

One Sentence

The New Testament is the _____
and _____ of God to believers
that are embodied in the life
and teachings of _____ .

(Make it your goal to understand each book in one sentence.)

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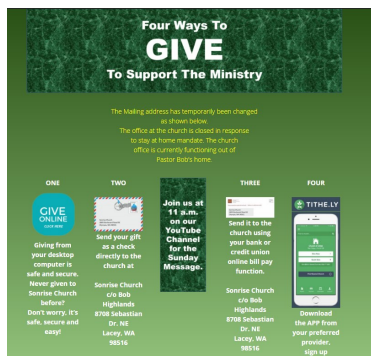
Inductive Bible Study

- _____
 - ◆ Lord, Help me _____ it.
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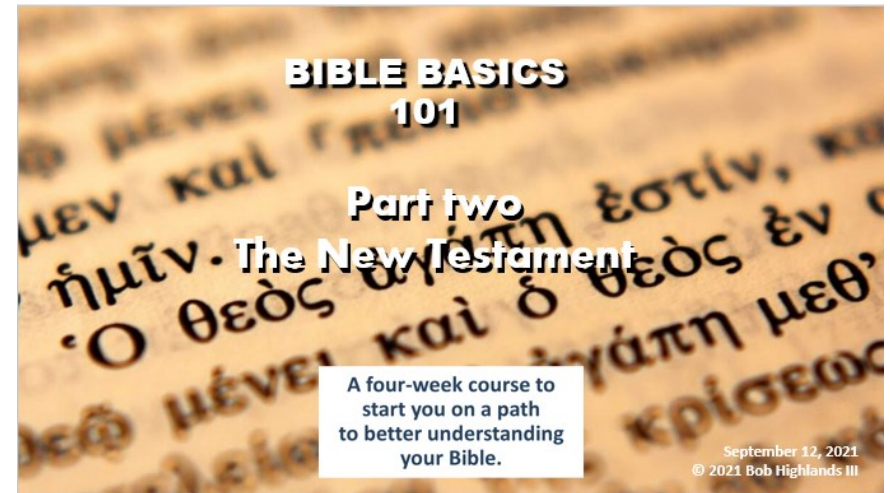


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The Back Story

- ◆ _____ born, lived, died, resurrected and crowned.
- ◆ First followers were _____ but as time passed _____ entered the church and caused conflict.
- ◆ As the church grew _____ and the _____ were opposed to believers because of their beliefs.
- ◆ The _____ was written by 1st and 2nd generation Christians to share Jesus, answer questions and keep or get believers on track.

N. T. QUICK Facts

- ◆ ___ books = ___ narratives, ___ Letters & ___ Prophecy
- ◆ ___ different authors (witnesses) = Pharisee, Tax collector, Doctor, 2 brothers of Jesus, Disciple of Peter, 2 Fishermen, 1 Unknown
- ◆ _____ is the only non-Jewish writer
- ◆ Written in _____ over _____ years from 44 C.E. to about 95 C.E.
- ◆ _____ chapters, 7,957 verses, about 184,600 words

Understanding TESTAMENTS

- ◆ The Old & New _____ are actually _____ or _____ between God and man.
- ◆ This means this is an _____, pact, _____ uniting parties legally.
- ◆ Luke 22.20 “after the supper he took the cup, saying, “This cup is the _____ in my blood,”

5 Types of Books

- ◆ _____ (true) narrative of the life and times of Jesus Christ the Son of God.
 - ◆ Matthew, Mark, Luke, John
- ◆ _____ of the Acts of the Holy Spirit in establishing the Church in the first century.
 - ◆ Acts
- ◆ _____ for Christian believers in letters.
 - ◆ Romans and Hebrews
- ◆ _____ to Churches and Friends on Christian living.
 - ◆ 1 & 2 Corinthians, Galatians, Ephesians, Philippians, Colossians, 1 & 2 Thessalonians, 1 & 2 Timothy, Titus, Philemon, James, 1 & 2 Peter, 1, 2, 3 John, Jude
- ◆ _____ about Apocalypse that reveals the outcome of everything in the battle between Good and Evil. (WE ____!)
 - ◆ Revelation – sent to 7 churches

What IF

- ◆ What if there was _____ a NEW TESTAMENT to refer to?
- ◆ There would be _____ information about Jesus' life, death and resurrection.
- ◆ We would have _____ of his teaching, commandments, parables.

- ◆ No code of Christian _____.
- ◆ People would have an _____ to act the way they are today.
- ◆ _____ there is a New Testament and people have no excuse.

Proclaiming is not Predicting

- ◆ For all the Prophets and the Law _____ until John. Mt. 11.13
- ◆ For _____ never had its origin in the will of man, but men spoke from God as they were carried along by the Holy Spirit. 2 Peter 1.21
- ◆ _____ is the _____ of truth and sometimes it is _____ the future.

Course Choices

- ◆ All Scripture is God-breathed and is useful for _____, _____, _____ and _____ **in righteousness**, so that the man of God may be thoroughly equipped for every good work. 2 Tim. 3.16-17
- ◆ These writings are God-breathed or inspired by God so we may know truth and be able to make informed daily _____ that will directly impact eternity.

Understanding

- ◆ Scripture _____ Scripture
- ◆ Nothing out of _____
- ◆ The Easy _____ the Hard
- ◆ Jesus is _____
- ◆ You cannot leave the _____ and _____ of the Bible to professionals.