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BIBLICAL FOUNDATIONS

Description

This course is designed to help you gain a more intimate understanding of God and His word. With a simple proven approach developed by Precept Ministries to reveal truths and allow them to take shape in your life, this course will begin with the foundation of the Bible (Genesis) and the four books that follow and culminate by addressing key question found in a systematic theology course at most evangelical universities.

Goals

By the end of the course students should be able to:

- Mine the treasures of Scripture in a way so memorable that every insight you discover can be yours for life.
- Observe, interpret, and apply Scripture to your life.
- Put you into the Word of God on a daily basis.
- Share how the book of Genesis and the four following books lay the foundation for the word of God.

Text resources

- *The New Inductive Study Bible (NASB)*, Precept Ministries International. 2000
- *Teach Me Your Ways*, Kay Arthur. 1994

Class Requirements/Expectations

The application of the course will be based upon completion of the following in your provided Study Bible:

- Complete the inductive marking approach, chapter themes and charts that parallels the S.G. from Genesis to Deuteronomy (Number is optional).
- Participate in all weekly classroom discussions.
- Complete Inductive Study Methods as prescribed by Precepts for Genesis thru Deuteronomy in a chronology determined by the S.G. *Teach Me Your Ways*.

Evaluation

Evaluation of your work will be regular and on-going. During Finals week we will have a cumulative open notebook and Bible exam.

Tentative Course Schedule

Week	Topic	Assignment
1 – 3	How to use the Inductive Study Bible Approach	NASB Study Bible
4 – 11	“And All Things Were Created by Him and for Him”	Genesis/S.G. 13-46
Christmas Brk	“I Am Everything and Anything You’ll Ever Need” (part A)	Exodus/S.G. 51- 66
1 (Spring)	No Classes	Transition in Baja
2-4	“I Am Everything and Anything You’ll Ever Need” (part B)	Exodus/S.G. 67- 75
5 – 6	Mission Trip to Culiacan	Journal
7-8	“I Am Everything and Anything You’ll Ever Need” (part C)	Exodus/S.G. 76 - 83
9 - 12	“Be Holy Even as I Am Holy” (part A)	Leviticus/S.G. 89 - 100
1 – 3	“Be Holy Even as I Am Holy” (part B)	Leviticus/S.G. 101 - 111
4	Mission Trip to Huicholes (tentative)	Journal
Fast Readers (not required)	“These Things Happened as an Example to Us”	Numbers/S.G. 118 - 139
5 - 11	“This Is Life: Loving God and Obeying Him”	Deuteronomy/S.G. 144 - 167
12	Finals Week	NA

****All course work is subject to change.