Methodological details for Pond, DeWall, Carter, & McCullough (2011) Study 3 (direct replication of Schmeichel et al. (2003) Study 1)

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Subjects were first asked to complete 20 sentence scrambles. They were randomly assigned to receive sentence scrambles that contained either religious words (e.g., "spirit", "divine", and "God") or neutral words. This served as the religious prime vs control.

Then, subjects were asked to watch a silent video of a woman being interviewed while random words appeared at the bottom of the screen (here's the clip: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EDudVLkXk_4). Subjects were randomly assigned to ignore the words on the screen (i.e., attention-control) or watch the video freely.

Last, subjects completed 10 reading comprehension problems from the Verbal GRE. The dv was the total number of GRE questions answered correctly.

Data for meta-analysis are from the "control" subjects who did not receive the religious prime prior to watching the video.

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