

Title: The Transcendental Experience of Karl Rahner as a Starting Point of the Reflexion of Credibility of Christianity

Abstract: In a broader scope, this master's thesis concerns with the question, how (or even whether) it is possible to show the credibility of the Christian faith in today's society, especially to those who are not believers. Specifically it is focused on the way, how Karl Rahner tried to solve this question. The starting point of his solution is the so called „transcendental experience“ that is common to all people; furthermore, it is so basic that it would not be possible any thinking or action without it. Although it is so basic, it is also hidden for human, which constitutes the main problem with its clarification. In this thesis, I am focussing first on the solution of this matter in *Hörer des Wortes* and then in his late works: *Gotteserfahrung heute*, *Gotteserfahrung und Selbsterfahrung* a *Grundkurs des Glaubens*.