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Response to article "Facing Questions of Faith"

Answer the following questions **based on the information in the article.**

1. "When faith questions arise in my life...I may feel _____,
_____, even _____."
2. The article states, "Faith development requires us to take responsibility for what we believe." Why is it important for an adult – you! – to take responsibility for what they believe? Explain with an example.
3. The article says, "...now there are all sorts of 'gray areas' to life. Good and bad are tougher to sort out, and simple, direct answers don't always work." What is one "gray area" in your life right now? Why is it a "gray area"? Explain as specifically as possible.

4. The article discusses five ways to wrestle with the faith questions you may have.

a. List them.

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2)

3)

4)

5)

b. Explain the “family” that is spoken of in #4 – is it the people in your house? What does it mean?

c. Choose 1 of the *other* (not #4) ways to wrestle with faith questions. Write it out. Explain a situation in your own life when it has been important to use this method to come to an understanding of something important.