

## Appendix

### Instrument

Please print a number from 1 to 5 to indicate how you feel about it.

Use the following scale to indicate how you feel about each item:

1. Strongly disagree
2. Disagree
3. Not certain
4. Agree
5. Strongly agree

- \_\_\_\_\_ Religion is out of touch with my experience and interests.
- \_\_\_\_\_ I cannot believe in a personal God.
- \_\_\_\_\_ I do not believe that there is any life after death.
- \_\_\_\_\_ The clergy are completely out of touch with young people today.
- \_\_\_\_\_ In the past religion has done more harm than good to mankind.
- \_\_\_\_\_ I see too much innocent suffering to believe in a good God who is all powerful.
- \_\_\_\_\_ The church should not dictate a way of living and a moral code for everyone.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Religious education in school is uninteresting and ineffective.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Sermons in church are a boring waste of time.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Money and enjoyment are more important to me than religion.
- \_\_\_\_\_ If God does exist, I want evidence to help me believe.
- \_\_\_\_\_ I find it hard to accept that the miracles of Jesus really happened.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Going to church is a dull, meaningless ritual.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Most religious people are hypocrites who do not practice what they believe.
- \_\_\_\_\_ I get no satisfaction from going to church on Sundays.
- \_\_\_\_\_ The resurrection is unbelievable because people do not come back from the dead.
- \_\_\_\_\_ God is something which people create for themselves.
- \_\_\_\_\_ The church has not helped me get any satisfactory ideas about God.
- \_\_\_\_\_ The church is out of date and has no attraction for me.
- \_\_\_\_\_ The universe is entirely governed by chance.

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