

School of EVANGELISM

TRAINING THE SAVED TO TEACH THE LOST



LET'S TALK ABOUT THE METHOD

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to the
BIBLE

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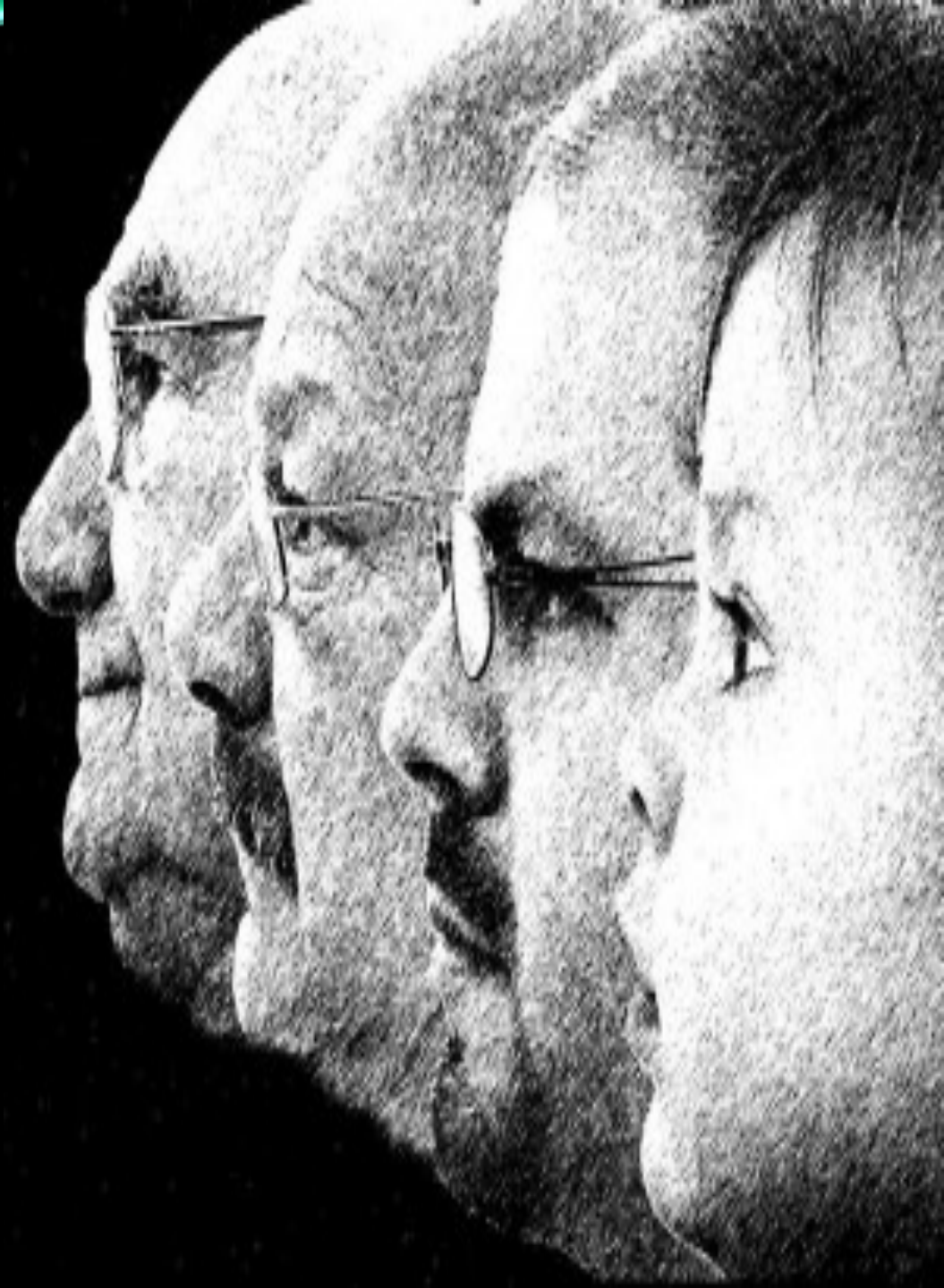
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WE ARE LOSING

- We have a generation that has risen who knows not Personal Bible study



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There are thousands of congregations, with over a million Christians who by in large are untrained in how to conduct a Personal Bible Study.



**HOW DO
YOU USE IT**

LET'S TALK ABOUT THE METHOD

2 Timothy 2:2

“And the things that thou hast heard of me among many witnesses, the same commit thou to faithful men, who shall be able to teach others also.”



THE GREAT COMMISSION

Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost: Teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you: and, lo, I am with you always, even unto the end of the world. Amen.”

The Great Omission

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Simple



SIMPLE



- New converts use it
- Just three studies
- 90 minutes to complete
- Yes & No, Fill in the Blank



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A PERSONAL EVANGELISM WORKBOOK



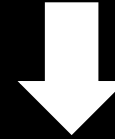
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The Map Of Revelation

"All truth" - GOD THE FATHER



God the Son



God the Holy Spirit



Apostles

The Inspired Word is Our Only Guide In Religion

John 20:30-31

And many other signs truly did Jesus in the presence of his disciples, which are not written in the book: But these are written, that ye might believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God; and that believing ye might have life through his name.

These things are written that you might Believe that Jesus is the Son of God and that you might have Life through his name

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1 John 5:13

These things have I written unto you that believe on the name of the Son of God; that ye may know that ye have eternal life, and that ye may believe on the name of the Son of God.

These things are written that you may know you have eternal life.

Romans 10:17

So then faith cometh by hearing, and hearing by the word of God.

How does faith come? Hearing

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James 1:21

Wherefore lay apart all filthiness and superfluity of naughtiness, and receive with meekness the **engrafted word**, which is able to save your soul.

What is able to save your soul? Engrafted word

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1 Peter 1:23

Being born again, not of corruptible seed, but of incorruptible, by the word of God, which liveth and abideth for ever.

How is one born again? Word of God

Should you go to any other source to learn how to be saved?

No

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2 Timothy 3:16-17

All scripture is given by inspiration of God, and is profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for instruction in righteousness:

That the man of God may be perfect, thoroughly furnished unto all good works.

Does the Bible thoroughly furnish us unto every good work? Yes

Do we need additional revelations to make us complete before God?

No

Do we need the Book of Mormon to make us complete spiritually? No

Do we need Church Traditions, Manuals, Creed Books, Confession of

Faith to make us complete spiritually? No 4-5.

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2 Peter 1:3

According as his divine power hath given unto us all things that pertain unto life and godliness, through the knowledge of him that hath called us to glory and virtue.

Has God given us all things that pertain to life and godliness?

Yes

Since God has given us all things that pertain to life and godliness in the Bible, should any other source be used as our religious authority? No

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We Must Add To Or Take Away From God's Word

Deuteronomy 4:2

Ye shall not add unto the word which I command you, neither shall ye diminish ought from it, that ye may keep the commandments of the Lord your God which I command you.

Would you please God if we added to, or deleted anything from his word? No

Galatians 1:6-9

...But though we, or an angel from heaven, preach any other gospel unto you than that which we have preached unto you, let him be accursed...

Will we be accursed if we add to, or take away from the Bible?

Yes

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We Must Add To Or Take Away From God's Word

Leviticus 10:1-2

And Nadab and Abihu, the sons of Aaron, took either of them his censer, and put fire therein, and put incense thereon, and offered strange fire before the Lord, which he commanded them not.

These men offered strange fire before the Lord, which he Commanded them not

Did they alter God's Commandments? Yes

Was God pleased with them? No

Must we be careful how we handle the word of God? Yes

We Must Add To Or Take Away From God's Word

2 John 9

Whosoever transgresseth, and abideth not in the doctrine of Christ, hath not God, He that abideth in the doctrine of Christ, he hath both the Father and the Son.

If we do not abide in the doctrine of Christ, is God pleased? No

Do you want to please God? Yes

Matthew 15:9

But in vain they worship me, teaching for doctrines the commandments of men.

Their worship to God was unacceptable because they taught for doctrines the commandments of men

We Must Add To Or Take Away From God's Word

Matthew 7:21

Not every one that saith unto me, Lord, Lord, shall not enter into the kingdom of heaven; but he that doeth the will of my Father which is in heaven.

Who will be allowed to enter heaven?

He who doeth the Father's Will

Do you want to go to heaven? Yes

We Are Under Which Law?

Hebrews 1:1-2

God, who at sundry times and in divers manners spake in time past unto the fathers by the prophet. Hath in these last days spoken unto us by his Son, whom also he made the worlds.

God formerly gave his revelations to the fathers by the Prophets but today he speaks to us through His Son

Matthew 28:18

And Jesus came and spake unto them, saying, All power is given unto me in heaven and in earth.

How much authority did God give Jesus? All

We Are Under Which Law?

John 12:48

He that rejecteth me, and receiveth not my words, hath one that judgeth him: the word that I have spoken, the same shall judge him in the last days.

We will be judged by the words of Jesus

John 1:17

For the law was given by Moses, but grace and truth came by Jesus Christ

The law was given by Moses

Grace and truth came by Jesus

We Are Under Which Law?

Hebrews 9:15-17

And for this cause he is the mediator of the new testament, that by means of death, for the redemption of the transgression that were under the first testament, they which are called might receive the promise of eternal inheritance.

Is Jesus the mediator of the New Testament? Yes

When did the New Testament of Jesus go into effect?

At death

We Are Under Which Law?

Hebrews 8:6-7

But now hath he obtained a more excellent ministry, by how much also he is the mediator of a better covenant, which was established upon better promises. For if that first covenant had been faultless, then should no place have been sought for the second.

Is Jesus the mediator of a better covenant? Yes

If that first covenant (the Old Testament) had been faultless, would God have given us the second covenant (the New Testament)? No

Vs. 8 For finding fault with them, he saith...

We Are Under Which Law?

Hebrews 8:13

In that he saith, A new covenant, he hath made the first old. Now that which decayeth and waxeth old is ready to vanish away.

When God gave the New covenant, did he make the first one OLD (no longer in force)? Yes

We Are Under Which Law?

Acts 13:38-39

Be it known unto you therefore, men and brethren, that through this man is preached unto you the forgiveness of sins: And by him all that believe are justified from all things, from which ye could not be justified by the law of Moses.

Can we be justified by the law of Moses? No

We Are Under Which Law?

Galatians 3:11-13

... And the law is not of faith: but, The man that doeth them shall live in them. Christ hath redeemed us from the curse of the law, being made a curse for us: for it is written, Cursed is every one that hangeth on a tree.

Is the law of faith? No

Did Christ redeem us from the curse of the law? Yes

We Are Under Which Law?

Colossians 2:14

Blotting out the handwriting of ordinances that was against us, which was contrary to us, and took it out of the way, nailing it to his cross.

When was the bond written in ordinances abolished?

When Jesus was nailed to the cross

We Are Under Which Law?

Ephesians 2:15

Having abolished in his flesh the enmity, even the **law of commandments** contained in ordinances; for to make in himself of twain one new man, so making peace

What did Jesus abolish in his flesh? The law of commandments

We Are Under Which Law?

Galatians 3:23-25

But before faith came, we were kept under the law, shut up unto the faith which should afterwards be revealed. Wherefore the law was our schoolmaster to bring us unto Christ, that we might be justified by faith. But after that faith is come, we are no longer under a schoolmaster.

Now that faith has come, are we under the law? No

We Are Under Which Law?

Romans 7:4

Wherefore, my brethren, ye also are become dead to the law by the body of Christ; that ye should be married to another, even to him who is raised from the dead, that we should bring forth fruit unto God.

Paul says, "ye also are become dead to the law by the body of Christ."

We Are Under Which Law?

Romans 7:6

But now we are delivered from the law, that being dead wherein we were held; that we should serve in newness of spirit, and not in the oldness of the letter.

Paul says, “ now we are delivered from the law.”

Is the New Testament the law spiritually binding today? Yes

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Are we still under
the Ten
Commandments?

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Old Testament New Testament

Summary

In this lesson we have learned:

1. The teaching of Jesus was from God
2. Jesus received all authority from God:
 - 1). In heaven and on earth
 - 2). Over all flesh
 - 3). Over the church
3. We will be judged by the teaching of Jesus.
4. The Apostles were inspired by the Holy Spirit in what they taught and wrote.

Summary

5. The inspired word is our only guide in religion.
6. We must not add to, or take away from God's word
7. The New Testament is the law which we are under and by which we will be judged.