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**Religiosity scale**

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| Original English | Translation (Latvian) |
| 1. Belief in a religion helps one understand the meaning of life. | 1. Ticība reliģijai palīdz saprast dzīves jēgu. |
| 1. Religion helps people make good choices for their lives. | 1. Reliģija palīdz cilvēkiem izdarīt labas izvēles savās dzīvēs. |
| 1. Religious faith contributes to good mental health. | 1. Reliģiskā ticība veicina labu psihisko veselību. |
| 1. Religion slows down human progress. | 1. Reliģija palēnina cilvēces progresu. |
| 1. There is a supreme being controlling the universe. | 1. Ir kāda augstāka būtne, kas kontrolē visumu. |
| 1. Religion makes people healthier. | 1. Reliģija dara cilvēkus veselīgākus. |
| 1. Religion makes people happier. | 1. Reliģija dara cilvēkus laimīgākus. |
| 1. Belief in a religion makes people good citizens. | 1. Ticība reliģijai padara cilvēkus par labiem pilsoņiem. |
| 1. Religious practice makes it harder for people to think independently. | 1. Reliģijas prakse cilvēkiem padara grūtāku neatkarīgu domāšanu. |
| 1. Only weak people need religion. | 1. Tikai vājiem cilvēkiem ir vajadzīga reliģija. |
| 1. Religion makes people escape from reality. | 1. Reliģija liek cilvēkiem bēgt no realitātes. |
| 1. Practicing a religion unites people with others. | 1. Reliģijas praktizēšana cilvēkus vieno ar citiem. |
| 1. Religious people are more likely to maintain moral standards. | 1. Reliģiski cilvēki vairāk sliecas uzturēt morāles standartus. |
| 1. Religious beliefs lead to unscientific thinking. | 1. Reliģiski uzskati ved pie nezinātniskas domāšanas. |
| 1. Ignorance leads people to believe in a supreme being. | 1. Nezināšana liek cilvēkiem ticēt augstākai būtnei. |
| 1. Evidence of a supreme being is everywhere for those who seek its signs. | 1. Pierādījumi augstākai būtnei ir it visur, priekš tiem, kuri meklē zīmes. |
| 1. Religion contradicts science. | 1. Reliģija ir pretrunā ar zinātni. |

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