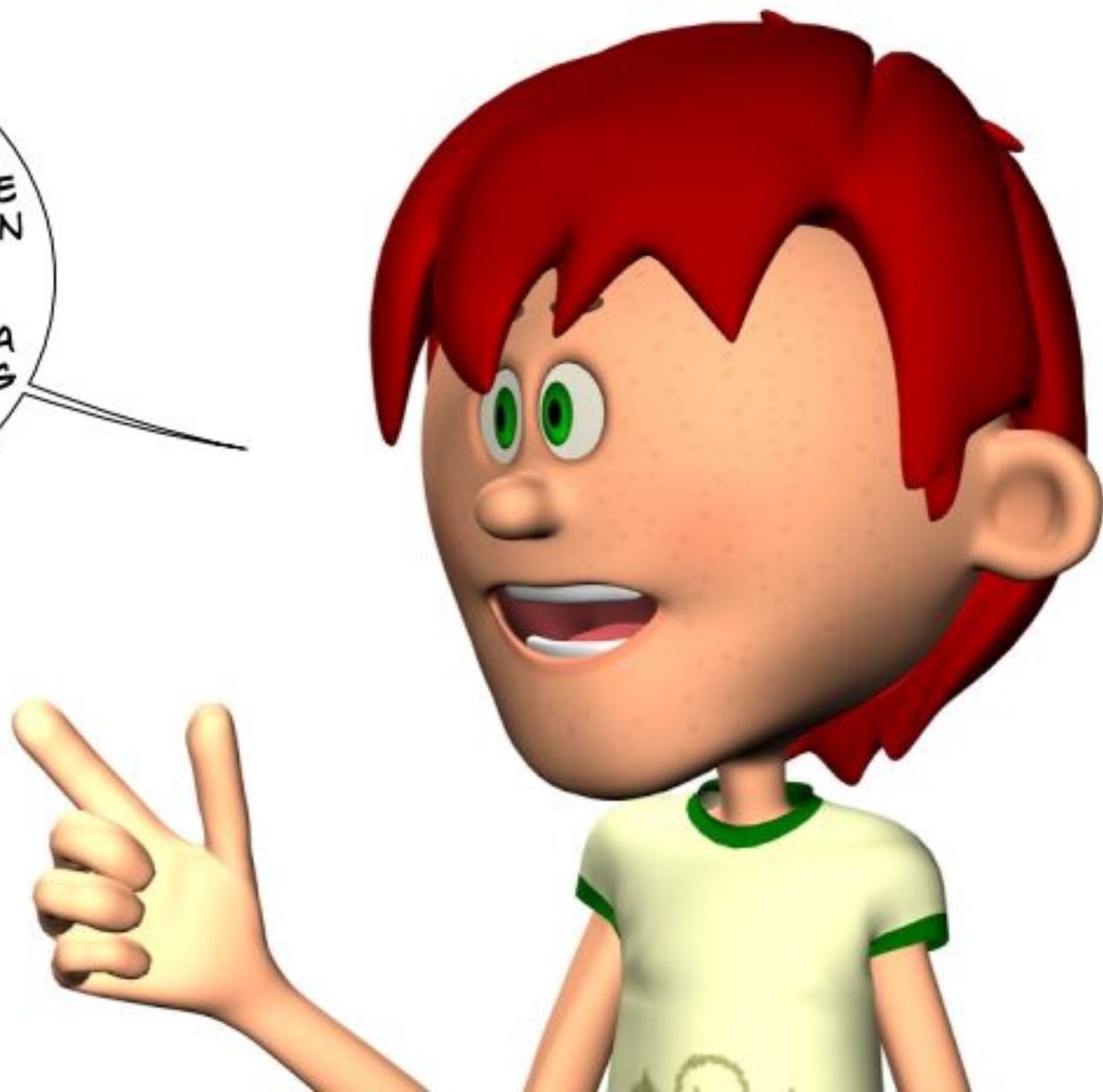


67% OF CHRISTIANS EITHER DON'T BELIEVE THE DEVIL IS REAL OR THEY ARE NOT SURE.



WELL,
WHAT ABOUT
WHEN JESUS
WAS TEMPTED
BY THE DEVIL IN
MATTHEW
CHAPTER 4?

AND HOW ABOUT
IN 1 PETER 5 VERSE 8
WHERE PETER SAYS, "BE
OF SOBER SPIRIT, BE ON
THE ALERT. YOUR
ADVERSARY THE DEVIL
PROWLs AROUND LIKE A
ROARING LION SEEKING
SOMEONE TO
DEVOUR"?



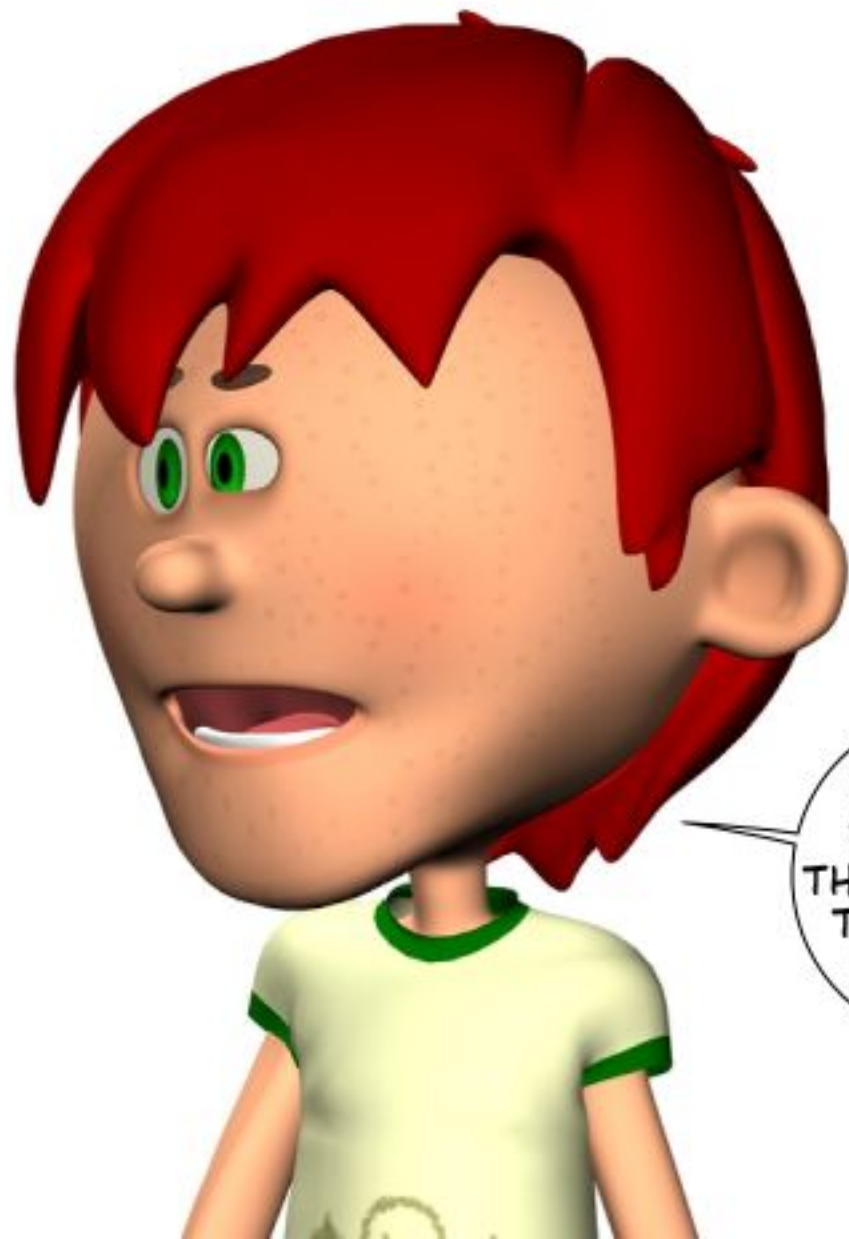


OR MATTHEW 25
VERSE 41 WHERE
JESUS SAYS, "YOU WILL
ALSO SAY TO THOSE ON HIS
LEFT, 'DEPART FROM ME,
ACCURSED ONES, INTO THE
ETERNAL FIRE WHICH HAS
BEEN PREPARED FOR THE
DEVIL AND HIS
ANGELS'"?

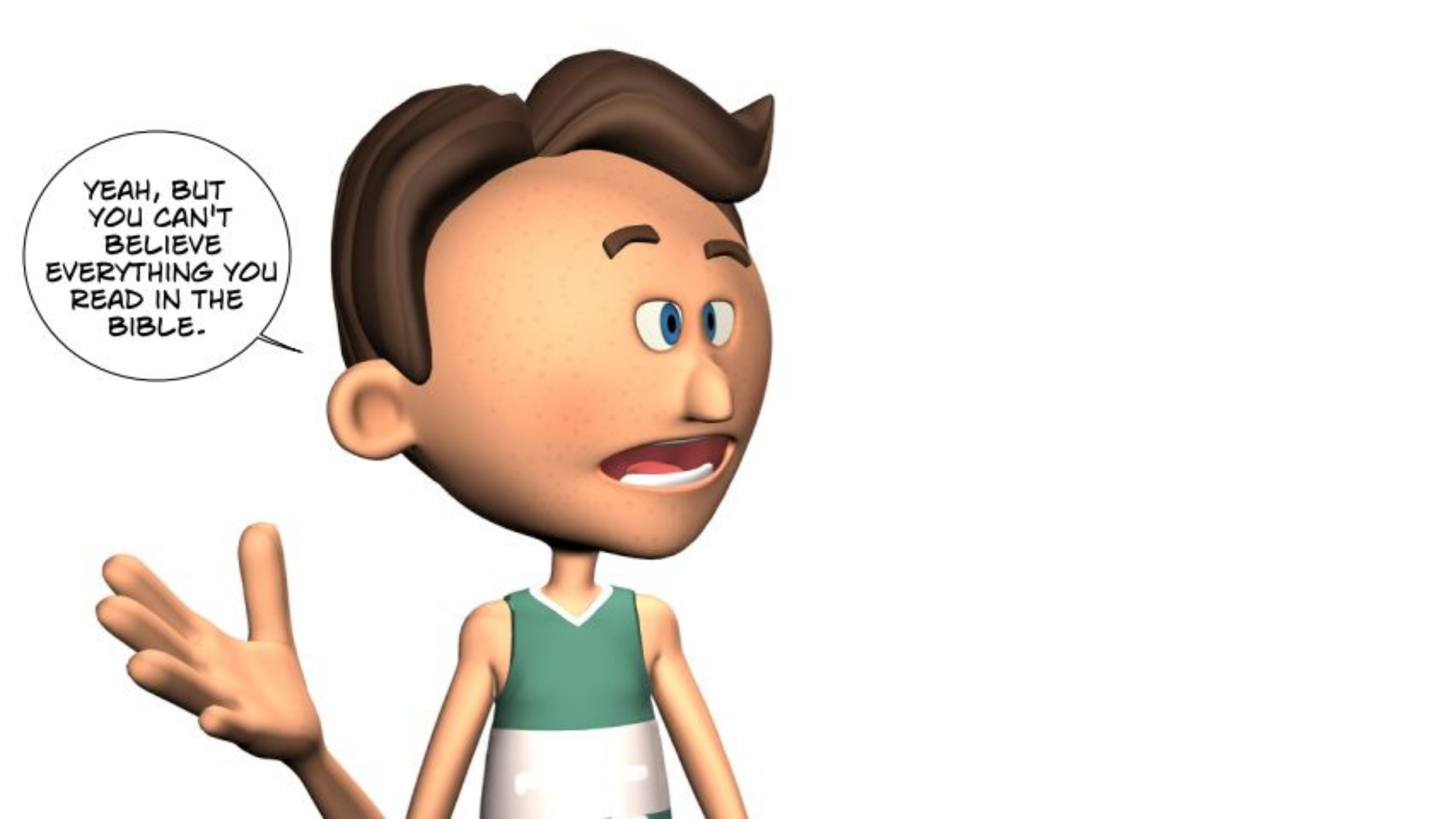


A 3D rendered cartoon character of a young man with brown hair, freckles, and blue eyes. He is wearing a green tank top with a white stripe at the bottom. He has a slightly open mouth and a questioning expression. A speech bubble is positioned to his left, containing the text 'WHY DO YOU KEEP QUOTING THE BIBLE?'.

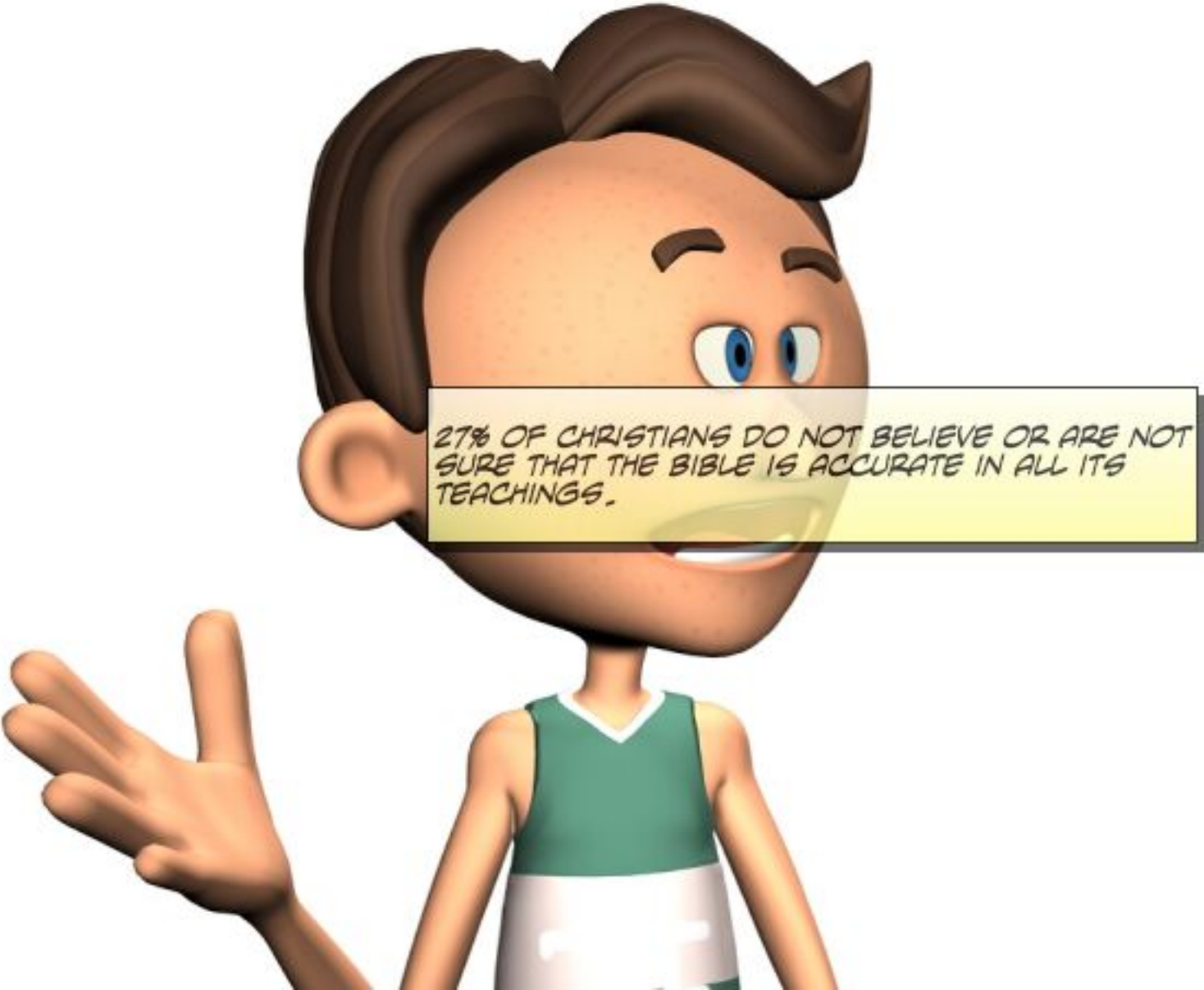
WHY DO
YOU KEEP
QUOTING THE
BIBLE?



UHHHH...
BECAUSE
THE BIBLE IS
THE WORD
OF GOD.




YEAH, BUT
YOU CAN'T
BELIEVE
EVERYTHING YOU
READ IN THE
BIBLE.



27% OF CHRISTIANS DO NOT BELIEVE OR ARE NOT SURE THAT THE BIBLE IS ACCURATE IN ALL ITS TEACHINGS.



WOW.



YEAH, THE
BIBLE, THE
KORAN, THE BOOK
OF MORMON, THEY
ALL PRETTY MUCH
SAY THE SAME
THING.



61% OF CHRISTIANS BELIEVE THE BIBLE, THE KORAN, AND THE BOOK OF MORMON ALL TEACH THE SAME SPIRITUAL TRUTHS.

BUT THOSE OTHER
BOOKS TEACH
DIFFERENT THINGS THAN
THE BIBLE TEACHES. THEY
BASE SALVATION ON WHAT
PEOPLE ACCOMPLISH,
RATHER THAN WHAT
JESUS DID FOR US.





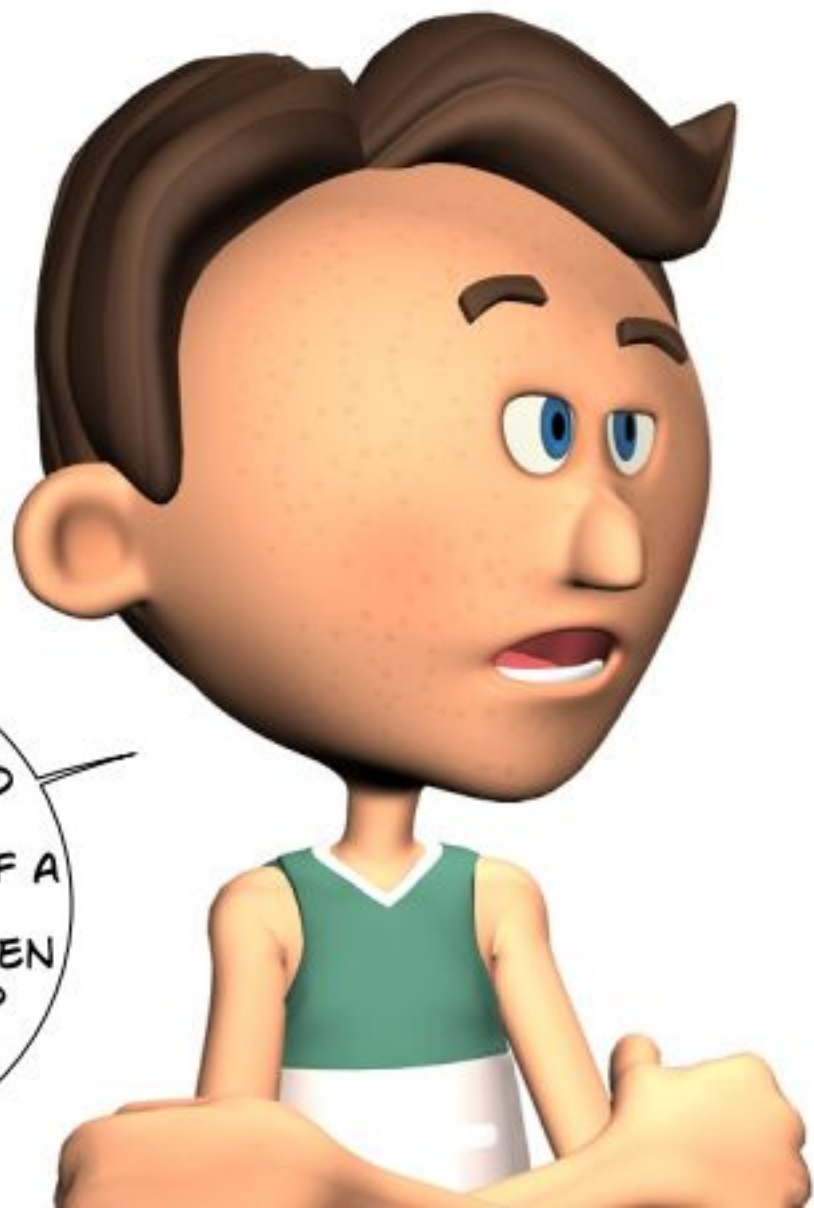
JESUS LED A
PERFECT LIFE, UNLIKE
US, SO HE COULD BE THE
PERFECT SACRIFICE THAT
GOD REQUIRES FOR OUR
SINS.



PERFECT?!
YEAH RIGHT!
NO ONE'S
PERFECT!



WELL, JESUS IS. THAT'S WHY HE CAME AND DIED FOR OUR SINS, RATHER THAN HAVING TO DIE FOR HIS OWN SINS.



JESUS SINNED
JUST LIKE US. SO
SEE? OUR SINS
AREN'T THAT BIG OF A
DEAL. I MEAN IF
JESUS SINNED, THEN
HOW COULD GOD
PUNISH US FOR
SINNING?



45% OF CHRISTIANS BELIEVE THAT JESUS SINNED OR ARE NOT SURE THAT HE IS SINLESS.

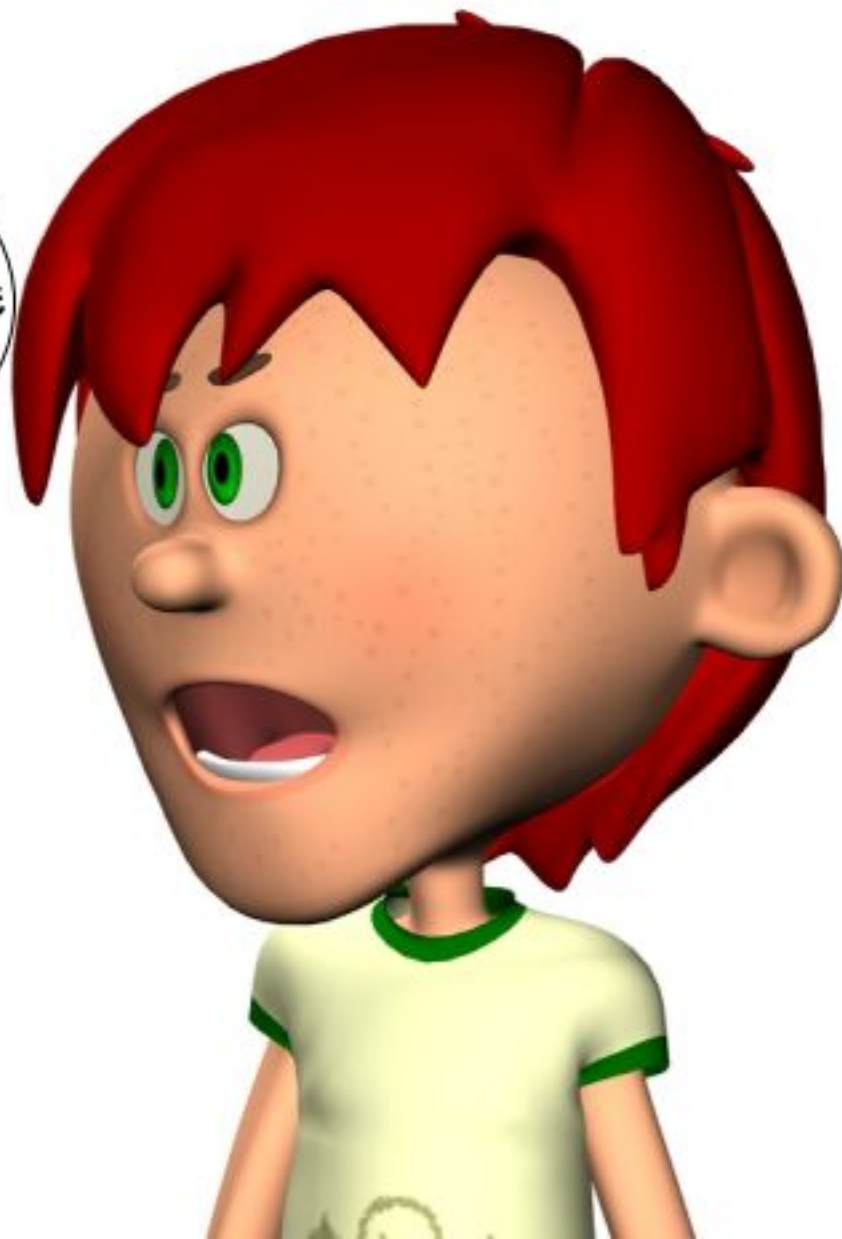






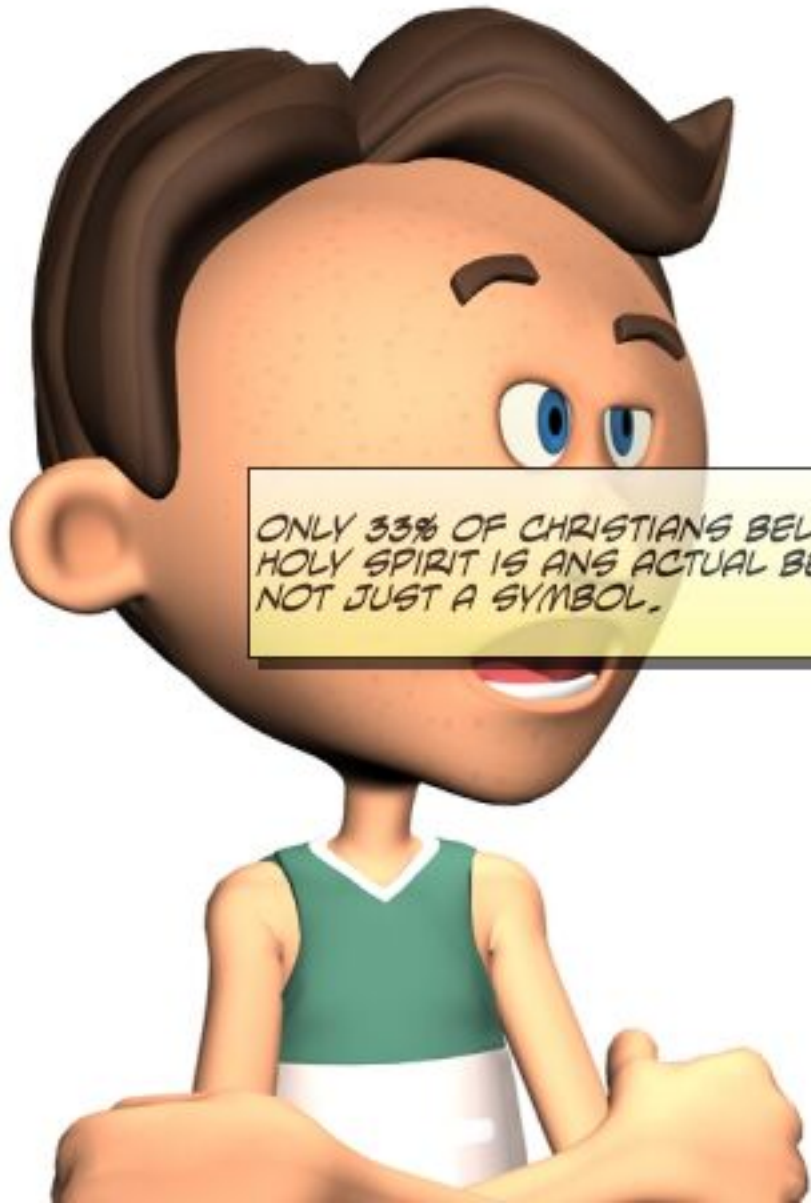
UMMM... WHY DO YOU CALL YOURSELF A CHRISTIAN WHEN YOU DON'T SEEM TO BELIEVE ANY OF THE THINGS THAT ARE IN THE BIBLE, INCLUDING THE BIBLE ITSELF?!

HOW CAN YOU THINK THESE THINGS AND HAVE GOD'S HOLY SPIRIT INSIDE YOU?





HOLY
SPIRIT?
THERE'S NO
HOLY
SPIRIT!

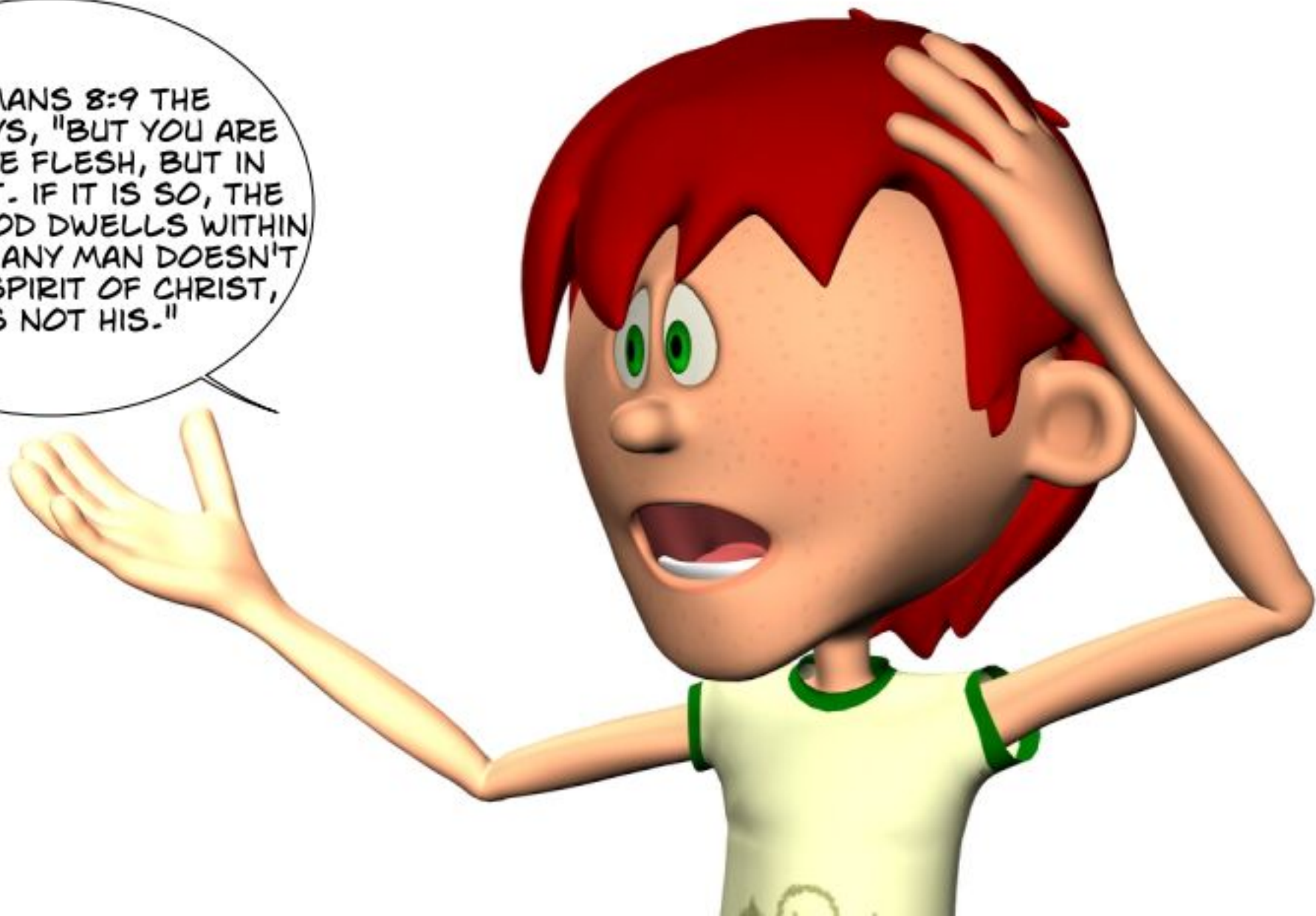


ONLY 33% OF CHRISTIANS BELIEVE THE HOLY SPIRIT IS ANS ACTUAL BEING AND NOT JUST A SYMBOL.



GASP BUT THE
HOLY SPIRIT LIVING
INSIDE OF US IS ONE OF
THE WAYS WE KNOW
FOR SURE THAT WE'RE
SAVED!

IN ROMANS 8:9 THE BIBLE SAYS, "BUT YOU ARE NOT IN THE FLESH, BUT IN THE SPIRIT. IF IT IS SO, THE SPIRIT OF GOD DWELLS WITHIN YOU, BUT IF ANY MAN DOESN'T HAVE THE SPIRIT OF CHRIST, HE IS NOT HIS."





DON'T
THEY TEACH
YOU THIS IN
CHURCH?





CHURCH? I
DON'T NEED
TO GO TO
CHURCH! I CAN
WORSHIP GOD
ANYWHERE!



ONLY 30% OF CHRISTIANS ATTEND CHURCH
AT LEAST ONCE A WEEK.

WELL FIRST, THE
BIBLE SAYS IN
HEBREWS 10 VERSE 25
THAT WE'RE NOT
SUPPOSED TO FORSAKE
THE ASSEMBLING OF
OURSELVES TOGETHER.
AND SECOND, IT DOESN'T
SOUND LIKE YOU KNOW
THE GOD OF THE
BIBLE AT ALL!






WHY
DO YOU
THINK
YOU'RE
SAVED?



BECAUSE I
SAY I AM!

THE BIBLE SAYS IN
TITUS 1 VERSE 16, "THEY
PROFESS THAT THEY KNOW
GOD, BUT BY THEIR WORKS
THEY DENY HIM. BEING
ABOMINABLE,
DISOBEDIENT, AND UNFIT
FOR ANY GOOD
WORK."

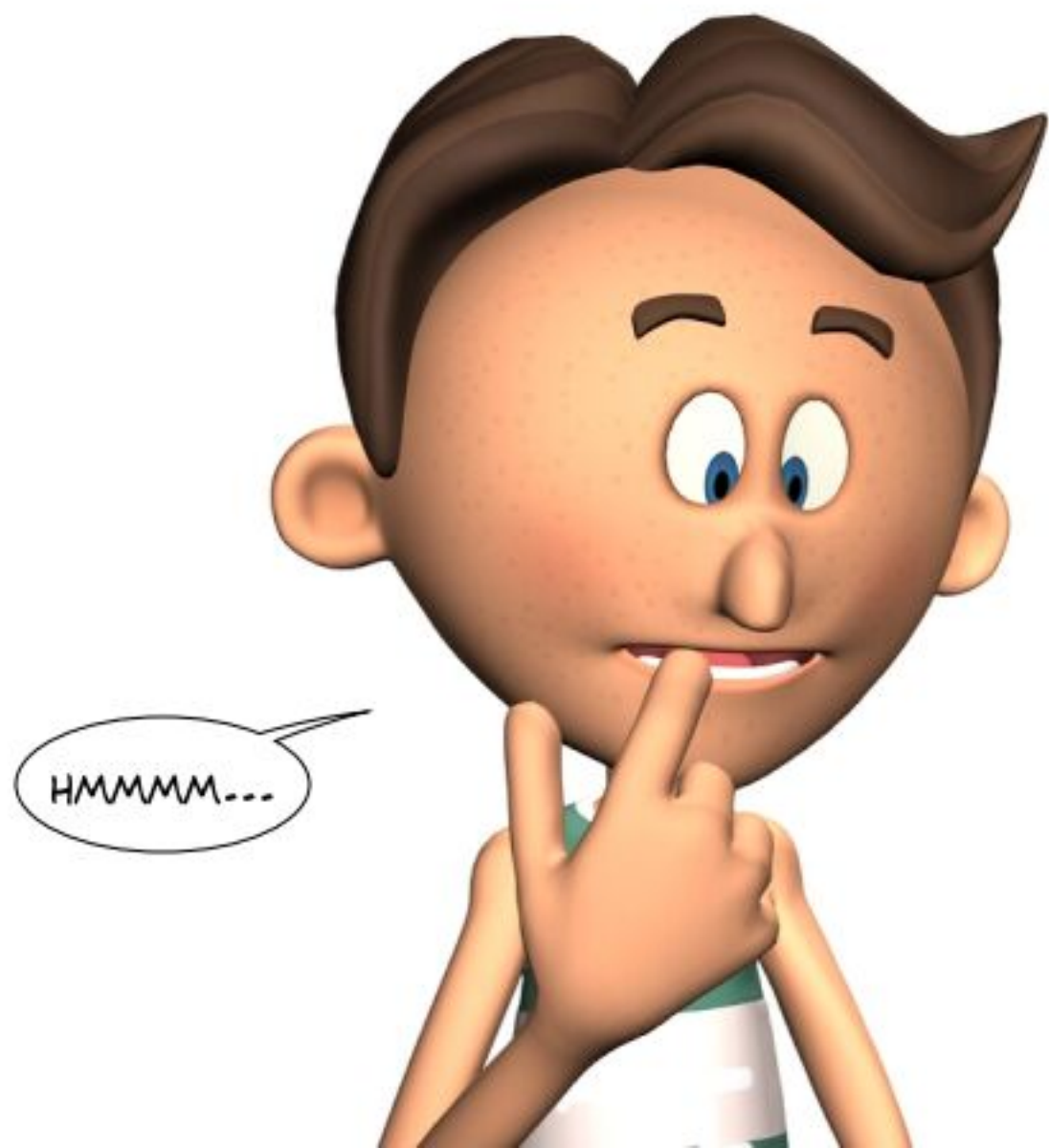




THERE YOU GO
QUOTING THAT
BIBLE AGAIN. I SAY
I'M A CHRISTIAN, SO
THAT MAKES ME A
CHRISTIAN!

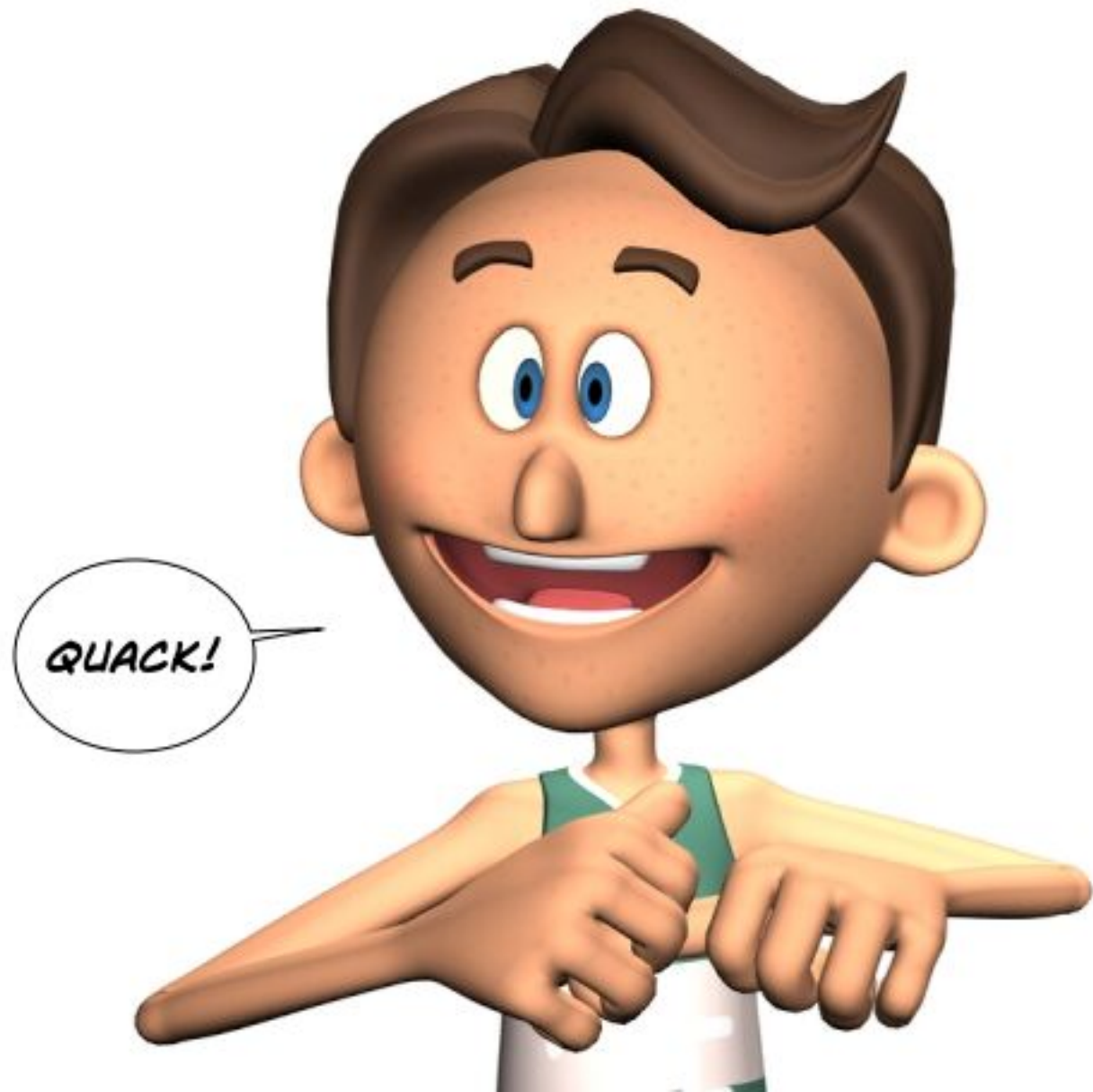


UHHHH... SO
IF YOU SAID
YOU WERE A
DUCK, THAT
WOULD MAKE
YOU A DUCK?





---WELL,
I GUESS IT
WOULD!



QUACK!



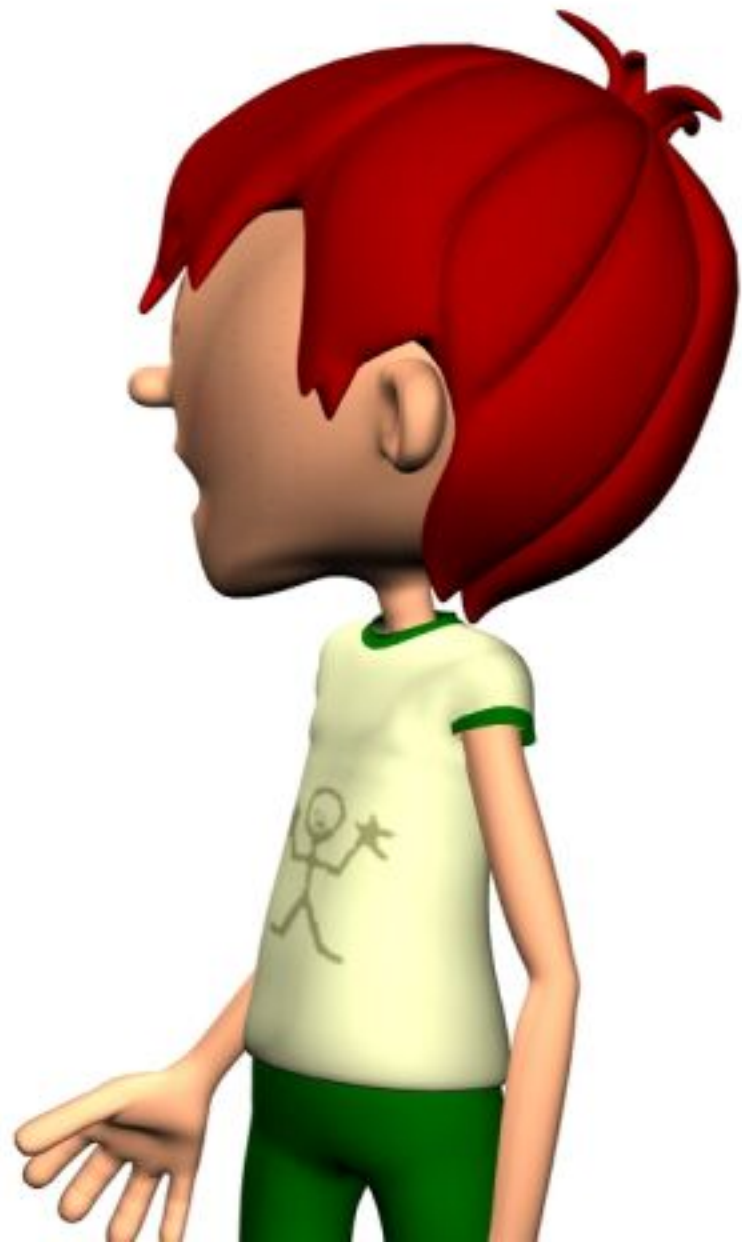
**QUACK,
QUACK,
QUACK!**



A 3D rendered scene featuring two cartoon characters. On the left, a character with short brown hair, wearing a green and white striped tank top and white shorts, is shown from the back. They have their arms crossed and one leg raised, mimicking a duck's posture. A speech bubble next to them contains the text 'QUACK, QUACK, QUACK!'. On the right, a character with bright red hair, wearing a light green t-shirt with a stick figure graphic and green pants, is shown in profile, looking towards the first character with an open mouth as if speaking or reacting.

QUACK,
QUACK,
QUACK!

QUACK
QUACK!





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