

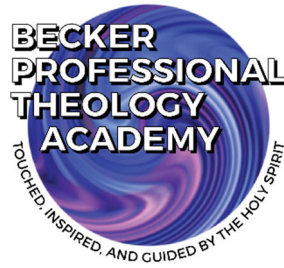
Becker Professional Theology Academy

BI111 – Salvation Fundamentals

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Course Syllabus - BIBL111

Soteriology (Salvation), Bibliology (Bible), Christology (Christ), Eschatology (Last Things)

Course Description

This course covers the journey from Salvation to Baptism to Death to Resurrection to the New Heaven and New Earth. It is a simple walk from one spiritual principle to another, but it is a complex trek that covers four important theological concepts of Soteriology (Salvation), (Bibliology (Bible), Christology (Christ), Eschatology (Last Things).

Underlying Principles

When this course is completed successfully, the student will have a strong and deep understanding of the concepts of the principles of Salvation, Baptism, Death, Resurrection, New Heaven, and New Earth. Unlike most Seminary courses, these principles are taught together to make the student fully aware of how it all ties together. Once these principles are deeply understood, more specific teachings will come from this journey later in their future studies.

- I. Prerequisites
 - a. This is the first class of Becker Professional Theology Academy.
 - b. Acceptance to the Academy is the only prerequisite.

- II. Measurable Learning Outcomes Upon Successful Completion
 - a. Identify the principles of Salvation, Baptism, Death, Resurrection, New Heaven, and New Earth
 - b. Apply these principles to their precise interpretation of biblical text
 - c. Analyze possible false teachings that they are aware
 - d. Implement general program ideas for Altar Calls, Street Salvation, Family Worship, Water Baptism, Holy Spirit Baptism, and Burial

- e. Evaluate current programs in their communities to help structure God's Truths into their religious practices.

III. Course Requirements and Assignments

- a. Worksheets – There will be five worksheets to be completed throughout the course. The student is required to complete each worksheet online for grading.
- b. Discussion Board Forums – There will be four discussion boards throughout the course.
- c. Small Essay Exercises – There will be four small essay exercises that ask the student to imagine different spiritual scenarios and react according to the principles that are learned in this course.
- d. Final Test -There will be one final test that will be placed online later in the course 70% score must be made for passing, and three attempts are given. Failure results in a return to the beginning of the class and starting over.

IV. Course Grading and Policies

a. Points

i. Worksheets (5 at 100 pts each)	500
ii. Discussion Board Forums (4 at 25 pts each)	100
iii. Small Essay Exercises (4 at 50 pts each)	200
iv. Final Test (1 at 200 pts)	200

TOTAL 1000

b. Scale

A=900-1000 B=800-899 C=700-799 D=600-699 F=599 and below

c. Late Assignment Policy

- i. This is an 8-week module course.
- ii. Students will be given only 8 weeks to complete their course in their timing.
- iii. The Final Test must be taken before the course closes.

d. Style Guidelines

All assignments for this course may use the parenthetical citation style with the latest edition of the Turbian style manual (*A Manual for Writers of Research Papers, Theses, and Dissertations*) as the desired style.

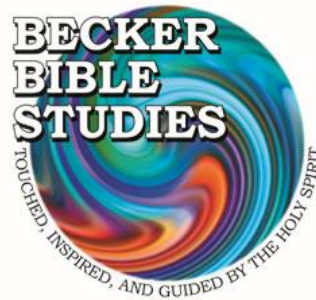
- e. Extra Credit - There will be no extra credit.

Salvation Fundamentals

Lecture 111-1

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What does salvation really mean?

Many Christians think Salvation is the forgiveness of sin and a ticket to Heaven. Others believe that Salvation cleanses you of sin, and prepares you for the Great Judgment Day, when you are resurrected from your grave and face Jesus Christ for His verdict of life or death. One of the great divisions among Faithful Christians is caused because they define Salvation differently. Usually, unaware that their definitions differ, they condemn each other's doctrines for being legalistic or too conservative or too liberal and separate themselves from each other in anger.

If only we could get this definition nailed down and agree on this one important concept in our Christian faith, then many of the splinters and chasms between our Faithful brothers and sisters could be healed. More importantly, our Evangelistic efforts could become more focused, as all the Christians agree on the terminology and add to each other's ministries as they go out to preach and teach to the unsaved.

The doctrine of Salvation is often wadded up into this big ball that encompasses prayer, baptism, forgiveness, hell, Heaven, faith, peace, righteousness, gifts, and evangelism. When we leave our churches prepared to fulfill the great commission of Jesus Christ, to spread the Good News to all corners of the world, Salvation is the one word every Christian, on every Mission, speaks and the one word that cannot be defined confidently because of this confusion.

The word Salvation has become corrupted, as various doctrines of various beliefs defined it differently. Eventually, these different definitions combined, confused, and crippled the Evangelist and the sinner, as the unified definitions of Salvation became so confusing that no one dares try to explain it, for fear of looking stupid and faithless. It's time we understand this important concept completely, and reach agreement to the basic tenets of Salvation, so our own Christian walk, and our evangelization efforts are fruitful and reveal the wonderful Grace of our LORD God.

What does it mean to be saved?

The Hebrew word for Salvation that is written in the Old Testament of the Word of God is "yeshuwah" and means literally "something saved" and abstractly "deliverance." The Greek word for Salvation that is written in the New Testament of the Word of God is "soteria" and means literally the act of "physical and moral rescue".

Salvation means deliverance!

In all my travels, in remembering all the words spoken by Preachers, Teachers and Evangelists through the Word of God that is the meaning they understood. DELIVERANCE! Every Christian Church, every Christian Leader, every Christian Faithful believes that Salvation means DELIVERANCE!

It is not the definition of the word Salvation that causes the chasms to develop, to misdirect the focus of the Word of God. We all agree on the meaning of Salvation; the disagreement amongst our faithful brethren lies with the things we are delivered from, what results after we are delivered and why we need deliverance in the first place!

What do we need DELIVERED from?

Salvation means deliverance from our sinful nature!

"For all have sinned, and come short of the glory of God;" (Romans 3:23)

1. Our souls are not condemned because we do great sin. We are condemned because of our sinful state!
2. All unsaved people do bad actions because their heart, their core, their complete being has sin that originated from Adam's transgression against the Will of God.
3. Some unsaved do terrible sins, and some unsaved have no sign of the terrible condition of sin.

That does not mean that some are greater sinners than others. Every living human being has the full sinful nature inside him. Some may well be able to subdue those basic instincts, while others are controlled by the same sinful natures to do grievous harm to others; both the noble and the derelict have the same nature inside them. If an unsaved person does not outwardly sin, self-control may be present, but the sinful nature still exists. The actions of the unsaved may well differ in degree, but not in guilt or cause!

4. Unsaved sinners must understand that they have sinful natures and are unable to save themselves.

5. All human beings begin life with the sinful nature and fall short of the glory of God.

The LORD God is not present in the sinful realm. Sin is offensive to God. It doesn't matter how much good people do in the world, if their works were done while they harbored their sinful natures. The greatest works in humanity, religion, science, art, medicine, education, and government are made null by the presence of sin, and the LORD God will not see dead works. Those who come from families of "good stock," those who are well-educated and able to advance the human condition to rightful places, those who do good daily and give all they have to others, and those who struggle

daily to live an honest life, are all short of the glory of God, because they have the natures of sin within them.

Salvation means deliverance from eternal death!

“For the wages of sin [is] death; but the gift of God [is] eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord.” (Romans 6:23)

6. Sinners die, no matter what they do in this lifetime. The wages that come to the unsaved is death. Until death is brought to that sinful nature, then it remains inside the unsaved, leading them toward their promised destiny.

7. It takes more than the death of the sinful natures to give the unsaved hope, however. Unsaved people that die and are placed in their graves, are dead unsaved people. Eventually, the unsaved people will be resurrected to face the Judgment of Jesus Christ to answer for the things they did with their sinful natures, but until then, the unsaved lay dead in their graves.

8. The LORD God gives eternal life through Jesus Christ, our Lord, to those who seek deliverance from their sinful natures.

Salvation means deliverance from the ways of the worldly!

“And you [hath he quickened], who were dead in trespasses and sins; Wherein in time past ye walked according to the course of this world, according to the prince of the power of the air, the spirit that now worketh in the children of disobedience: Among whom also we all had our conversation in times past in the lusts of our flesh, fulfilling the desires of the flesh and of the mind; and were by nature the children of wrath, even as others.” (Ephesians 2:1-3)

9. The unsaved people with their sinful natures walk according to the course of the world. The "course of the world" encapsulates the entire degrading, grotesque, ugly things that have developed and become perilously established within our world today. They include those very things spoken of in 2 Timothy 3:1-7...

"This know also, that in the last days perilous times shall come. For men shall be lovers of their own selves, covetous, boasters, proud, blasphemers, disobedient to parents, unthankful, unholy, Without natural affection, trucebreakers, false accusers, incontinent, fierce, despisers of those that are good, Traitors, heady, highminded, lovers of pleasures more than lovers of God; Having a form of godliness, but denying the power thereof: from such turn away. For of this sort are they which creep into houses, and lead captive silly women laden with sins, led away with divers lusts, Ever learning, and never able to come to the knowledge of the truth.” (2 Timothy 3:1-7)

...sexual perversion, the sacrifice of our children, the dirty habits of obscene self-love and self-focus are the ways of the world...these are just of a few of the carnal things of sinful nature that entrap the unsaved in these Last Days.

Salvation means deliverance from the control of Satan!

10. The unsaved that are entrapped by their sinful natures, are led by the prince of the power of air. The prince of the power of air is Lucifer, also known as Satan, the Devil.

Salvation means deliverance from the Wrath of God!

11. People with the unsaved and sinful nature are children of LORD God's wrath.

Salvation means deliverance from a lack of faith!

“For by grace are ye saved through faith; and that not of yourselves: [it is] the gift of God: Not of works, lest any man should boast.” (Ephesians 2:8-9)

12. Salvation can only be received through FAITH. FAITH is the gift of God, given to believers through His wonderful and underserved Grace.

13. The Unsaved cannot give FAITH to themselves. If they could, they would boast of their godly ability. Only the LORD God gives those He Wills the faith to turn toward Him, reject their own sinful natures, and reach toward the righteous and holy nature of God, through the Lord Jesus Christ.

Salvation means deliverance from eternal damnation and a sentence to Hell!

“And I saw a great white throne, and him that sat on it, from whose face the earth and the heaven fled away; and there was found no place for them. And I saw the dead, small and great, stand before God; and the books were opened: and another book was opened, is [the book] of life: and the dead were judged out of those things which were written in the books, according to their works. And the sea gave up the dead which were in it; and death and hell delivered up the dead which were in them: and they were judged every man according to their works. And death and hell were cast into the lake of fire. This is the second death. And whosoever was not found written in the book of life was cast into the lake of fire.” (Revelation 20:11-15)

14. Everyone will one day stand before the Judgment Seat of the LORD God and be judged according to their works or their sins.

15. Those works done by the unsaved are nullified and void; thus it is only their sinful thoughts and deeds that are placed before the Judge. All works of a sinner are vanity. Works are not measured living and righteous when done while the workers had the natures of sin.

16. If the Unsaved maintained their status in their lifetime to their death, then they have no living works that can be measured.

17. Those with dead works, those who chose to go to their grave with their sinful nature and reject the Grace of the Lord God and the salvation through Jesus Christ, will be judged guilty and sentenced to eternal damnation and be cast into the lake of fire.

How does Salvation come to the sinners?

“Be it known unto you all, and to all the people of Israel, that by the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, whom ye crucified, whom God raised from the dead, [even] by him doth this man stand here before you whole. This is the stone which was set at nought of you builders, which is become the head of the corner. Neither is there salvation in any other: for there is none other name under heaven given among men, whereby we must be saved.” (Acts 4:10-12)

Salvation comes to believers through the sacrifice of Jesus Christ!

18. Through the belief and acceptance of the shed blood of Jesus Christ, and His Resurrection from the dead, the unsaved can receive salvation. Acceptance of Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior is the only salvation can come to them, free them from the sinful nature, and make them whole.

How do the Unsaved receive the gift of Salvation from the LORD God?

19. Salvation is a two-step process. The first step is one of belief, and the second step is one of action. If the Unsaved believe, but do nothing, they remain unsaved. If the Unsaved do not believe, but go through the action of a repentant sinner, they too remain unsaved.

“That if thou shalt confess with thy mouth the Lord Jesus, and shalt believe in thine heart that God hath raised him from the dead, thou shalt be saved. For with the heart man believeth unto righteousness; and with the mouth confession is made unto salvation.” (Romans 10:9-10)

Salvation comes by faith in Jesus Christ only!

Steps to Salvation

1. Know that you are a sinner and cannot save yourself.
2. Confess the Lord Jesus Christ as your Savior
3. Believe that Jesus Christ's sacrifice was sufficient to atone for your sins.
4. Be confident that Jesus Christ physically rose from the dead.

What are the results of Salvation?

“I am crucified with Christ: nevertheless I live; yet not I, but Christ liveth in me: and the life which I now live in the flesh I live by the faith of the Son of God, who loved me, and gave himself for me.” (Galatians 2:20)

21. The confessions of Jesus Christ as Savior are crucified with him. (Note...Our Crucifixion is joined to the Crucifixion of Jesus Christ through our Faith. Our Burial is the acceptance of the Baptism of Jesus Christ, which we will speak of in our foundational study of “The Baptism of Jesus Christ”)

Salvation brings more faith and the love of the LORD God!

22. Our crucifixion with Christ allows us to receive more faith and the love of the LORD God.

Salvation makes the Saved holy, unblameable and unreprouvable in the LORD God's sight!

“For it pleased [the Father] that in him should all fulness dwell; And, having made peace through the blood of his cross, by him to reconcile all things unto himself; by him, [I say], whether [they be] things in earth, or things in heaven. And you, that were sometime alienated and enemies in [your] mind by wicked works, yet now hath he reconciled In the body of his flesh through death, to present you holy and unblameable and unreprouvable in his sight: If ye continue in the faith grounded and settled, and [be] not moved away from the hope of the gospel, which ye have heard, [and] which was preached to every creature which is under heaven; whereof I Paul am made a minister;” (Colossians 1:19-23)

23. Salvation establishes peace with the LORD God.

24. Salvation makes Faithful Believers holy, unblameable and unproveable in the LORD God's sight.

Salvation brings Eternal Life!

“For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life.” (John 3:16)

25. Everlasting life is given those who believe in Jesus Christ, the only begotten Son of the LORD God.

Salvation brings the Power of God to your Life!

“For though he was crucified through weakness, yet he liveth by the power of God. For we also are weak in him, but we shall live with him by the power of God toward you. Examine yourselves, whether ye be in the faith; prove your own selves. Know ye not your own selves, how that Jesus Christ is in you, except ye be reprobates?” (2 Corinthians 13:4-5)

26. The Power of the LORD God is with all saved Faithful through Jesus Christ.

What is NOT Salvation?

“For unto us was the gospel preached, as well as unto them: but the word preached did not profit them, not being mixed with faith in them that heard [it].” (Hebrews 4:2)

Salvation does not come to the Unsaved by simply the physical act of uttering words in prayer form! Their heart must be in it with the expression of solid faith.

If the UNSAVED receive the Gospel of Jesus Christ and hear with their heart and agree, then their confession will be heard. Without the understanding and repentant heart, the prayers of the Unsaved are worthless.

Salvation is NOT the physical act of walking down the church aisle following an invitation from the Pastor. The Unsaved can be anywhere, at any time, and receive salvation through their belief and confession in Jesus Christ. It doesn't take a church, and it doesn't take people. It just takes a sincere and repentant heart to accept Jesus Christ and be saved!

Salvation is not contingent on great emotion (or lack of) during the conversion experience. Some feel great elation, some a quiet peace, and some don't feel anything at all. It is a uniquely individual experience, and emotions vary with the experience surrounding the conversion as well as from the scars, blocks, and pains hidden deeply within a person from a life hard-lived.

Salvation does not come to a person just because they want to be saved from going to Hell! The question of whether someone would prefer Heaven to Hell is pointless. Anyone would readily choose Heaven if given the ability to discern the differences between the dwelling place of the most Holy God contrasted with the fiery pits of Hell.

Salvation comes to those who accept the Lord Jesus Christ as Savior; it does not come to those just trying to hedge their bets and cover all bases "just in case."

Does Salvation guarantee Eternal Life?

Yes! Yes! Yes! Your belief in Jesus Christ brings salvation to you, and you are guaranteed eternal life. Your faith in Christ alone is all that is necessary for eternal life.

PRAISE BE TO GOD!

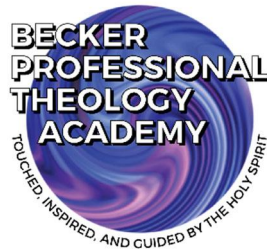
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Worksheet #1

Lecture 111- 1

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1. What are some of the different popular thoughts about Resurrection amongst Christians? (More than one answer)
 - a. Forgiveness of sin
 - b. Ticket to Heaven
 - c. Cleansing of sin
 - d. Preparation for Great Judgment Day
 - e. Purgatory
 - f. Blessed Mary, Mother of Jesus, forgiveness
 - g. Resurrection from the grave
 - h. Resurrection at the moment of death
 - i. Verdict of life or death

2. What do misguided Christians do concerning the different beliefs in Salvation sometimes?
 - a. Condemn each other's doctrines
 - b. Accuse different doctrines of being legalistic
 - c. Accuse different doctrines of being too conservative or too liberal
 - d. Separate themselves from each other in anger
 - e. All the above

3. (Short Essay) What would result if the Christian faithful could agree upon what salvation really means in Scripture?

4. (True or False) Though sometimes related, the doctrine of Salvation does NOT just support other doctrines of belief such as prayer, baptism, forgiveness, hell, Heaven, faith, peace, righteousness, gifts, and evangelism.
 - a. True
 - b. False
5. (True or False) The doctrine of Salvation is a specific, purposeful, wonderful principles that include much more than usual Christians consider.
6. (Small Essay) What is the Great Commission of Jesus Christ?
7. What is the one doctrine of the LORD God that will be ALWAYS spoken during the carrying out of the Great Commission of Jesus Christ?
 - a. Hell
 - b. Heaven
 - c. Evangelism
 - d. Salvation
 - e. All the above
8. What effects did the corruption of the doctrine of Salvation with various beliefs and different definitions cause?
 - a. Confused Evangelists
 - b. Confused Sinners
 - c. Made Evangelists feel stupid in trying to define it
 - d. All the above
9. (True or False) As Evangelists, we must understand the basic tenets of Salvation, so our efforts reveal the wonderful Grace of our LORD God.
 - a. True
 - b. False
10. What is the Hebrew word for “salvation”?
 - a. Yeshuwah
 - b. Soteria
 - c. Salvatory
 - d. All the above

11. What does the Hebrew word for “salvation” mean?
 - a. Something saved
 - b. Something lost
 - c. Something for Heaven
 - d. Something for the grave

12. What is the Greek word for salvation?
 - a. Yeshuwah
 - b. Soteria
 - c. Salvatory
 - d. All the above

13. What does the Greek word for “salvation” mean?
 - a. Physical and moral rescue
 - b. Physical baptism
 - c. Physical repentance
 - d. All the above

14. What is the one meaning of “salvation” that is understood by Christian Preachers, Teachers, and Evangelists of the Word of God?
 - a. Deliverance
 - b. The reason for the need of deliverance
 - c. What a sinner is delivered from
 - d. Why a sinner needs to be delivered in the first place

15. What do we need delivered from in our natures?
 - a. Pride
 - b. Wrath
 - c. Righteousness
 - d. Sin

16. Who are sinners according to Romans 3:23?
 - a. Homeless
 - b. Drug Addicts
 - c. Some
 - d. All
 - e. None

17. What do all sinners come short?
- The glory of holiness
 - The glory of God
 - The glory of Christ
 - The glory of themselves
 - The glory of the world
18. Why are we condemned because of sin?
- Because some do great sin
 - Because some don't follow church doctrine
 - Because some sins are worse than others
 - Because of our sinful state
19. Where do unsaved people's bad actions come from?
- Their heart
 - Their core
 - Their complete being
 - All the above
20. Where did sin originate?
- From bad hearts
 - From the serpent in the Garden of Eden
 - From the devil
 - From Adam's transgression against the Will of God
21. (True or False) Some unsaved do terrible sins, and some unsaved have no sign of the terrible condition of sin.
- True
 - False
22. (True or False) Every living human being has the full sinful nature inside him.
- True
 - False
23. How do some unsaved sinners avoid visible sin?
- Basic instincts
 - Good training by their parents
 - An easy life of rank and privileges
 - All the above

24. What type of nature do those that do grievous harm to others?
- The same nature as all other human beings
 - Noble
 - Derelict
 - Bums
 - Evil ones
25. (True or False) Both the noble and the derelict have the same natures inside them.
- True
 - False
26. What helps an unsaved person to not outwardly sin?
- Self-control
 - Money
 - Holiness
 - The sinful nature is gone
 - All the above
27. (True or False) The actions of the unsaved will differ in degree, but not in guilt or cause.
- True
 - False
28. How do unsaved sinners save themselves?
- By controlling their outward nature
 - By offering sacrifice to the LORD God
 - By negotiating offerings for favor
 - By going to church
 - By praying seven times a day
 - Sinners are unable to save themselves
29. Where does the LORD God occupy in the sinful realm?
- He is with all sinners to help them navigate
 - He is NOT present
 - He is with those that do great works in the world
 - He is everywhere
30. (True or False) The greatest works in humanity, religion, science, art, medicine, education, and government are made null by the presence of sin, and the LORD God will not see dead works.
- True
 - False

31. (True or False) Those who come from families of “good stock” can be part of the glory of God without considering their salvation.
- True
 - False
32. (True or False) Those that do good daily and give all they have to orphans and widows still fall short of the glory of God because of their sinful natures.
- True
 - False
33. What are the wages of sin according to Romans 6:23?
- Life
 - Death
 - Gift
 - Favor
34. What is the gift of God?
- Death
 - Life
 - Eternal life
 - Eternal death
35. Who does the LORD God give the gift through according to Romans 6:23?
- The Roman Catholic Church
 - The Protestant Church
 - All Churches
 - Jesus Christ
36. What happens to sinners in this lifetime?
- Death
 - Death
 - Death
 - All the above
37. When the unsaved die, where do they go?
- Hell
 - Heaven
 - Purgatory
 - Grave

38. When will the graves of the unsaved open?

- a. Never
- b. When Satan comes to get them
- c. When the Judgment of Jesus Christ resurrects them
- d. When they have paid the price and can ascend to Heaven

39. (True or False) The LORD God gives eternal life through Jesus Christ to those who seek deliverance from their sinful natures.

- a. True
- b. False

40. What Scripture speaks of deliverance from the ways of the worldly?

- a. 2 Timothy 3:1-7
- b. Ephesians 2:1-3
- c. Hebrews 4:2
- d. 2 Corinthians 13:4-5
- e. Answers a & b
- f. All the above

41. How do the unsaved sinful-nature people walk?

- a. Walk like saints
- b. Walk in the course of this world
- c. Walk like they are most powerful
- d. Walk like Christians

42. What type of walks do the unsaved have according to 2 Timothy 3:1-7? (List their ungodly activities)

- a. ?
- b. ?
- c. ?
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43. Who is the “prince of the power?”

- a. Lucifer
- b. Satan
- c. Devil
- d. All the above

44. Who are children of the LORD God’s wrath?

- a. Unsaved sinners
- b. Saved righteous
- c. Rich sinners
- d. None of the above

45. What is a good Scripture reference that says it is God’s gift of grace, and not individual works, that saves someone?

- a. Ephesians 2:8-9
- b. Revelation 20:11-15
- c. 2 Timothy 3:1-7
- d. Ephesians 2:1-3
- e. Hebrews 4:2
- f. 2 Corinthians 13:4-5

46. How can one receive salvation from the LORD God?

- a. Through His grace alone
- b. Through faith of the repentant sinner
- c. Through good works that magnify righteousness
- d. A & B
- e. B & C
- f. All the above

47. How does a repentant sinner get faith?
- Reads a Bible continuously
 - Goes to church
 - Given only by the LORD God as a gift
 - Tithe great amounts to monumental works
48. (True or False) Salvation means deliverance from a lack of faith!
- True
 - False
49. (True or False) Salvation is a gift from the LORD God.
- True
 - False
50. (True or False) Salvation can only be received through faith in Jesus Christ.
- True
 - False
51. (True or False) The salvation that is given by the LORD God is undeserved by the sinner.
- True
 - False
52. (True or False) Salvation comes from the Lord Jesus Christ, not the LORD God.
- True
 - False
53. (True or False) The unsaved can give faith to themselves by confessing their sins and being confident that God heard.
- True
 - False
54. What would the Unsaved boast about if they were able to give faith of salvation to themselves?
- Their godly ability
 - Their purity
 - Their stupidity
 - Their sins
55. (True or False) Only the LORD God gives those He wills the faith to turn toward Him.
- True
 - False

56. (True or False) Only the LORD God gives those He wills the faith to reject their own sinful natures.
- True
 - False
57. (True or False) Only the LORD God gives those He wills the faith to reach toward the righteous and holy nature of the LORD God through the Lord Jesus Christ, their Savior.
- True
 - False
58. (True or False) Salvation means deliverance from eternal damnation and a sentence to Hell.
- True
 - False
59. How are the works judged by the LORD God who are done by the unsaved?
- There are no living works judgable
 - Great works of humanity qualify
 - Simple works given to the poorest of the poor is on Christ's mind
 - None of the above
60. What happens to the unsaved who reject salvation and have only dead works?
- They will be judged guilty
 - They will be sentenced to eternal damnation
 - They will be cast into the lake of fire
 - All the above
61. (True or False) Salvation comes to believers through the sacrifice of Jesus Christ ONLY!
- True
 - False
62. (True or False) Salvation is a two-step process.
- True
 - False
63. What steps are required for salvation to be applied to the Unsaved?
- Faith only
 - Belief then action
 - All people will be saved
 - None of the above

64. Write the four Steps to Salvation (by memory if possible)
- ?
 - ?
 - ?
 - ?
65. (Fill in the Blank) The confessors of Jesus Christ as Savior are _____?
- Set free
 - Crucified with Him
 - Given eternal life immediately
 - None of the above
66. (True or False) Crucifixion with Christ gives us more faith and love of the LORD God.
- True
 - False
67. Salvation makes the Saved:
- Holy
 - Unblameable
 - Unreproveable
 - All the above
68. (True or False) Peace with the LORD God is established with Salvation.
- True
 - False
69. What is the perfect Scripture verse for the idea that Salvation brings Eternal Life?
- John 1:1
 - John 4:2
 - John 3:16
 - John 5:8
70. Which Saved receive the Power of the LORD God through Jesus Christ?
- Those that study their Bibles
 - Those that channel the Holy Spirit well
 - All Saved receive the Power of God
 - None of the above
71. (True or False) The Unsaved must only utter words in prayer form, without repentance, to be Saved.
- True
 - False

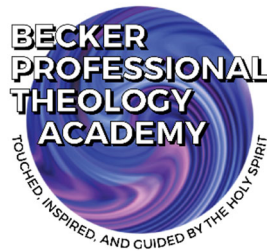
72. (True or False) The Unsaved must hear the Gospel of Jesus Christ before they can be saved.
- True
 - False
73. (Small Essay) What parts of the Gospel must a Sinner hear before salvation?
74. (True or False) Without the understanding and repentant heart, the prayers of the Unsaved are worthless.
- True
 - False
75. (True or False) A Sinner can only be saved within the Church at the altar.
- True
 - False
76. What emotions do newly Saved people feel?
- Elation
 - Peace
 - Nothing
 - All the above
77. (True or False) Salvation comes to the Unsaved because they fear going to Hell.
- True
 - False
78. (True or False) Salvation comes to those who accept the Lord Jesus Christ as Savior.
- True
 - False
79. (True or False) Salvation comes to those that hedge their bets and cover all bases “just in case” when it comes to confessing belief in Christ.
- True
 - False
80. (True or False) Salvation guarantees Eternal Life!
- True
 - True
 - True
 - All the above

Discussion Board #1

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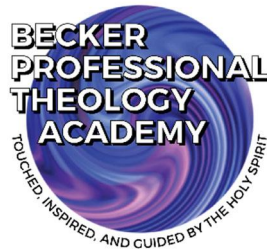
Discussion Board #1 – How do Believers accept the call of the Lord and receive Salvation in your cultures? Is it altar calls, personal prayers, successful street preaching, or family expectations? Please vividly capture moments you have seen of the acceptance of Christ as Savior, and share what you know.

Quiz #1

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1. What is the one doctrine of the LORD God that will be ALWAYS spoken during the carrying out of the Great Commission of Jesus Christ?
 - a. Hell
 - b. Heaven
 - c. Evangelism
 - d. Salvation
 - e. All the above
2. What is the Hebrew word for “salvation”?
 - a. Yeshuwah
 - b. Soteria
 - c. Salvatory
 - d. All the above
3. What is the Greek word for salvation?
 - a. Yeshuwah
 - b. Soteria
 - c. Salvatory
 - d. All the above

4. What is the one meaning of “salvation” that is understood by Christian Preachers, Teachers, and Evangelists of the Word of God?
 - a. Deliverance
 - b. The reason for the need of deliverance
 - c. What a sinner is delivered from
 - d. Why a sinner needs to be delivered in the first place

5. Why are we condemned because of sin?
 - a. Because some do great sin
 - b. Because some don't follow church doctrine
 - c. Because some sins are worse than others
 - d. Because of our sinful state

6. (True or False) Some unsaved do terrible sins, and some unsaved have no sign of the terrible condition of sin.
 - a. True
 - b. False

7. (True or False) Every living human being has the full sinful nature inside him.
 - a. True
 - b. False

8. How do some unsaved sinners avoid visible sin?
 - a. Basic instincts
 - b. Good training by their parents
 - c. An easy life of rank and privileges
 - d. All the above

9. (True or False) Both the noble and the derelict have the same natures inside them.
 - a. True
 - b. False

10. What helps an unsaved person to not outwardly sin?
 - a. Self-control
 - b. Money
 - c. Holiness
 - d. The sinful nature is gone
 - e. All the above

11. (True or False) The actions of the unsaved will differ in degree, but not in guilt or cause.
 - a. True
 - b. False

12. (True or False) The greatest works in humanity, religion, science, art, medicine, education, and government are made null by the presence of sin, and the LORD God will not see dead works.
- True
 - False
13. What happens to sinners in this lifetime?
- Death
 - Death
 - Death
 - All the above
14. When the unsaved die, where do they go?
- Hell
 - Heaven
 - Purgatory
 - Grave
15. What is a good Scripture reference that says it is God's gift of grace, and not individual works, that saves someone?
- Ephesians 2:8-9
 - Revelation 20:11-15
 - 2 Timothy 3:1-7
 - Ephesians 2:1-3
 - Hebrews 4:2
 - 2 Corinthians 13:4-5
16. How can one receive salvation from the LORD God?
- Through His grace alone
 - Through faith of the repentant sinner
 - Through good works that magnify righteousness
 - A & B
 - B & C
 - All the above
17. What steps are required for salvation to be applied to the Unsaved?
- Faith only
 - Belief then action
 - All people will be saved
 - None of the above

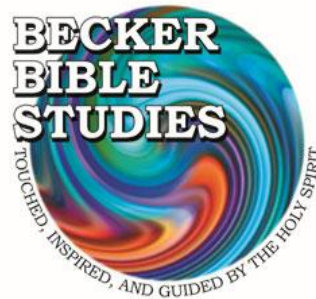
18. Write the four Steps to Salvation (by memory if possible)
- ?
 - ?
 - ?
 - ?
19. What is the perfect Scripture verse for the idea that Salvation brings Eternal Life?
- John 1:1
 - John 4:2
 - John 3:16
 - John 5:8
20. (True or False) Salvation through the Lord Jesus Christ guarantees Eternal Life!
- True
 - True
 - True
 - All the above
21. (Small Essay) Describe the benefits and problems associated with altar calls in churches.
22. (Small Essay) Describe what you would say to a friend who asked you about the chance of being saved.
23. (Small Essay) Describe the problems and benefits associated with revivals, dancing, and music with regards to salvation.
24. (Small Essay) How would you counsel someone if he did not experience the euphoria that others feel in their salvation receipt?
25. (Small Essay) Tell me about your salvation experience.

Baptism: Bringing Death to a Christian through Christ's Baptism of Redemption

Lecture 111-2

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Introduction

To help you understand this lesson, we are going to give you big clues of how the lesson will progress. That piece of knowledge should then begin your journey to understanding God's Truth about the Doctrine of Baptism that the Lord has revealed to us through His Word.

There are exactly three places that are the starting point for eternal life that a saved Christian can leave from:

1. **The Physical Grave** – Faithful Christians in the salvation of Jesus Christ, but that die without the Baptism of Christ, lie in their physical graves for awhile until Christ raises them up from their sleep in those graves at the beginning of End Times, and given eternal bodies as they are received in Heaven.
2. **The Baptismal Grave** – Christians that have repented of their sin, accepted Christ as their Savior, and have faith in His Resurrection can have the opportunity to release the hold of original sin in the Baptismal Grave and Resurrect into eternal life as they arise from the Baptismal Waters. Christians that have received the Baptism of Christ will not lie in their physical graves; upon their physical death, their unneeded bodies will decay in the grave, while their soul will be released and guided to Heaven and clothed with a new eternal body.
3. **The Rapture** – Alive Christians, at the time of Christ's return, will rise up and meet him with their physical bodies. They will be given eternal bodies sometime after that inside the Heavenly Gates.

Romans 6:1–11 (KJV 1900)

What shall we say then? Shall we continue in sin, that grace may abound? ² God forbid. How shall we, that are dead to sin, live any longer therein? ³ Know ye not, that so many of us as were baptized into Jesus Christ were baptized into his death? ⁴ Therefore we are buried with him by baptism into death: that like as Christ was raised up from the dead by the glory of the Father, even so we also should walk in newness of life. ⁵ For if we have been planted together in the likeness of his death, we shall be also in the likeness of his resurrection: ⁶ Knowing this, that our old man is crucified with him, that the body of sin might be destroyed, that henceforth we should not serve sin. ⁷ For he that is dead is freed from sin. ⁸ Now if we be dead with Christ, we believe that we shall also live with him: ⁹ Knowing that Christ being raised from the dead dieth no more; death hath no more dominion over him. ¹⁰ For in that he died, he died unto sin once: but in that he liveth, he liveth unto God. ¹¹ Likewise reckon ye also yourselves to be dead indeed unto sin, but alive unto God through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Romans 6:1–2 (KJV 1900)

What shall we say then? Shall we continue in sin, that grace may abound? ² God forbid. How shall we, that are dead to sin, live any longer therein?

1. The Grace of the LORD God forgives sin for followers of Jesus Christ. However, Baptized Believers become DEAD to sin. Original sin can no longer dwell within the Baptized.
2. The Baptism of Jesus Christ causes death to come to a Believer, thereby releasing the hold of original sin upon the body.

Romans 6:3 (KJV 1900)

³ Know ye not, that so many of us as were baptized into Jesus Christ were baptized into his death?

1 Corinthians 15:54–57 (KJV 1900)

⁵⁴ So when this corruptible shall have put on incorruption, and this mortal shall have put on immortality, then shall be brought to pass the saying that is written, Death is swallowed up in victory. ⁵⁵ O death, where is thy sting? O grave, where is thy victory? ⁵⁶ The sting of death is sin; and the strength of sin is the law. ⁵⁷ But thanks be to God, which giveth us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.

3. Original sin corrupts every human being born
4. Only death, through grave or Baptism, can release original sin's hold upon a body

Romans 6:3–5 (KJV 1900)

³ Know ye not, that so many of us as were baptized into Jesus Christ were baptized into his death? ⁴ Therefore we are buried with him by baptism into death: that like as Christ was raised up from the dead by the glory of the Father, even so we also should walk in newness of life. ⁵ For if we have been planted together in the likeness of his death, we shall be also in the likeness of his resurrection:

5. When a person has been called forward to the LORD God, his ears are opened. Those that can hear must be told the things of Christ before Baptism can happen.
6. It is important that the Pastor ensure the new Christian has full understanding of Christ and what it means to be a Christian and the realities of Baptism.
7. The Pastor prepares the Baptismal pool by ensuring a prayerful, sacred place and a blessed, running-water-filled container. It is best that the pool be deep enough for dunking the full body.
8. The repentant sinner is called to the Baptismal Pool. The Pastor instructs the sinner to kneel in the pool, as the nose and mouth are covered to prevent choking.
9. The Pastor stands and supports sinner's shoulders. The sinner is laid in the Baptismal water, and words explaining the actual death to the sinner as the baptismal grave envelops.
10. The Pastor then raises the redeemed Baptized from the waters in the memory of Christ's Resurrection "in the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Ghost."
11. When the Baptized go under the Baptismal waters, their death is brought upon the body. Original sin releases. When they rise up from the Baptismal Grave, they are brand-new people that will never have original sin attached to them again unawares. When they physically die, they will NOT ever have to be in the grave; their souls will go immediately to Heaven.

Romans 6:6–9 (KJV 1900)

⁶ Knowing this, that our old man is crucified with him, that the body of sin might be destroyed, that henceforth we should not serve sin. ⁷ For he that is dead is freed from sin.

⁸ Now if we be dead with Christ, we believe that we shall also live with him: ⁹ Knowing that Christ being raised from the dead dieth no more; death hath no more dominion over him.

12. When the resurrected Baptized rise from the Baptismal Grave SIN HAS NO MORE DOMINION!
13. The powerful, sacred spiritual rite of Baptism is also effective in establishing a deep spiritual connection to the Lord Jesus Christ, as well as preparing for Holy Spirit Baptism.
14. Sometimes, Believers are not certain they received an effective and correct Baptism in Christ. This confusion often comes from past doctrinal practices of different churches.
15. The Pastor of the Baptism can know with surety if the Baptism of Redemption through Christ has taken place by witnessing the Holy Spirit's presence within the Christian.
16. There is NO Holy Spirit Baptism that inserts God into a Believer, unless the Baptism of Christ has been fully accomplished in the manner prescribed by Holy Scripture.

17. Pastors should never baptize an already Baptized Christian. However, if the Believer has not received the Holy Spirit, it is acceptable to rebaptize to ensure the assumption of the grave.
18. There is also confusion about Baptisms because some Church doctrines allow for childhood baptism. Becker Bible Ministries, Inc. support the doctrinal position of NO Baptism of Redemption until the child has reached the age of accountability (Twelve-years-old or with special exceptions), based upon the Scripture account of Jairus' twelve-year-old daughter (Mark 5:21-43). (A special study of Mark 5:21-43 will follow your study of Baptism).

Romans 6:10–14 (KJV 1900)

¹⁰ For in that he died, he died unto sin once: but in that he liveth, he liveth unto God. ¹¹ Likewise reckon ye also yourselves to be dead indeed unto sin, but alive unto God through Jesus Christ our Lord. ¹² Let not sin therefore reign in your mortal body, that ye should obey it in the lusts thereof. ¹³ Neither yield ye your members as instruments of unrighteousness unto sin: but yield yourselves unto God, as those that are alive from the dead, and your members as instruments of righteousness unto God. ¹⁴ For sin shall not have dominion over you: for ye are not under the law, but under grace.

19. It is critically important that Pastors of Baptism ensure the Baptism of seekers understand the principles associated with the Baptism of Redemption.
20. All saved Christians are promised eternal life through the acceptance of Christ as Savior and confidence in His Resurrection.
21. Death comes to all people because of original sin. But the LORD God's provision is that those that live to Him will only experience one death.
22. Baptized Christians one death takes place in the Baptismal Grave. Unbaptized Christians must sleep in their graves for awhile until Christ comes and raises them up to join Him in Heaven.
23. ONE DEATH ONLY! Eternal life always for those that are saved through their faith in Jesus Christ.
24. Original sins are cast off with death. But BEWARE! Your lusts and mortality will have ample opportunity to sin in your lifetime. You must not let further sin to have dominion over you.
25. The Baptism of Redemption through Christ is one of the most amazing graces promised by the LORD God to the followers of the Lord Jesus Christ. The institution of this most Holy Baptismal rite equips faithful Christians to receive the Holy Ghost Baptism and to remove and prevent further sins from having control over their lives.

Romans 6:15–20 (KJV 1900)

¹⁵ What then? shall we sin, because we are not under the law, but under grace? God forbid. ¹⁶ Know ye not, that to whom ye yield yourselves servants to obey, his servants ye are to whom ye obey; whether of sin unto death, or of obedience unto righteousness?

¹⁷ But God be thanked, that ye were the servants of sin, but ye have obeyed from the heart that form of doctrine which was delivered you. ¹⁸ Being then made free from sin, ye became the servants of righteousness. ¹⁹ I speak after the manner of men because of the infirmity of your flesh: for as ye have yielded your members servants to uncleanness and to iniquity unto iniquity; even so now yield your members servants to righteousness unto holiness. ²⁰ For when ye were the servants of sin, ye were free from righteousness.

26. Servants of sin keep sinning. The Baptized followers of Christ are freed from sin and can become righteous. But righteous can become servants to sin by yielding to uncleanness and iniquity.
27. When the Believer declares faith in Christ the hope is for salvation. Faith = Salvation and eternal life.
28. When the Believer is saved the hope is in Baptism for the release of original sin. Baptism = Release from original sin
29. When the Believer goes under the Baptismal waters, the hope is for Resurrection into eternal life from that point on, without the need for the grave. Baptismal waters = death; Rising out of Baptismal waters = Resurrection and entrance into eternal life without the grave.
30. When the Believer resurrects out of the Baptismal waters, the hope is for the Holy Spirit. Resurrection out of Baptismal waters = Eligibility to receive Baptism of Holy Spirit.
31. When the Believer receives the Baptism of the Holy Spirit, the hope is to remain sin free and accomplish enduring works of God. Holy Spirit = Sin free and enduring works of the LORD God that will bring glory to Him.
32. Believers Resurrected in the Baptism of Christ can walk with Him in the newness of life, sin free. They will have eternal life. They become eligible to receive the Holy Spirit and once that Spirit is within the Believer, great works of God will become manifest.
33. But first, the Christian journey begins with faith in Christ, the most important grace of the LORD God given and the only one needed for salvation and eternal life.

John 3:1–8 (KJV 1900)

There was a man of the Pharisees, named Nicodemus, a ruler of the Jews: ² The same came to Jesus by night, and said unto him, Rabbi, we know that thou art a teacher come from God: for no man can do these miracles that thou doest, except God be with him. ³ Jesus answered and said unto him, Verily, verily, I say unto thee, Except a man be born again, he cannot see the kingdom of God. ⁴ Nicodemus saith unto him, How can a man be born when he is old? can he enter the second time into his mother's womb, and be born? ⁵ Jesus answered, Verily, verily, I say unto thee, Except a man be born of water and of the Spirit, he cannot enter into the kingdom of God. ⁶ That which is born of the flesh is flesh; and that which is born of the Spirit is spirit. ⁷ Marvel not that I said unto thee, Ye must be born again. ⁸ The wind bloweth where it listeth, and thou hearest the sound

thereof, but canst not tell whence it cometh, and whither it goeth: so is every one that is born of the Spirit.

34. “Born Again” is the condition when a believer dies in the Baptism of Christ then is Resurrected into the new life in Christ. Believers must be born of water and the Holy Spirit to enter the Kingdom of God.
35. The Baptism of Christ makes Believers flesh clean. The Holy Spirit Baptism makes the soul clean.
36. The LORD God gives the gift of the Holy Spirit Baptism as reward to those that follow Christ through His Baptism with Him.

Eight Requirements for the Baptism of Christ (John 3:1-8)

1. Be called forward to Christ by the LORD God and receive a desire to know Him
2. Hear the Word of God
3. Be repentant of sin
4. Believe that Jesus Christ is the Son of God, that He died for your sins and was Resurrected, with all your heart
5. Confess outwardly that you know that Jesus Christ is the Son of God
6. Be baptized by water (signifying your death) in the name of Jesus Christ
7. Come out of the water (signifying your resurrection) in the name of the LORD God, Jesus Christ, and Holy Spirit.
8. Receive the gift of the Baptism of the Holy Ghost

Conclusion

The Baptism of Christ causes death to come one time to a Believer, and Resurrect in Christ’s example, granting eternal life from that point on when rising out of the baptismal waters. Baptized Christians do not sleep in their graves! Unbaptized Christians sleep in their graves until they are Resurrected by the Lord Jesus Christ; they then assume their eternal lives.

The grace the LORD God gives followers of Christ must come through faith, and faith can only come through a personal response of a living person. Faith cannot be assumed by another in proxy.

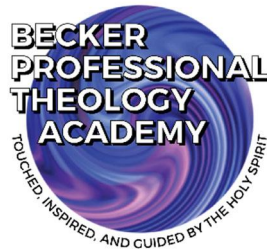
Simply stated, the connection between Christ and Believers is completed through Baptism and allows the relationship between the Lord and His Followers to be steady and sure. It only takes faith in the Lord to receive salvation; but once faith is realized and repentance is at hand, Believers are eligible to receive the Baptism of Redemption through Christ, to establish that intimate relationship between them as original sin’s grasp upon Believer’s is extinguished.

Worksheet #2

Lecture 111- 2

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1. What is the starting point for a Saved Christian to begin Eternal Life?
 - a. Physical Grave
 - b. Baptismal Grave
 - c. Rapture
 - d. All the above

2. When are those Saved Christians who must sleep in their physical graves to receive their new eternal bodies?
 - a. At Rapture
 - b. At Baptism
 - c. At Resurrection
 - d. None of the above

3. When do Baptized Christians get Resurrected from their Baptismal Grave?
 - a. Never
 - b. At End Times Rapture
 - c. At Judgment
 - d. None of the above

4. Which saved Christians will be raptured?
 - a. Alive Christians when Christ returns
 - b. Every Christian that has been Baptized
 - c. Graves will open when Christ returns
 - d. None of the above

5. When will the raptured be given new eternal bodies?
 - a. They will not; their physical bodies will be healed.
 - b. Sometime after they are raised inside the Heavenly Gates
 - c. Before they fly up to join Christ in Heaven
 - d. None of the above

6. Who Grace forgives sin for followers of Jesus Christ?
 - a. Holy Spirit
 - b. Lord Jesus Christ
 - c. LORD God
 - d. All the above

7. What are Baptized Believers relationships to original sin?
 - a. They are dead to it
 - b. They are resurrected from it
 - c. They are forgiven when they ask
 - d. None of the above

8. (True or False) Original sin can no longer dwell within the Baptized.
 - a. True
 - b. False

9. (Fill the Blank) The Baptism of Jesus Christ causes _____ to come to the Believer.
 - a. Life
 - b. Resurrection
 - c. Death
 - d. Health

10. What Scripture best describes that baptized is into Christ's death?
 - a. Romans 6:3
 - b. 1 Corinthians 15:54-57
 - c. Romans 6:10-14
 - d. None of the above

11. How does the Baptism of Jesus Christ cause original sin to release hold upon the body?
 - a. Cleanses the sinner
 - b. Washes the sinner in Christ's blood
 - c. Causes death to come to the Believer
 - d. None of the above

12. (True or False) Original sin corrupts every human being born.
 - a. True
 - b. False

13. What can release original sin's hold upon a body?
 - a. Death
 - b. Death through Grave
 - c. Death through Baptism
 - d. All the above

14. Whose ears are opened?
 - a. Those the LORD God has called forward to Him
 - b. All people desiring to hear the Word of God
 - c. All righteous unsaved
 - d. None of the above

15. When should the unsaved be told about the things of Christ?
 - a. Before the Baptism
 - b. After the Baptism
 - c. During the Baptism
 - d. None of the above

16. (True or False) It is important that the pastor ensure the new Christian has full understanding of Christ and what it means to be a Christian and the realities of Baptism.
 - a. True
 - b. False

17. What are the requirements for the Baptismal pool?
 - a. Sacred place
 - b. Blessed, running-water-filled container
 - c. Deep enough for dunking the full body
 - d. All the above

18. (True or False) It is vital that the Baptismal pool has running water flowing into it.
 - a. True
 - b. False

19. Why does the Pastor instruct the sinner to kneel in the pool and cover their nose and mouth, usually with a cloth?
 - a. To avoid choking
 - b. To keep the nose and mouth unbaptized
 - c. To be comfortable for the baptized
 - d. To make it seem less like death

20. (True or False) The Pastor lays the sinner into the Baptismal water, as it is declared that the Sinner is experiencing actual death as the baptismal grave envelops.
- True
 - False
21. (Fill in the blank) When the Pastor raises the Baptized from the waters, it is done in the memory of Christ's _____.
- Crucifixion
 - Death
 - Burial
 - Resurrection
22. (True or False) The Resurrection within the Baptism should be in the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.
- True
 - False
23. What happens when a believing Christians are Baptized? (More than one answer)
- Death is brought to the bodies
 - Original sin releases
 - They become "born again."
 - They will never have original sin attached to them again unawares
 - When they physically die, they will NOT ever be in the grave
 - Their souls will go immediately to Heaven
 - All the above
24. (True or False) SIN HAS NO MORE DOMINION when the Baptized rise from the Baptismal grave.
- True
 - False
25. What are two important things that the powerful, sacred spiritual rite of water Baptism effects?
- It establishes a deep spiritual connection to the Lord Jesus Christ
 - It prepares for Holy Spirit Baptism
 - It makes you sin free forever
 - It makes you filled with the Holy Spirit
26. (Opinion small essay) Why would Believer sometimes be uncertain that they received an effective and correct Baptism in Christ in the past? (List examples of confused baptism in your opinion)

27. How can a Pastor determine whether a proper Baptism has been done in a Believer's past, that has brought the Baptismal grave to bear?
- By witnessing the Holy Spirit's presence within the Christian
 - By examining the Baptismal certificate carefully
 - By ignoring the age at which the Baptism happened
 - By ignoring the method of the original Baptism
28. (True or False) There is NO Holy Spirit Baptism that inserts God into a Believer, unless the Baptism of Christ has been fully accomplished in the manner prescribed by Holy Scripture.
- True
 - False
29. (True or False) Pastors should NEVER baptize and already legitimately conducted Baptized Christian.
- True
 - False
30. (True or False) If the Believer has not received the Holy Spirit, it is acceptable to rebaptize to ensure the assumption of the grave.
- True
 - False
31. (Small Essay) What is Becker Bible Ministries, Inc. doctrinal position concerning child Baptisms?
32. (Small Essay) What Scripture justification is used to support Becker Bible Ministries, Inc. doctrinal position concerning child Baptisms?
33. (True or False) It is critically important that Becker Pastors of Baptism ensure the Baptism of seekers understand the principles associated with Christ's Baptism of Redemption.
- True
 - False
34. (True or False) All saved Christians, even the unbaptized, are promised eternal life through the acceptance of Christ as Savior with confidence in His Resurrection.
- True
 - False
35. How many times must death come to all people to release the hold of original sin?
- One
 - Two
 - Three
 - Four
 - As many as necessary

36. How many deaths does a Baptized Christian experience?
- One
 - Two
 - Three
 - Four
 - As many as necessary
37. How many deaths does an Unbaptized Christian experience?
- One
 - Two
 - Three
 - Four
 - As many as necessary
38. Where do Baptized Christians die?
- In the Baptismal graves
 - In their physical graves
 - In the crematorium
 - All the above
39. Where do Unbaptized Christians go after death?
- Heaven
 - New Earth
 - Grave
 - Hell
40. What do Unbaptized Christians experience in their graves?
- Sleep
 - Hell
 - Purgatory
 - All the above
41. (True or False) Unbaptized Christians must sleep in their graves for awhile until Christ comes and raises them up to join Him in Heaven.
- True
 - False
42. Do Unbaptized Believers get eternal life?
- Yes! It is faith alone that brings salvation
 - No! Without Baptism, there can be no salvation

43. (True or False) ONE DEATH ONLY! Eternal life always for those that are saved through their faith in Jesus Christ!
- True
 - False
44. (True or False) All sins are cast off with death
- True
 - False
45. (True or False) After Baptism, you CANNOT sin anymore in your lifetime.
- True
 - False
46. (Fill in the blank) _____ of sin keep sinning.
- Servants
 - Churches
 - Christians
 - All the above
47. (True or False) Baptized followers of Christ are freed from sin and can become righteous.
- True
 - False
48. (True or False) Righteous Christians can become servants to sin
- True
 - False
49. How do righteous Christians become servants to sin?
- They don't
 - By yielding to uncleanness and iniquity
 - Avoiding church
 - By associating with bad folks
50. (Fill in the blank) When the Believer declares _____ in Christ, the hope is for _____.
- Faith, salvation
 - Baptism, faith
 - Faith, Heaven
 - Holy Spirit, Heaven

51. (Fill in the blank) Faith = _____ and _____.
- Salvation, Eternal Life
 - No physical grave, Heaven
 - Both the above
52. (Fill in the blank) When the Believer is saved the hope is in _____ for the release of _____.
- Faith, salvation
 - Baptism, faith
 - Baptism, original sin
 - Holy Spirit, Heaven
53. (Fill in the Blank) Baptism = _____
- Salvation
 - Faith
 - Release from original sin
 - Religious ecstasy
54. (True or False) When the Believer goes under the Baptismal waters, the hope is for Resurrection into eternal life from that point on, without the need for the grave.
- True
 - False
55. (Fill in the blank) Baptismal water = _____.
- Death
 - Salvation
 - Resurrection
 - Forgiveness
56. Rising out of the Baptismal waters = _____.
- Resurrection
 - Entrance into eternal life
 - No physical grave sleeping
 - All the above
57. (Fill in the blank) When the Believer resurrects out of the Baptismal waters, the hope is for the _____.
- Escape of the grave
 - Righteousness
 - Holy Spirit
 - All the above

- 58.(Fill in the blank) Resurrection out of the Baptismal water makes you eligible to _____.
- Avoid death
 - Receive Baptism of Holy Spirit
 - Become a preacher
 - Be forgiven
- 59.(Fill in the blank) When the Believer receives the Baptism of the Holy Spirit, the hope is to _____.
- Go under the Baptismal waters
 - Negotiate sin
 - Remain sin free and do works to glorify the Lord.
 - None of the above
- 60.(Fill in the blank) Those Resurrected in the Baptism of Christ can _____.
- Walk with Christ
 - Experience the newness of life
 - Be sin free
 - Have eternal life
 - Receive the Holy Spirit
 - Do great works for the Lord
 - All the above
- 61.(True or False) But first, the Christian journey begins with faith in Christ, the most important grace of the LORD God given and the only one needed for salvation and eternal life.
- True
 - False
- 62.What does “Born Again” mean?
- You have a new mother and father
 - You reconcile with your mother, and become sin free
 - You Resurrected from the Baptismal waters into the new life of Christ
 - None of the above
- 63.(True or False) Believers must be born of water and the Holy Spirit to enter the Kingdom of God.
- True
 - False
- 64.(Fill in the blank) The Baptism of Christ makes Believers _____ clean.
- Flesh
 - Soul
 - Dreams
 - Actions
 - Works

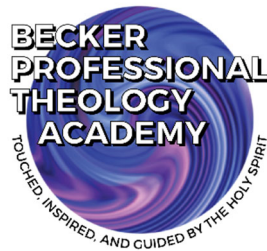
65. (Fill in the blank) The Holy Spirit Baptism makes the _____ clean.
- Flesh
 - Soul
 - Dreams
 - Actions
 - Works
66. List the eight requirements for the Baptism of Christ (John 3:1-8)
- ?
 - ?
 - ?
 - ?
 - ?
 - ?
 - ?
 - ?
67. (True or False) Baptized Christians do NOT sleep in their graves.
- True
 - False
 -
68. (True or False) Unbaptized Christians sleep in their graves.
- True
 - False
69. (True or False) Unbaptized Christians in their graves will be resurrected by the Lord and go on to eternal life.
- True
 - False
70. (True or False) The Baptism of Redemption through Christ establishes that intimate relationship between them as original sin's grasp upon Believer's is extinguished.
- True
 - False

Discussion Board #2

Lecture 111- 2

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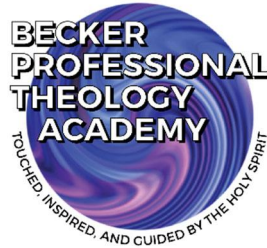
Discussion Board #2 – Please discuss what could go wrong in the spiritual life of a child if it is Baptized before the age of accountability of twelve. Also, discuss why it would be wrong to rebaptize one already baptized. And finally, discuss what you have learned about Baptism that you did not know before.

Quiz #2

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1. What is the starting point for a Saved Christian to begin Eternal Life?
 - a. Physical Grave
 - b. Baptismal Grave
 - c. Rapture
 - d. All the above

2. Which saved Christians will be raptured?
 - a. Alive Christians when Christ returns
 - b. Every Christian that has been Baptized
 - c. Graves will open when Christ returns
 - d. None of the above

3. When will the raptured be given new eternal bodies?
 - a. They will not; their physical bodies will be healed.
 - b. Sometime after they are raised inside the Heavenly Gates
 - c. Before they fly up to join Christ in Heaven
 - d. None of the above

4. What are Baptized Believers relationships to original sin?
 - a. They are dead to it
 - b. They are resurrected from it
 - c. They are forgiven when they ask
 - d. None of the above

5. How does the Baptism of Jesus Christ cause original sin to release hold upon the body?
 - a. Cleanses the sinner
 - b. Washes the sinner in Christ's blood
 - c. Causes death to come to the Believer
 - d. None of the above

6. Whose ears are opened?
 - a. Those the LORD God has called forward to Him
 - b. All people desiring to hear the Word of God
 - c. All righteous unsaved
 - d. None of the above

7. When should the unsaved be told about the things of Christ?
 - a. Before the Baptism
 - b. After the Baptism
 - c. During the Baptism
 - d. None of the above

8. What are the requirements for the Baptismal pool?
 - a. Sacred place
 - b. Blessed, running-water-filled container
 - c. Deep enough for dunking the full body
 - d. All the above

9. (Fill in the blank) When the Pastor raises the Baptized from the waters, it is done in the memory of Christ's _____.
 - a. Crucifixion
 - b. Death
 - c. Burial
 - d. Resurrection

10. (True or False) The Resurrection within the Baptism should be in the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.
 - a. True
 - b. False

11. What happens when a believing Christians are Baptized? (More than one answer)
 - a. Death is brought to the bodies
 - b. Original sin releases
 - c. They become "born again."
 - d. They will never have original sin attached to them again unawares
 - e. When they physically die, they will NOT ever be in the grave
 - f. Their souls will go immediately to Heaven
 - g. All the above

12. (True or False) SIN HAS NO MORE DOMINION when the Baptized rise from the Baptismal grave.
- True
 - False
13. List the eight requirements for the Baptism of Christ (John 3:1-8)
1. ?
 2. ?
 3. ?
 4. ?
 5. ?
 6. ?
 7. ?
 8. ?
14. How can a Pastor determine whether a proper Baptism has been done in a Believer's past, that has brought the Baptismal grave to bear?
- By witnessing the Holy Spirit's presence within the Christian
 - By examining the Baptismal certificate carefully
 - By ignoring the age at which the Baptism happened
 - By ignoring the method of the original Baptism
15. (True or False) Pastors should NEVER baptize and already legitimately conducted Baptized Christian.
- True
 - False
16. (True or False) If the Believer has not received the Holy Spirit, it is acceptable to rebaptize to ensure the assumption of the grave.
- True
 - False
17. How many times must death come to all people to release the hold of original sin?
- One
 - Two
 - Three
 - Four
 - As many as necessary
18. How many deaths does a Baptized Christian experience?
- One
 - Two
 - Three
 - Four
 - As many as necessary

19. How many deaths does an Unbaptized Christian experience?

- a. One
- b. Two
- c. Three
- d. Four
- e. As many as necessary

20. Where do Baptized Christians die?

- a. In the Baptismal graves
- b. In their physical graves
- c. In the crematorium
- d. All the above

21. (Small Essay) What is Becker Bible Ministries, Inc. doctrinal position concerning child Baptisms?

22. (Small Essay) What Scripture justification is used to support Becker Bible Ministries, Inc. doctrinal position concerning child Baptisms?

23. What harmful effects can come from baptizing a small child before the age of consent?

24. What harmful effects can come from refusing to baptize a Believer that was just baptized as a baby?

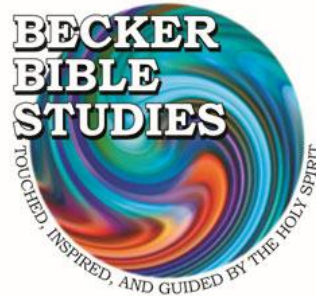
25. Please list some of the things you learned about Baptism that you did not know before.

Death: Passing Over as a Christian

Lecture 111-3

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The dying experience for a Christian is not complicated. Scripture tells us exactly what will happen, and how we are expected to respond. However, there is a slight complication in learning what the Lord Jesus Christ wants us to know. It is hidden in His Word, similar to the parables He spoke to His disciples. Do you remember what He gave as the reason for speaking in parables?

Matthew 13:34–35 (KJV 1900)

³⁴ All these things spake Jesus unto the multitude in parables; and without a parable spake he not unto them: ³⁵ That it might be fulfilled which was spoken by the prophet, saying, I will open my mouth in parables; I will utter things which have been kept secret from the foundation of the world.

Mark 4:1–2 (KJV 1900)

And he began again to teach by the sea side: and there was gathered unto him a great multitude, so that he entered into a ship, and sat in the sea; and the whole multitude was by the sea on the land. ² And he taught them many things by parables, and said unto them in his doctrine...

Mark 4:10-13 (KJV 1900)

¹⁰ And when he was alone, they that were about him with the twelve asked of him the parable. ¹¹ And he said unto them, Unto you it is given to know the mystery of the kingdom of God: but unto them that are without, all these things are done in parables: ¹² That seeing they may see, and not perceive; and hearing they may hear, and not understand; lest at any time they should be converted, and their sins should be forgiven them. ¹³ And he said unto them, Know ye not this parable? and how then will ye know all parables?

Also understand:

Proverbs 26:7–9 (KJV 1900)

⁷ The legs of the lame are not equal:

- So is a parable in the mouth of fools.*
⁸ *As he that bindeth a stone in a sling,
So is he that giveth honour to a fool.*
⁹ *As a thorn goeth up into the hand of a drunkard,
So is a parable in the mouth of fools.*

There is only one key to understanding the hidden symbology and typology in our life today that are contained within the Word of God. THE HOLY SPIRIT within Christians that have been baptized with Him is a crucial means to that understanding. It is the Holy Spirit that guides our studies and reveals the deeper things in Scripture. So, when non-Christians read the Bible, their eyes understand only the literal words within it, and they handle any deeper things within like fools. But Christians have been given the ability to read literal words and find deeper things and teachings of the LORD God that are hidden from the profane and secular.

Sadly, Christianity has been watered down so much in these times, that there are very few teachers of Scripture that know how to seek those deep teachings of God. All Christians can be strengthened by those important Words, but seldom do they experience them because there just is no one to teach them how to really read the Word of God with the Holy Spirit's help.

Thanks be to God! I have been taught by the Holy Spirit to teach you to see the hidden inside the Word of God. It is the process of passing over in the death of a Christian that we will begin studying that deepness today. Contained within the literal Word of God are important instructions and briefings to what will actually happen when we pass over, and how the Lord Jesus Christ expects for us to handle it. Pray for the Holy Spirit's help in understanding this crucial Scripture instructions and be prepared for any traces of the fear of death to leave your thoughts forevermore.

Creation of the Seas

Genesis 1:6–10 (KJV 1900)

⁶ *And God said, Let there be a firmament in the midst of the waters, and let it divide the waters from the waters. ⁷ And God made the firmament, and divided the waters which were under the firmament from the waters which were above the firmament: and it was so. ⁸ And God called the firmament Heaven. And the evening and the morning were the second day.*

⁹ *And God said, Let the waters under the heaven be gathered together unto one place, and let the dry land appear: and it was so. ¹⁰ And God called the dry land Earth; and the gathering together of the waters called he Seas: and God saw that it was good.*

The LORD God made the firmament from the waters and called it Heaven on the second day of Creation. He gathered the waters under Heaven and let the dry land of Earth appear. Between Earth and Heaven the waters were gathered together, and He called them SEAS! It is the sea that must be passed over between the Earth and Heaven; it is the division that separates both.

Physical Death

Mark 4:35–41 (KJV 1900)

³⁵ And the same day, when the even was come, he saith unto them, Let us pass over unto the other side. ³⁶ And when they had sent away the multitude, they took him even as he was in the ship. And there were also with him other little ships. ³⁷ And there arose a great storm of wind, and the waves beat into the ship, so that it was now full. ³⁸ And he was in the hinder part of the ship, asleep on a pillow: and they awake him, and say unto him, Master, carest thou not that we perish? ³⁹ And he arose, and rebuked the wind, and said unto the sea, Peace, be still. And the wind ceased, and there was a great calm. ⁴⁰ And he said unto them, Why are ye so fearful? how is it that ye have no faith? ⁴¹ And they feared exceedingly, and said one to another, What manner of man is this, that even the wind and the sea obey him?

1. The Lord Jesus Christ told His disciples the reason for parables, with the Parable of the Seeds, (Mark 4:3-8) and The Explanation of the Parable of the Seeds (Mark 4:13-32). He wanted the disciples understanding of the underlying meaning of their next experience to be forefront on their minds.
2. That very same day, the Lord told His disciples “Let us pass over unto the other side.”
3. Whenever we see the Words “pass over” or Passover, we are immediately drawn to the memory of the LORD God Passing Over those Israelites houses that had the blood of a lamb painted on their door posts during the carrying out of the last curse for the death of the firstborn against the Pharaoh (Exodus 12).
4. We also remember the Passover remembrance ordained by the LORD God to be celebrated every year (Deuteronomy 16).
5. Those two examples show a critical need for Believers to understand deeply what “pass over” means, and to understand the events that happened in Mark 4:35-41.
6. Literally speaking, pass over speaks of “moving from one shore to another shore over water.”

Other side - 4305 πέραν (*peran*): adv. and prep. (never compounded with verbs); ≡ Str 4008—LN 83.43 **across**, on the opposite side; the region across (Mk 3:8; 4:35; 5:1; 6:45; Lk 8:22; Jn 1:28; 18:1)

Conclusion - 4306 πέρας (*peras*), ατος (*atos*), τό (*to*): n.neu.; ≡ Str 4009—**1.** LN 80.6
limit, end of a space (Mt 12:42; Lk 11:31; Ro 10:18+; Ac 13:33 v.r. NA26); **2.** LN 61.15
conclusion, end of a matter (Heb 6:16+)¹

7. Note the Hebrew word for “other side” is “πέραν (*peran*)” which is “across, on the opposite side; the region across.”
8. Note the Hebrew word “πέρας (*peras*)” as just the end root changes it to “conclusion.”
9. The Lord Jesus Christ took His disciples after sending the multitude away. This journey is just for His disciples.
10. They notice that there are other little ships around them.
11. A great storm of wind, and the waves beat into the ship, and it filled the ship with water.
12. The disciples got scared. Big time. The boat was rocking back and forth severely, and the waves were rushing and beating and splashing and roaring. It was scary, and the disciples reached out to their Lord Jesus Christ who was in the boat with them.
13. They crawled to Jesus in that furious storm. He was asleep on a pillow, unaffected by the buffeting ship. They awoke Him and screamed, “Master, carest thou not that we perish?”
14. Jesus arose up, rebuked the wind and told the sea, “Peace, be still.” The wind ceased and the seas grew calm.
15. Jesus asked his disciples “Why are ye so fearful?” “How is it that you have no faith?”
16. By asking these questions, Jesus lets us know that to be fearful in this situation buffeting winds and furious seas while in a ship, shows A LACK OF FAITH!
17. This experience astounded the disciples and they became EVEN MORE FEARFUL, saying to each other “What manner of man is this, that even the wind and the sea obey him?”
18. Let’s do a bit of word typology, then I will lay the experience out for you in the deepest teachings of our Lord Jesus Christ.
19. Pass over to the other side – Means to move from life on earth to life in Heaven.
20. When even(ing) was come – Evening represents the end of life.

¹ James Swanson, [*Dictionary of Biblical Languages with Semantic Domains: Greek \(New Testament\)*](#) (Oak Harbor: Logos Research Systems, Inc., 1997).

21. Jesus said to them “Let us pass over unto the other side.” Note that you do not do that by yourself. He said “us.” Jesus and you pass over together.
22. The multitude, the secular and the perverse in the crowd of people just listening to Jesus and not making a commitment; they couldn’t come to the places the disciples were going in the little ship to pass over.
23. The little ship conveyed the Disciples from one shore to the other as it will convey all Followers of Jesus Christ.
24. The great storm with the winds blowing and the waves beating into the ship is the test of faith given to every Christian as they pass over.
25. Jesus sleeping with His pillow shows us that it is absolutely nothing to be scared about.
26. He taught the disciples and us that he could easily rebuke the wind and the waves and they would calm down immediately.
27. “Why are you so fearful, how is it that ye have no faith?” asks Jesus to show that it is indeed a test of faith easily accomplished.

Conclusion:

Let me recapture what we have learned from this account of the disciples in a storm in a little ship. We have learned exactly what will happen at the moment of a Christian physical death:

As your physical body dies and your soul is released, you will immediately find yourself in a little ship. You will see other little ships floating around you; those are floating the souls of the other Christians that have died at the same time you have. The wind will pick up ferociously, and the waves will become bigger and bigger and pound your ship back and forth. It is a test of your faith in the Lord Jesus Christ. Do you trust Him to be Lord over all? Do you trust Him to have peace in the midst of the terrible storm? Do you have confidence in His presence with you as the storm builds? Do you have certainty that you will reach the other bank and exit your ship into Heaven? Do you have the deep knowledge of Mark 4:35-41 to prepare you for your physical death and encourage your active strong faith at the moment your soul leaves your body?

Pretty exciting isn’t it! You now have learned how it will feel and what you will see and hear when you experience physical death. And you now know that it is a faith test, and as a strong Christian, you are not going to fail that little test now are you?

But wait! There is a little problem, maybe. How many of you have heard about the white tunnel of peace that almost dead and temporarily dead report when they awake? The white tunnel where a peaceful entrance into Heaven shows you surrounded by your lost loved ones. Sometimes even angels and God and Jesus lookalikes as they embrace and encourage the almost dead to return to their bodies because it is not their time. And they return with a certain, strong belief, that they and

all the people they have known that have died before them are in the peaceful, bright Heaven, celebrating and loving each other.

Quite a different account of physical death, isn't it? What's up with that? Could it be our enemy, Satan, that is purposely causing these illusions of the almost dead? What gain could Satan make by putting false illusions in the almost dead?

Possibly, if he tricks the almost dead, he might think they would never increase any faith they might possess in their remainder life. Sadly, for the devil, some actually start walking closer with Christ. It is a Satan fail sometimes.

But what about strong Christians? Does Satan want them to become shipwrecked when they meet their test of faith and die? YOU BET HE DOES! He wants strong Christians to grow so scared at the crossing between this life and the one of Heaven, that they fail their test, and must go back to their grave and sleep until Jesus resurrects them in the Last Days. When Christians mistakenly believe that everyone can go down a peaceful tunnel and meet God and their loved ones with angels singing and white light comforting them, and instead find they are being buffeted by a great wind and storm that threatens to sink their ship, they are likely to become fearful. And if the great enemy Satan can make good Christians fearful, then he thinks he can win. Sadly, it still is a Satan fail; strong Christians learn the secret of death before they die, and if they don't and become shipwrecked, they still have a place in Heaven, it will just take them a little bit longer to get there! Thanks be to God!

Shipwrecked

1 Timothy 1:19 (KJV 1900)

¹⁹ Holding faith, and a good conscience; which some having put away concerning faith have made shipwreck:

28. It is just a little tiny verse; but it confirms what we already know. If at the time of physical death, you have a weakness of faith, or a bad conscience, you are going to be shipwrecked!
29. If you are being buffeted by the storm in your little ship, and you were expecting a peaceful white tunnel leading to Heaven, and you lose faith or remember some of the bad things in your life, you will be shipwrecked.
30. What is faith? Faith is the surety of things to come. Faith is believing that the Lord Jesus Christ died for your sins, which should lead to a very good conscience from that moment you are saved. Faith is knowing God's Word and believing it. Faith is knowing that your Savior will warn you before tough times occur. Faith is understanding the deep things in Scripture so you can prepare for physical death and have absolutely no fear when the storm hits!

Look at the Greek word for "wrecked:"

ῥῆγμα (*rhēgma*), n. *wreck; ruin; collapse*. Hebrew equivalent: קְרָעִים (3).

Noun Usage

1. **ruin (dissolution)** — an event or act that results in destruction; especially that involves the breakup of component parts. Related Topics: Ruin; Desolate; Corrupt.²

Wrecks cause ruin, desolation, corruption. Makes sense, does it not? Your faith is corrupted if it disappears at the moment of a scary event. You are made desolate for a lack of faith; you must sleep in your grave alone until Jesus resurrects you in the Last Days.

Please don't misunderstand this. You are saved and will ultimately join Jesus for your little faith. But if your faith is corrupted, if it is lacking, if you grow scared at the first storm upon your physical death, then you will be measured by the Lord Jesus Christ as "Lacking." You will never assume a strong role in the New Earth if you cannot be strong getting there. Amen?

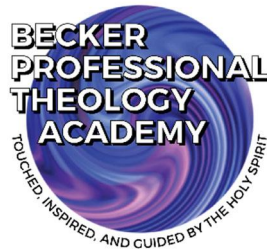
² Rick Brannan, ed., [Lexham Research Lexicon of the Greek New Testament](#), Lexham Research Lexicons (Bellingham, WA: Lexham Press, 2020).

Worksheet #3

Lecture 111- 3

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1. Why did Jesus speak in parables?
 - a. “That it might be fulfilled which was spoken by the prophet saying, I will open my mouth in parables; I will utter things which have been kept secret from the foundation of the world.”
 - b. So, He could teach His Disciples
 - c. To keep the mystery of the Kingdom of God secret.
 - d. That those that were not followers of Christ would not understand or perceive, lest they be converted, and their sins forgiven them.
 - e. All the above

2. What is the key to understanding parables, hidden symbology, and typology within the Word of God?
 - a. Education
 - b. Brains
 - c. Church guidance
 - d. The Holy Spirit
 - e. All the above

3. (True or False) Kathy L McFarland teaches parables, hidden symbology, mysteries, and typology within the Word of God, and always references Scripture to confirm the meanings.
 - a. True
 - b. False

4. (True or False) Some misguided Bible Teachers reveals hidden meanings through private interpretation, magical thinking, and without confirmation of Scripture. They should be avoided for being false teachers.
 - a. True
 - b. False

5. (True or False) Because there is widespread interest in the interpretation of End Times things, there are many so-called experts trying to make sense out of the Book of Revelations and the Book of Daniel to prove themselves of superior knowledge. Unless they use Scripture to reference each conclusion, that matches the Holy Spirit's knowledge within you, they should also be avoided!
 - a. True
 - b. False

6. What is the firmament in the midst of the waters that the LORD God made?
 - a. Heaven
 - b. Universe
 - c. Earth
 - d. Stars

7. How did the LORD God create the firmament in the midst of the waters?
 - a. He divided the waters from the waters
 - b. He divided the waters from the stars
 - c. He divided the waters from the sky
 - d. All the above

8. In the LORD God's creation, what is between the Heaven and Land?
 - a. Seas
 - b. Separation
 - c. Chasm
 - d. Division
 - e. None of the above
 - f. All the above

9. What Scripture in Mark is the "Parable of the Seeds" found?
 - a. Mark 4:3-8
 - b. Mark 4:13-32
 - c. Mark 4:35-41
 - d. None of the above

10. (True or False) Mark 4:13-32 shows an exact explanation from Christ of the meaning of the “Parable of the Seeds.”
- True
 - False
11. (Fill in the blank) On that same day after the “Parable of the Seeds” and its explanation, Jesus told His Disciples, “Let us _____ unto the other side.”
- Swim
 - Walk
 - Pass over
 - Commune
 - None of the above
12. (True or False) When every we see the words “pass over” it reminds us of “Passover,” from the time of the LORD God passing over the Israelites homes to keep them safe.
- True
 - False
13. When the LORD God was flowing through Egypt to kill all the firstborn to persuade the Pharaoh to let His people go, how was His people protected?
- He knew those that should be saved
 - The blood of a lamb was painted on their door posts
 - Prayers of the Israelites were in His ears
 - All people in the Israelite ghetto were saved
14. (True or False) When a Christian is saved, the blood of Christ is placed on them through acceptance of His crucifixion for salvation and Resurrection into eternal life.
- True
 - False
15. Where in Scripture can the Passover of the LORD God be found?
- Genesis 12
 - Exodus 12
 - Deuteronomy 12
 - Mark 12
16. Where in Scripture is Passover remembrance ordained by the LORD God to be celebrated every year?
- Genesis 16
 - Exodus 16
 - Deuteronomy 16
 - Matthew 16

17. (True or False) Passover is a very important concept in the LORD God's remembrance.
- True
 - False
18. What is our main proof Scripture to explain a Christian's physical death?
- Mark 4:35-41
 - Exodus 16:1-10
 - Deuteronomy 5:4-8
 - None of the above
19. (BONUS! No points off, but 2 points added for your correct answer) What other Scriptures in the Gospel support the deeper meaning of Physical Death?
20. What is the literal meaning of passing over?
- Eating lamb while reclining
 - Egyptian revenge
 - Moving from one shore to another shore over water
 - None of the above
21. What is the Greek word that explains to move across to the opposite side?
- Peran
 - Peras
 - Pereen
 - None of the above
22. What is the Greek word that changes it to "Conclusion?"
- Peran
 - Peras
 - Pereen
 - None of the above
23. (True or False) The Greek word that changes "opposite side" to "conclusion" means the "end of a matter" or an "end of a space."
- True
 - False
24. (True or False) The Lord Jesus Christ taught the hidden meaning of dying to all the folks that were following him in the crowd.
- True
 - False

25. (True or False) The revelation of the mystery of dying was for the Lord Jesus Christ's disciples only.
- True
 - False
26. What was around the ship that Christ and the Disciples were floating?
- People in the sea
 - Other little ships in the sea
 - Fish in the sea
 - Fishermen in the sea
27. What happened to the ship the Disciples and Christ were in?
- The boat was rocking back and forth severely
 - The waves were rushing, beating, splashing, and roaring
 - It was scary to the Disciples
 - All the above
28. What was Jesus doing in that furious storm while in the ship?
- Praying
 - Laughing
 - Teaching
 - Sleeping
29. (Fill in the blank) The Disciples woke Christ up and screamed "Master, carest thou not that we _____?"
- Believe
 - Are getting sick
 - Can't get to sleep
 - Perish
30. What did Jesus do when the Disciples called out to him in their fears?
- Jesus AROSE up
 - Rebuked the wind
 - Told the sea "Peace, be still"
 - All the above
31. What were the two questions that the Lord asked his fearful Disciples?
- Are you not prepared to die?
 - Why are you so fearful?
 - How is it that you have no faith?
 - Is today a good day to die?

32. (Fill in the blank) Jesus let His Disciples and us know that to be fearful in this situation buffeting winds and furious seas while in a ship shows _____.
- A lack of faith
 - An abundance of faith
 - A silly fear
 - None of the above
33. What did the Disciples do after this reprimand from their Lord?
- Became confident of their survival
 - Quit praying
 - Apologized to Christ
 - Became even more fearful
34. (Fill in the blank) The Disciples asked each other, “What manner of man is this, that even the _____ and the _____ obey him?”
- Life and death
 - Secular and Faithful
 - Wind and sea
 - Disciples and Followers
35. (Small sentence) What is the deeper meaning to “pass over to the other side?”
36. (Small sentence) What is the deeper meaning “when even(ing) was come?”
37. (Fill in the blank) Jesus said to them, “Let _____ pass over unto the other side.”
- You
 - Them
 - Us
 - Everyone
38. Could the crowd of people that Jesus left behind on the shore follow after the Disciples and grab their own boat?
- Yes
 - No
39. What is the purpose of the great storm with the winds blowing and the waves beating into the ship?
- A rough trip to Heaven
 - A test of faith
 - A rough trip to Hell
 - A test of love

40. Who will experience this rough trip as they pass over?
- Baptized Christians
 - Unbaptized Christians
 - Secular Believers
 - Secular Unbelievers
41. What is significant about Jesus sleeping with His pillow?
- It shows that He will not die
 - It shows that there is absolutely nothing to be scared about when this happens to you
 - It shows that He is mocking His Disciples for their fears
 - None of the above
42. (True or False) When you pass over, the Lord Jesus Christ will pass over with you when your faith is tested by the storm, and you pass.
- True
 - False
43. (True or False) Jesus asks, “Why are you so fearful, how is it that you have no faith?” to show that it is indeed a test of faith easily accomplished.
- True
 - False
44. (True or False) Mysteries within Mark 4:35-41 tells faithful Baptized Christians what will happen at the moment of their death.
- True
 - False
45. (Fill in the blank) As your physical body dies and your soul is released, Baptized Christians will immediately find themselves in _____.
- A white tunnel
 - The presence of passed-on loved ones
 - Heaven
 - A little ship
46. What is in the little ships that you will see floating around your own little ship when you start your pass over?
- People of little faith
 - Other Baptized Christians who have just passed away from the earth
 - A fleet of angels
 - All the above

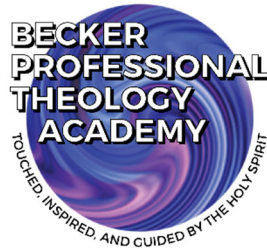
47. What is it called when after you find yourself in the ship, the wind picks up ferociously, waves become bigger and bigger and pound your ship back and forth?
- A Hurricane
 - A Typhoon
 - A Dream
 - A test of faith
48. What is Satan doing to confuse the Baptized Christians as they pass over with hopes that a loss of faith will occur?
- He casts an evil spell upon them
 - He spreads rumors through almost dying people about the white tunnel of peaceful transition to Heaven
 - He threatens all Christians with dragons and fire
 - None of the above
49. (Small Essay) How will rumors of the white tunnel mess up the pass over of Baptized Christians?
50. What is 1 Timothy 1:19 about?
- Being faithful
 - Being shipwrecked
 - Being a fisherman of men
 - Floating the seas
51. What is the definition of “shipwrecked?”
- A loss of faith that results in destruction in the sea and prevents you to getting to the other side.
 - A loss of faith that results in destruction in the sea and prevents you to getting to the other side.
 - A loss of faith that results in destruction in the sea and prevents you to getting to the other side.
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52. What happens if you lose faith and become shipwrecked as you are trying to passover from earth to Heaven in the sea?
- You are still saved and will ultimately join Jesus with your little faith
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Discussion Board #3

Lecture 111- 3

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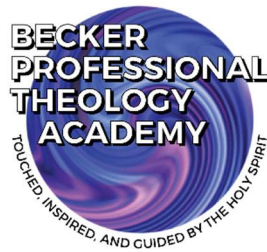
Discussion Board #3 – Death – Let’s discuss the actual process of death that Baptized Christians will experience upon their physical death. Has that new knowledge made you more or less scared of physical death? Have you considered the devil’s attempts to make death seem peaceful while you will one day face the test of faith in a less peaceful atmosphere? Is your faith strong enough to move onto Heaven? Have you shared this new knowledge with your family and friends who are Baptized Believers? Will we embrace each other in Heaven one day, because we have been blessed with this knowledge and can prepare?

Quiz #3

Lecture 111- 3

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1. Why did Jesus speak in parables?
 - a. “That it might be fulfilled which was spoken by the prophet saying, I will open my mouth in parables; I will utter things which have been kept secret from the foundation of the world.”
 - b. So, He could teach His Disciples
 - c. To keep the mystery of the Kingdom of God secret.
 - d. That those that were not followers of Christ would not understand or perceive, lest they be converted, and their sins forgiven them.
 - e. All the above

2. What is the key to understanding parables, hidden symbology, and typology within the Word of God?
 - a. Education
 - b. Brains
 - c. Church guidance
 - d. The Holy Spirit
 - e. All the above

3. (True or False) Kathy L McFarland teaches parables, hidden symbology, mysteries, and typology within the Word of God, and always references Scripture to confirm the meanings.
 - a. True
 - b. False

4. (True or False) Some misguided Bible Teachers reveals hidden meanings through private interpretation, magical thinking, and without confirmation of Scripture. They should be avoided for being false teachers.
 - a. True
 - b. False

5. (True or False) Because there is widespread interest in the interpretation of End Times things, there are many so-called experts trying to make sense out of the Book of Revelations and the Book of Daniel to prove themselves of superior knowledge. Unless they use Scripture to reference each conclusion, that matches the Holy Spirit's knowledge within you, they should also be avoided!
 - a. True
 - b. False

6. In the LORD God's creation, what is between the Heaven and Land?
 - a. Seas
 - b. Separation
 - c. Chasm
 - d. Division
 - e. None of the above
 - f. All the above

7. (Fill in the blank) On that same day after the "Parable of the Seeds" and its explanation, Jesus told His Disciples, "Let us _____ unto the other side."
 - a. Swim
 - b. Walk
 - c. Pass over
 - d. Commune
 - e. None of the above

8. When the LORD God was flowing through Egypt to kill all the firstborn to persuade the Pharaoh to let His people go, how was His people protected?
 - a. He knew those that should be saved
 - b. The blood of a lamb was painted on their door posts
 - c. Prayers of the Israelites were in His ears
 - d. All people in the Israelite ghetto were saved

9. (True or False) When a Christian is saved, the blood of Christ is placed on them through acceptance of His crucifixion for salvation and Resurrection into eternal life.
 - a. True
 - b. False

10. Where in Scripture is Passover remembrance ordained by the LORD God to be celebrated every year?
- Genesis 16
 - Exodus 16
 - Deuteronomy 16
 - Matthew 16
11. What was around the ship that Christ and the Disciples were floating?
- People in the sea
 - Other little ships in the sea
 - Fish in the sea
 - Fishermen in the sea
12. What happened to the ship the Disciples and Christ were in?
- The boat was rocking back and forth severely
 - The waves were rushing, beating, splashing, and roaring
 - It was scary to the Disciples
 - All the above
13. What was Jesus doing in that furious storm while in the ship?
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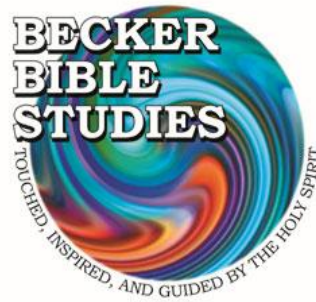
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24. What happens if you lose faith and become shipwrecked as you are trying to pass over from earth to Heaven in the sea?
- You are still saved and will ultimately join Jesus with your little faith
 - You will be measured by the Lord Jesus Christ as lacking in faith
 - You will never assume a strong role in the New Earth if you cannot be strong getting there
 - All the above
25. (Small Essay) How could the Devil’s rumors of the white tunnel mess up the pass over of Baptized Christians?

The Twelve-Year Old Daughter of Jairus

Lecture 111- 4

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Understand Scripture Deeply

There is a technique that you can master to study Scripture deeply. Developing this skill allows the Holy Spirit to respond immediately to the text and move you to deeper and deeper places that God wants you to understand. It is the technique I use, whether it is a small half-size verse, or a large amount of Scripture that seems to go forever. All my courses are developed on this technique, and all my life skills are based upon utilizing it whenever I open my Bible. It was taught to me by the Holy Spirit over thirty years ago. We will be practicing it in these classes in each course, until you become a master at searching Scripture deeply to Hear the Word of God.

When you have learned it, your spiritual world and teachings will open up to you! I call the technique, making “Statements of Facts” (SOF). I know. It’s not a fancy name. Its sad; as a writer, you would think I could come up with a better name. Let me give you a couple SOF’s about the technique:

1. Consistent technique allows you to follow the Bible Scripture fully each time
2. When you have been consistent in your technique, you learn the process quickly
3. When you have learned how to make statements of fact, your opinion doesn’t matter
4. When the Holy Spirit sees that you are focused solely upon Scripture, He raises you up into a higher realm of learning
5. In these End Days, corrupted churches and pastors are straying farther and farther away from Scripture and preaching a message that does not belong to the LORD God.
 - a. There are so many False Teachers in these Days.
 - b. There are so few Truth Tellers in these Days
6. Eventually, you will be learning to develop teachings and sermons based upon this powerful, foundational technique.
7. When Christ comes again, may He find every student I have ever taught to be fully invested and focused upon the Word of God. Amen.

This week, we are going to be studying Jairus and his twelve-year-old daughter. This is an account that might not be talked about much in church settings. It is a simple account, that is split in two with another account involving a woman touching the hem of Jesus. (By the way, notice how I call it an “account.” Never call the different accounts within Scripture a “story” or “stories.” When those two words are used, the very character of Scripture is changed).

I will start an examination of the account of Jairus with SOF, and then on Mark 5:37-43, please complete the SOF and use it

Mark 5:21–24 (KJV 1900)

²¹ And when Jesus was passed over again by ship unto the other side, much people gathered unto him: and he was nigh unto the sea. ²² And, behold, there cometh one of the rulers of the synagogue, Jairus by name; and when he saw him, he fell at his feet, ²³ And besought him greatly, saying, My little daughter lieth at the point of death: I pray thee, come and lay thy hands on her, that she may be healed; and she shall live. ²⁴ And Jesus went with him; and much people followed him, and thronged him....

Mark 5:35-43

...While he yet spake, there came from the ruler of the synagogue's house certain which said, Thy daughter is dead: why troublest thou the Master any further? ³⁶ As soon as Jesus heard the word that was spoken, he saith unto the ruler of the synagogue, Be not afraid, only believe. ³⁷ And he suffered no man to follow him, save Peter, and James, and John the brother of James. ³⁸ And he cometh to the house of the ruler of the synagogue, and seeth the tumult, and them that wept and wailed greatly. ³⁹ And when he was come in, he saith unto them, Why make ye this ado, and weep? the damsel is not dead, but sleepeth. ⁴⁰ And they laughed him to scorn. But when he had put them all out, he taketh the father and the mother of the damsel, and them that were with him, and entereth in where the damsel was lying. ⁴¹ And he took the damsel by the hand, and said unto her, Talitha cumi; which is, being interpreted, Damsel, I say unto thee, arise. ⁴² And straightway the damsel arose, and walked; for she was of the age of twelve years. And they were astonished with a great astonishment. ⁴³ And he charged them straitly that no man should know it; and commanded that something should be given her to eat.¹

¹ [The Holy Bible: King James Version](#), Electronic Edition of the 1900 Authorized Version. (Bellingham, WA: Logos Research Systems, Inc., 2009), Mk 5:35–43.

And when Jesus was passed over again by ship unto the other side, much people gathered unto him: and he was nigh unto the sea. (Mark 5:21)

1. The statement “When Jesus was passed over again by ship unto the other side” might prompt mature Christians to prepare to search for deeper meaning of Scripture.
2. We should prepare that the following discourse of Christ’s will be about passing over (physical death) from earth to Heaven.

22 And, behold, there cometh one of the rulers of the synagogue, Jairus by name; and when he saw him, he fell at his feet, ²³And besought him greatly, saying, My little daughter lieth at the point of death: I pray thee, come and lay thy hands on her, that she may be healed; and she shall live. (Mark 5:22-23) (Note how I put two verses together because they were connected).

3. Jairus, a ruler of the Jewish Synagogue, fell at Christ’s feet and begged Him to come heal his sick daughter who was near death.
4. Jairus PRAYED to Jesus to lay hands on her that she would be healed and live.

23 And Jesus went with him; and much people followed him, and thronged him....

5. Jesus went with him, but he was surrounded by a throng of people and delayed.
6. This was when woman with the blood issue touched the hem of Christ’s clothes and was healed, and her faith made her whole. This too hints at the contact with Jairus daughter that is upcoming.

³⁵Someone from the Ruler of the Synagogue’s House Certain came to Jairus and said “Thy daughter is dead: why do you trouble the Master any further?” ³⁶When Jesus heard this spoken, He said, “Be not afraid, only believe.”

7. Do you remember your study of the little ships passing over?
8. The message from Christ was the same thing. “Be not afraid, only believe.” Maybe not His exact words, but it was the same message. Amen?

Small Essay Exercise #1

Complete the rest of the SOF for the following Scriptures verses:

And he suffered no man to follow him, save Peter, and James, and John the brother of James.

1.

³⁸ *And he cometh to the house of the ruler of the synagogue, and seeth the tumult, and them that wept and wailed greatly.*

2.

³⁹ *And when he was come in, he saith unto them, Why make ye this ado, and weep? the damsel is not dead, but sleepeth.*

⁴⁰ *And they laughed him to scorn.*

3.

But when he had put them all out, he taketh the father and the mother of the damsel, and them that were with him, and entereth in where the damsel was lying.

4.

⁴¹ *And he took the damsel by the hand, and said unto her, Talitha cumi; which is, being interpreted, Damsel, I say unto thee, arise.*

5.

⁴² *And straightway the damsel arose, and walked; for she was of the age of twelve years. And they were astonished with a great astonishment.*

6.

⁴³ *And he charged them straitly that no man should know it; and commanded that something should be given her to eat.*

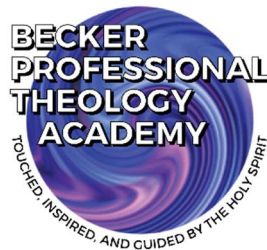
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Worksheet #4

Lecture 111- 4

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1. What is the fancy name Kathy L McFarland gives to the system to study Scripture?
 - a. TrickyPicky
 - b. WordyPerdy
 - c. Statement of Facts
 - d. ChoosyFluezy
 - e. All the above
2. What is the abbreviation for the fancy name given to the system to study Scripture?
 - a. TP
 - b. WP
 - c. SOF
 - d. CF
 - e. ATA
3. How does that fancy system of studying Scripture work for Kathy L McFarland?
 - a. Very Well, Thank you!
 - b. None of the above
4. How will that fancy system of studying Scripture work for you?
 - a. Very Well Also, Thank you!
 - b. None of the above

5. (True or False) Consistent technique allows you to follow the Bible Scripture fully each time.
 - a. True
 - b. False

6. (True or False) Statement of Facts includes your opinions always.
 - a. True
 - b. False

7. What does the Holy Spirit do when He witnesses you focused solely upon Scripture?
 - a. He raises you up into a higher realm of learning
 - b. He makes you smarter
 - c. He gives you blessings and miracles
 - d. All the above

8. (True or False) In these End Days, corrupted churches and pastors are straying farther and farther away from Scripture.

9. (True or False) Not too many preach a message that does NOT belong to the LORD God
 - a. True
 - b. False

10. (True or False) There are many False Teachers in our time.
 - a. True
 - b. False

11. (True or False) There are many of God's Truth Tellers in our time.
 - a. True
 - b. False

12. What should you call different Scriptures?
 - a. Stories
 - b. Accounts
 - c. Fables
 - d. None of the above

13. What might the statement "When Jesus was passed over again by ship unto the other side" prompt mature Christians to do?
 - a. Go for a boat ride
 - b. Focus upon the complete story
 - c. Prepare to search for deeper meaning of Scripture
 - d. None of the above

14. Who fell at Christ's feet and begged Him to come heal his sick daughter near death?
 - a. John
 - b. Jairus
 - c. Peter
 - d. None of the above

15. What did the father of the dying daughter pray for Jesus to do?
 - a. Lay hands on her to heal
 - b. Pray on her to resurrect her body
 - c. Dance around the girl so God will heal her
 - d. Slay her in emotion so she can want to live again

16. Why was Jesus delayed?
 - a. A throng of people surround him
 - b. He was preaching a sermon
 - c. He had to cross to the other side of the lake
 - d. He delayed purposely to make the miracle bigger

17. What other account is in the middle of this account of Jairus?
 - a. Multiplying of breads and fish
 - b. Healing the blind man
 - c. The woman with a blood issue that touched Christ's hem
 - d. None of the above

18. What was Christ's message to those that thought the daughter dead?
 - a. "Trust the force"
 - b. "Be not afraid, only believe"
 - c. "It will all be ok"
 - d. None of the above

19. Who was with Jesus when he came to Jairus' house?
 - a. Peter
 - b. James
 - c. John, the brother of James
 - d. None of the above

20. What were the people doing at the house?
 - a. Crying
 - b. Laughing
 - c. Wailing
 - d. All the above

21. Why did they begin laughing at Christ?
- a. They scorned His statement, “the damsel is not dead, but sleeps”
 - b. He could not help the girl
 - c. The girl had healed in the time it took for Him to get there
 - d. None of the above
22. Who was with Jesus during the healing in the damsel’s room?
- a. Peter
 - b. James
 - c. John, brother of James
 - d. Mother and Father
 - e. All the above
23. What is the interpretation of Jesus saying “Talitha cumi?”
- a. Damsel, I say unto thee, be healed
 - b. Damsel, I say unto thee, be at peace
 - c. Damsel, I say unto thee, be happy
 - d. Damsel, I say unto thee, arise
24. (Fill in the blank) Straightway the damsel arose and walked; for she was of the age of _____ years.
- a. 10
 - b. 11
 - c. 12
 - d. 13
25. (True or False) Jesus charged them to tell no man about it, and commanded should be given her to eat.
- a. True
 - b. False

Small Essay Exercise #2

Write a small analysis essay, and connect why Becker Bible Ministries, Inc., has chosen the doctrine of Baptism of only those of the accountable age of 12-years-old or older with the use of the SOF learning that you have accomplished about the daughter of Jairus.

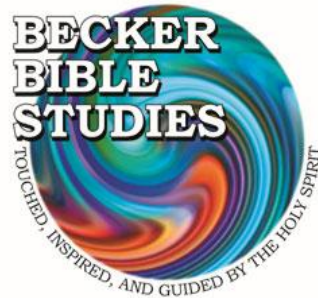
From this point on, when you have a question on Scripture, please copy the Scripture to your post or notepad, and do Statements of Fact underneath it. Once that has been done, ask your question (if the Holy Spirit has answered you during this technique but you need confirmation, please ask.) The Statements of Facts (SOF) do not have to be on the entire account. You can take just individual Scripture verses and do the same process. Eventually, the Holy Spirit will have you cover the entire account. However, with questions in our Academy, verse examinations are acceptable to me. Godspeed in learning this valuable technique!

Eternal Life – New Heaven and New Earth

Lecture 111- 5

By Kathy L. McFarland

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The current Heaven is a temporary dwelling place that will pass away after its purpose is finished. The LORD God, the Lord Jesus Christ, the Holy Spirit, Angels, and Resurrected Baptized Believers dwell within Heaven presently. It is a place where Believers are given restoration, new bodies, and rest.

Following the End Times drama upon the earth, a New Heaven and a New Earth will form. That will be the new place for us to conduct our natural and spiritual lives within. The New Earth will have houses, children, schools, worship places, workshops, cities, employment, farming, nature, pets, animals, bugs, fish, trees, flowers, lakes, rain, loving families, courtship, computers, transportation, galaxies and stars, entertainment, museums, sports, play, singing, music, and all the other good things that have happened on the Earth. But it will NOT have one thing: ORIGINAL SIN! We start all over with the Lord Jesus Christ ruling over us and always with us!

How do I know that the New Earth will have all these things? I'll tell you at the end of this lecture! Let us discover together what God's Word reveals about our future home!

Revelation 21:1 (KJV 1900)

And I saw a new heaven and a new earth: for the first heaven and the first earth were passed away; and there was no more sea.

1. The New Heaven and the New Earth come after the first heaven and the first earth pass away.
 - a. **2 Peter 3:10 (KJV 1900)**
But the day of the Lord will come as a thief in the night; in the which the heavens shall pass away with a great noise, and the elements shall melt with fervent heat, the earth also and the works that are therein shall be burned up.
 - b. **Matthew 24:35 (KJV 1900)**

Heaven and earth shall pass away, but my words [the Lord Jesus Christ] shall not pass away.

c. **Isaiah 51:6 (KJV 1900)**

*Lift up your eyes to the heavens,
And look upon the earth beneath:
For the heavens shall vanish away like smoke,
And the earth shall wax old like a garment,
And they that dwell therein shall die in like manner:
But my salvation shall be for ever,
And my righteousness shall not be abolished.*

d. **Matthew 5:18–20 (KJV 1900)**

For verily I say unto you, Till heaven and earth pass, one jot or one tittle shall in no wise pass from the law, till all be fulfilled. ¹⁹ Whosoever therefore shall break one of these least commandments, and shall teach men so, he shall be called the least in the kingdom of heaven: but whosoever shall do and teach them, the same shall be called great in the kingdom of heaven. ²⁰ For I say unto you, That except your righteousness shall exceed the righteousness of the scribes and Pharisees, ye shall in no case enter into the kingdom of heaven.¹

2. There is no more sea. Remember the typology from our study on death? Sea = the division, the chasm, between this earth and heaven. Sea = Death

3. There is NO MORE DEATH necessary on the New Heaven and the New Earth. There is no chasm between New Heaven and New Earth.

Revelation 21:2 (KJV 1900)

² And I John saw the holy city, new Jerusalem, coming down from God out of heaven, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband.

4. It is John the Disciple, the one that Jesus loved most, the youngest of all the twelve Disciple. He grew up ministering the things of Christ and was rewarded in his later years with a vision of what would happen in the End Times.

5. He reported what He saw; well, most of it anyway. He was instructed not to write about some things (Revelation 10:4).

6. John saw that New Jerusalem was a holy city.

7. New Jerusalem came down from the New Heaven sent by the LORD God.

¹ This Scripture will be used in our next course study “Christ’s Expectations of Christian Leadership” which is a critical segway between the Old Heaven and Earth and the New Heaven and Earth.

8. New Jerusalem was prepared as a bride adorned for her husband, the Lord Jesus Christ.

Revelation 21:3 (KJV 1900)

³And I heard a great voice out of heaven saying, Behold, the tabernacle of God *is* with men, and he will dwell with them, and they shall be his people, and God himself shall be with them, *and be* their God.

9. John heard a great voice out of the New Heaven. Thus, we know that the LORD God will dwell in the New Heaven.

10. “Behold, the tabernacle of God is with men, and he will dwell with them, and they shall be his people, and God himself shall be with them, and be their God.

- a. Just as the LORD God dwelt with the Israelites within the Tabernacle’s Ark of the Covenant, so too will He dwell once again with men (Exodus 25:8).
- b. The LORD God’s Spirit can be in the New Heaven and New Earth at the same time. He is not limited by a physical body.
- c. The LORD God and the Lord Jesus Christ will dwell without the temple to house their Holy Tabernacle according to Revelation 21:22.
- d. The tabernacle of God possibly shields the extreme Holiness from common glance to give safety to worshippers in New Jerusalem.
 - i. The tabernacle is represented by a “tent” in the Old Testament.
 - ii. The tent shielded all the people from the extreme glory of God, which could have killed them unprepared.
 - iii. Only one Holy Priest, cleansed, purified, and sanctified could enter the Holiest of Holy ares where the Ark of the Covenant contained the actual presence of the LORD God.
 - iv. Anyone else unprepared might be harmed immediately. So, it seems likely since the tabernacle of God is representative of Him, that it indicates He and the Lamb will be tented from regular full view that might cause harm to come to those that see Them in their full glory with their eyes (See Exodus 19; 2 Samuel 6:6-7; 2 Chronicles 5:14). This might suggest that to fully look upon the LORD God on the New Earth, one must be prepared and sanctified, a condition that would possibly be uncommon in regular life on the New Earth.

Revelation 21:4 (KJV 1900)

⁴And God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes; and there shall be no more death, neither sorrow, nor crying, neither shall there be any more pain: for the former things are passed away.

11. There will be tears. But the LORD God will wipe them away. Then there will be NO more tears.

12. There will be NO more death.

13. There will be NO sorrow
14. There will be NO crying
15. There will be NO pain
16. All the former painful conditions and tough emotions will pass away.

Revelation 21:5–6 (KJV 1900)

⁵And he that sat upon the throne said, Behold, I make all things new. And he said unto me, Write: for these words are true and faithful. ⁶And he said unto me, It is done. I am Alpha and Omega, the beginning and the end. I will give unto him that is athirst of the fountain of the water of life freely.

17. It is the Lord Jesus Christ that sits upon the throne. How do we know? He said to John, “It is done. I am the Alpha and Omega, the beginning and the end.” That reference can be found in other Scripture.

a. **Revelation 1:7–8 (KJV 1900)**

Behold, he cometh with clouds; and every eye shall see him, and they also which pierced him: and all kindreds of the earth shall wail because of him. Even so, Amen. ⁸I am Alpha and Omega, the beginning and the ending, saith the Lord, which is, and which was, and which is to come, the Almighty.

b. **Revelation 2:8 (KJV 1900)**

And unto the angel of the church in Smyrna write; These things saith the first and the last, which was dead, and is alive;

18. The Lord Jesus Christ will give all the thirsty a drink from the fountain of the water of life freely.
- a. **Athirst - 1498** διψάω (*dipsaō*): vb.; ≡ Str 1372; TDNT 2.226—**1.** LN 23.39 **be thirsty**, a basic bodily desire for liquid (Mt 25:35; Jn 4:13), also a figurative extension of a spiritual need that God can satisfy (Jn 4:14; 7:37; Rev 7:16; 21:6); **2.** LN 25.17 **desire strongly** (Mt 5:6)²
 - b. Water of Life = Eternal Life; That is how Eternal Life will restore the residents of the New Earth to live eternally.

Revelation 21:10–21 (KJV 1900)

¹⁰And he carried me away in the spirit to a great and high mountain, and shewed me that great city, the holy Jerusalem, descending out of heaven from God, ¹¹Having the glory of God: and her light was like unto a stone most precious, even like a jasper stone, clear as crystal; ¹²And had a wall great and high, and had twelve gates, and at the gates twelve angels, and names written thereon, which are the names of the twelve tribes of the children of Israel: ¹³On the east three gates; on the

² James Swanson, [*Dictionary of Biblical Languages with Semantic Domains: Greek \(New Testament\)*](#) (Oak Harbor: Logos Research Systems, Inc., 1997).

north three gates; on the south three gates; and on the west three gates. ¹⁴ And the wall of the city had twelve foundations, and in them the names of the twelve apostles of the Lamb. ¹⁵ And he that talked with me had a golden reed to measure the city, and the gates thereof, and the wall thereof. ¹⁶ And the city lieth foursquare, and the length is as large as the breadth: and he measured the city with the reed, twelve thousand furlongs. The length and the breadth and the height of it are equal. ¹⁷ And he measured the wall thereof, an hundred and forty and four cubits, according to the measure of a man, that is, of the angel. ¹⁸ And the building of the wall of it was of jasper: and the city was pure gold, like unto clear glass. ¹⁹ And the foundations of the wall of the city were garnished with all manner of precious stones. The first foundation was jasper; the second, sapphire; the third, a chalcedony; the fourth, an emerald; ²⁰ The fifth, sardonyx; the sixth, sardius; the seventh, chrysolite; the eighth, beryl; the ninth, a topaz; the tenth, a chrysoprasus; the eleventh, a jacinth; the twelfth, an amethyst. ²¹ And the twelve gates were twelve pearls; every several gate was of one pearl: and the street of the city was pure gold, as it were transparent glass.

- a. Take a moment to read that description! Try to see in your mind how beautiful New Jerusalem is going to be. Imagine what it will look like as it descends slowly out of the New Heaven to be placed on the New Earth.
- b. Most of you must wait a bit before you know the deeper meaning of many of the things mentioned in this Scripture. As you can see, it is rich, rich, rich with typology and hidden meanings; but alas, your spiritual growth must be a little bit more elevated, then we will tackle the deeper meanings of this beautiful description together.

Revelation 21:22–24 (KJV 1900)

²² And I saw no temple therein: for the Lord God Almighty and the Lamb are the temple of it. ²³ And the city had no need of the sun, neither of the moon, to shine in it: for the glory of God did lighten it, and the Lamb is the light thereof. ²⁴ And the nations of them which are saved shall walk in the light of it: and the kings of the earth do bring their glory and honour into it.

19. The LORD God Almighty and the Lord Jesus Christ, the Lamb, are the Temple, the Tabernacle, that in times of old contained their glory.

20. But now their glory shines forth from their Holy Presence. The LORD God's glory lightened the city, and the Lord Jesus Christ is the bright light within it.

21. There is no need of the sun or moon to shine in New Jerusalem; it has its own light from the LORD God and the Lord Jesus Christ.

22. The nations of the saved, will be in the light of New Jerusalem. That Light will reflect the doings of each nation. This tells us that indeed, our national identity on the Old Earth MIGHT carry forward through those saved (**Revelation 22:2**). Or maybe, it is only new nations that begin upon that new Earth. Because the government of nations will be a brand-new system of governing, it seems likely that it will be brand new national identities that start on the New Earth.

23. The Kings of the New Earth will bring their glory and honor to New Jerusalem. **KINGS!** It is plural! All nations on the New Earth will be ruled by Kings. It will not be a democracy, republic, communist, socialist government. We will all be ruled under the government of theocracy by the Lord Jesus Christ, with the magisterial rule of Kings. Quite a difference from our Old Earth life where we usually had some say in the government doings. On the New Earth, perfect government by Kings and the King of Kings, our Lord Jesus Christ, will represent all nations well. There will be no corruption; just beautiful, holy rule by those placed in power by our Lord and King of Kings Jesus Christ.

Revelation 21:25–27 (KJV 1900)

²⁵ *And the gates of it shall not be shut at all by day: for there shall be no night there.* ²⁶ *And they shall bring the glory and honour of the nations into it.* ²⁷ *And there shall in no wise enter into it any thing that defileth, neither whatsoever worketh abomination, or maketh a lie: but they which are written in the Lamb's book of life.*

24. The gates of New Jerusalem will not shut at all by day, and since there is only day there (no night) the gates never close.

25. Only those written in the Lamb's book of life can enter the New Jerusalem.

26. Anyone that would defile, work abomination, or make a lie will not be able to enter within New Jerusalem.

Revelation 22:1 (KJV 1900)

And he shewed me a pure river of water of life, clear as crystal, proceeding out of the throne of God and of the Lamb.

27. The pure river of the water of life keeps the land healed, wherever the river goes as it proceeds out of the throne of God.

a. An example is seen in **Ezekiel 47**.

b. **Zechariah 14:8–9 (KJV 1900)** - And it shall be in that day, *That living waters shall go out from Jerusalem; Half of them toward the former sea, And half of them toward the hinder sea: In summer and in winter shall it be. And the LORD shall be king over all the earth: In that day shall there be one LORD, and his name one.*

Revelation 22:2 (KJV 1900)

² *In the midst of the street of it, and on either side of the river, was there the tree of life, which bare twelve manner of fruits, and yielded her fruit every month: and the leaves of the tree were for the healing of the nations.*

a. We will be given access to the Tree of Life! The same tree that Adam and Eve were forbidden to eat! **Genesis 3:22–23 (KJV 1900)** ²² *And the LORD God said, Behold, the man is become as one of us, to know good and evil: and now, lest he put forth his hand, and take also of the tree of life, and eat, and live for ever:* ²³ *Therefore the LORD God sent him forth from the garden of Eden, to till the ground from whence he was taken.*

- b. When Adam and Eve were removed from the Garden of Eden, the LORD God put guards around the East side of Eden to prevent anyone from trying to eat the fruit from the tree of life: **Genesis 3:24 (KJV 1900)** ²⁴ *So he drove out the man; and he placed at the east of the garden of Eden Cherubims, and a flaming sword which turned every way, to keep the way of the tree of life.*
- c. The way of the tree of life on the New Earth was for the healing of nations.
- d. Those who eat the fruit from the tree of life will live forever.

Revelation 22:3–5 (KJV 1900)

³ *And there shall be no more curse: but the throne of God and of the Lamb shall be in it; and his servants shall serve him: ⁴ And they shall see his face; and his name shall be in their foreheads. ⁵ And there shall be no night there; and they need no candle, neither light of the sun; for the Lord God giveth them light: and they shall reign for ever and ever.*

28. There will be no more curses that were instituted on the old Earth.

29. The throne of the LORD God and the Lord Jesus Christ (the Lamb) will be in the New Jerusalem.

30. Servants will serve Them, and be able to see His face, and His name shall be in their foreheads.

31. There will be no night there, and no need for illumination, because the LORD God's presence gives them light.

32. The LORD God and the Lord Jesus Christ will reign forever and ever, eternally. Amen!

Conclusion

I promised at the beginning of this lecture to tell you how I know that the New Earth will have all these good things that we are used to on this Earth. I know because I know my Lord Jesus Christ and LORD God. They do not create anything that is unworthy of Their glory! If it existed on the old earth, and it was good in its purest state, then I know in my heart they will recapture that goodness and continue to develop upon what has already been created.

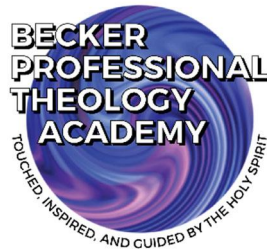
I also know because some of us have already received some limited training to assume our new jobs on the New Earth. It is nothing we talk about, but it is happening all over the world with strong, mature Christians. You now are a part of that development. You are learning things about the LORD God and the Lord Jesus Christ and the Holy Spirit that you have never learned before. You also are being prepared for that new day on the New Earth to begin your new life running with the knowledge that will help get you established and comfortable from the very beginning of your arrival! Thanks be to God!

Worksheet #5

Lecture 111- 5

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1. (True or False) The current Heaven is a temporary dwelling place that will pass away after its purpose is finished.
 - a. True
 - b. False

2. Who dwells in the temporary Heaven right now?
 - a. The LORD God
 - b. The Lord Jesus Christ
 - c. The Holy Spirit
 - d. Angels
 - e. Resurrected Baptized Believers
 - f. All the above

3. When will the New Heaven and the New Earth be formed?
 - a. After the End Times Drama
 - b. Before the Second Coming of Christ
 - c. About the middle of the Book of Revelation
 - d. All the above

4. What will the New Earth be like?
 - a. A place where we can have both a natural and a spiritual life
 - b. It will have all the righteous life things like houses, children, schools, worship places
 - c. There will be employment, farming, nature, pets, animals, bugs, fish, trees etc.
 - d. There will be families, courtship, sports, play, singing, music
 - e. All the above and much, much more.

5. (True or False) The New Earth will not have ORIGINAL SIN!
 - a. True
 - b. False

6. Where in Scripture confirms that the First Earth and the First Heaven will come to an end, and there will be no sea?
 - a. Genesis 1:1-3
 - b. John 1:1-3
 - c. Revelation 1:1-5
 - d. Revelation 21:1

7. What will replace the First Earth and the First Heaven?
 - a. New Earth and New Heaven
 - b. The same First Earth and First Heaven
 - c. Mars
 - d. Another universe created by the LORD God

8. What will replace the sea between the First Earth and the First Heaven?
 - a. Nothing will separate the New Earth and New Heaven
 - b. The sea will be drained
 - c. The sea will be carried over to the New Earth and the New Heaven
 - d. The sea will not be salty anymore

9. (True or False) Most cannot pass over the sea between the First Earth and the First Heaven without experiencing physical death.
 - a. True
 - b. False

10. Which Disciple saw the New Jerusalem coming down from God out of Heaven?
 - a. Matthew
 - b. Mark
 - c. Luke
 - d. John

11. What is John the Disciple known for?
 - a. He was the one that Jesus loved the most
 - b. He was the youngest of all twelve Disciples
 - c. He was given vision of what would happen in the End Times
 - d. He was the author of Revelations
 - e. All the above

12. (True or False) John wrote EVERYTHING he saw in visions of End Times.
 - a. True
 - b. False

13. (Fill in the blank) New Jerusalem was prepared as a _____ adorned for her husband, the Lord Jesus Christ.
- Friend
 - Disciple
 - Groom
 - Bride
14. What did John experience that confirms we know that the LORD God will dwell in the New Heaven?
- Trumpets
 - Angels singing
 - A great voice
 - All the above
15. (True or False) The LORD God said, Behold, the tabernacle of God is with men, and he will dwell with them, and they shall be his people, and God himself shall be with them, and be their God.
- True
 - False
16. (Fill in the blank) Just as the LORD God dwelt with the Israelites within the Tabernacle's _____, so too will He dwell once again with men.
- Ark of the Covenant
 - Noah's Ark
 - Temple Mount
 - All the above
17. How can the LORD God be in the New Heaven and the New Earth at the same time?
- He is a Spirit, and not limited by a physical body
 - He cannot be in two places at the same time
 - He will hustle back and forth depending upon the needs of those He loves
 - All the above
18. (True or False) The Temple of New Jerusalem will contain the Holy Tabernacle with the LORD God and the Lord Jesus Christ dwelling within.
- True
 - False
19. What might the Tabernacle of God possibly shield people from?
- His Wrath
 - His extreme Holiness and Glory
 - His Passion
 - None of the above

20. What is the Tabernacle represented by in the Old Testament?
- A Temple
 - A House
 - A Tent
 - An Ark
21. What purpose was the represented Tabernacle used in the Old Testament?
- To shield people from the extreme glory of God
 - To prevent the killing of people
 - To represent the holiness of God
 - All the above
22. Who could enter the Holiest of Holy area in the Tabernacle of the LORD God?
- The Levitical Priests
 - Only one Holy Priest
 - No one
 - None of the above
23. How was the Priest prepared to enter the Holiest of Holy's?
- He was cleansed
 - He was purified
 - He was sanctified
 - All the above
24. What could happen if someone unprepared entered the Holiest of Holy's when the LORD God's presence was within.
- They would die
 - All the above
25. What could the possible meaning with the tented LORD God and the Lamb from full view indicate will happen in the New Jerusalem?
- One must be prepared and sanctified to view them
 - To fully look upon them might be dangerous
 - Sanctification might be uncommon in regular life on the New Earth.
 - All the above
26. (True or False) There will be tears on the New Earth.
- True
 - False
27. (True or False) The LORD God will wipe away the tears on the New Earth.
- True
 - False

28. (True or False) Then there will be NO more tears on the New Earth.
- True
 - False
29. What else will NOT be on the New Earth?
- No more death
 - No more sorrow
 - No more crying
 - No more pain
 - All the above
30. How do we know it is the Lord Jesus Christ that sits upon the throne?
- He is the Alpha and Omega
 - Connecting references in other Scripture such as Revelation 1:7-8
 - He is the beginning and the end
 - He is the first and the last according to Revelation 2:8
 - All the above
31. Did you take a moment to read the description of Revelation 21:10-21 that describes in detail the things John saw as the New Jerusalem descended slowly to the New Earth?
- Yes
 - No
32. (True or False) The LORD God Almighty and the Lord Jesus Christ, the Lamb, are the Temple, the Tabernacle, that in times of old contained their glory.
- True
 - False
33. What does the LORD God's glory lighten?
- New Jerusalem
 - New Earth
 - New Heaven
 - None of the above
34. What does the Lord Jesus Christ's glory illuminate?
- He is the bright light within New Jerusalem
 - He is the sun that lights the Earth
 - He is the moon that lights the night
 - He lights everything, everywhere
35. (True or False) All nations on the New Earth will be ruled by Kings.
- True
 - False

36. What type of government will be on the New Earth?
- Democracy
 - Republic
 - Communism
 - Socialism
 - Theocracy and Magisterial
 - All the above
37. (True or False) People will not have much of a say about how they would like things to happen in the system of government that will be implemented on the New Earth.
- True
 - False
38. (True or False) Because it is our Lord Jesus Christ as King of Kings, our government will be PERFECT!
- True
 - False
39. (Fill in the blank) The _____ of New Jerusalem will not shut at all by day, and since there is only day, they will never close.
- Temple
 - Gates
 - Towers
 - Tabernacle
40. (Fill in the blank) Only those written in the Lamb's _____ can enter the New Jerusalem.
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- Healed
 - Wet
 - Fertilized
 - Prepared

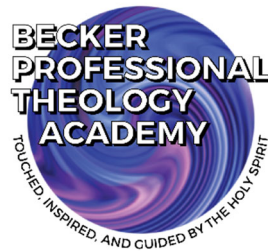
43. Where does the water of life proceed from?
- Out of the throne of God
 - Out of New Jerusalem
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 - Out of the King's thrones throughout the land
44. (True or False) We will be given access to the Tree of Life!
- True
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45. (True or False) The Tree of Life is the same tree that Adam and Eve were forbidden to eat in Genesis 3:22-23.
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49. (True or False) Servants of the LORD God and the Lord Jesus Christ, will be able to see His face, and His name shall be in their foreheads.
- True
 - False
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- Amen
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Discussion Board #4

Lecture 111- 5

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Discussion Board #4 – New Heaven and New Earth

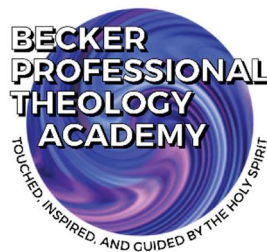
Are you prepared to assume your new lives on the New Earth? Have you realized any training of basic skills developing that may be for our next life on the New Earth? If you could have any career on the New Earth, what would it be? Would you get married quickly, or wait a bit longer? How many of you would dedicate some time every day to exercise to keep your new bodies in shape? What will it be like to see other generations of folks that lived a long time before us, gathered together in their communities, living their lives to the fullest? And how GREAT will it be that our Lord Jesus Christ will be in our presence every moment! Thanks be to God!

Quiz #4

Lecture 111- 4

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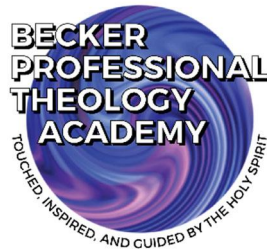
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 - False
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- Amen
 - Amen
 - Amen
 - All the above

Small Essay Exercise #3

Lecture 111- 3

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Now it is time for you to make a Statement of Fact (SOF) journey on your own. You will not do perfect work on this one. I don't expect it. I am looking for attempts to meet the Truth of God as perfectly as you can right now. By the time you graduate, you will be able to do this with your eyes closed. For your first one...not so much. Don't worry about your grade. Just give it your best effort. Once you have done your best job, send it to beckerbible@gmail.com so I can have a look and grade it. (Note: I've added just one number after each verse. You will probably need more numbers. Just cross out and add and change as necessary).

John 6:15–27 (KJV 1900)

¹⁵ When Jesus therefore perceived that they would come and take him by force, to make him a king, he departed again into a mountain himself alone.

1.

¹⁶ And when even was *now* come, his disciples went down unto the sea, ¹⁷ And entered into a ship, and went over the sea toward Capernaum. And it was now dark, and Jesus was not come to them.

2.

¹⁸ And the sea arose by reason of a great wind that blew.

3.

¹⁹ So when they had rowed about five and twenty or thirty furlongs, they see Jesus walking on the sea, and drawing nigh unto the ship: and they were afraid.

4.

²⁰ But he saith unto them, **It is I; be not afraid.**

5.

²¹ Then they willingly received him into the ship: and immediately the ship was at the land whither they went.

6.

²² The day following, when the people which stood on the other side of the sea saw that there was none other boat there, save that one whereinto his disciples were entered, and that Jesus went not with his disciples into the boat, but *that* his disciples were gone away alone;

7.

²³ (Howbeit there came other boats from Tiberias nigh unto the place where they did eat bread, after that the Lord had given thanks:)

8.

²⁴ When the people therefore saw that Jesus was not there, neither his disciples, they also took shipping, and came to Capernaum, seeking for Jesus.

9.

²⁵ And when they had found him on the other side of the sea, they said unto him, Rabbi, when camest thou hither?

10.

²⁶ Jesus answered them and said, **Verily, verily, I say unto you, Ye seek me, not because ye saw the miracles, but because ye did eat of the loaves, and were filled.**

11.

²⁷ Labour not for the meat which perisheth, but for that meat which endureth unto everlasting life, which the Son of man shall give unto you: for him hath God the Father sealed.

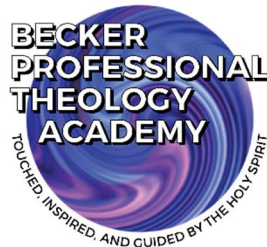
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Small Essay Exercise #4

Lecture 111- 3

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Now, we are going to do another Scripture that is completely unrelated to Lecture 3. But parts of the Scripture verses might have some effect upon us understanding Mark 4:35-41 even deeper. Check it out! Do your best work, don't worry about your grade, and send it to me at beckerbible@gmail.com so I can see your good work and grade it. As always, change the numbers to fit your needs.

Ephesians 4:11–16 (KJV 1900)

¹¹ And he gave some, apostles; and some, prophets; and some, evangelists; and some, pastors and teachers;

1.

¹² For the perfecting of the saints, for the work of the ministry, for the edifying of the body of Christ:

2.

¹³ Till we all come in the unity of the faith, and of the knowledge of the Son of God, unto a perfect man, unto the measure of the stature of the fulness of Christ:

3.

¹⁴ That we *henceforth* be no more children, tossed to and fro, and carried about with every wind of doctrine, by the sleight of men, *and* cunning craftiness, whereby they lie in wait to deceive;

4.

¹⁵ But speaking the truth in love, may grow up into him in all things, which is the head, *even* Christ:

5.

¹⁶ From whom the whole body fitly joined together and compacted by that which every joint supplieth, according to the effectual working in the measure of every part, maketh increase of the body unto the edifying of itself in love.

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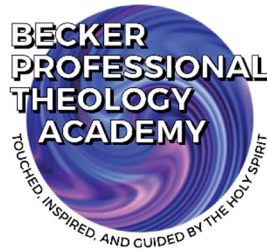
Application:

What is a possible cause of the wind that was blowing ferociously in Mark 4:35-41, that was shaking that little ship back and forth in the terrible storm?

Final Test #1

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This is the Final Test for Bibl111. You have completed all your coursework, and now you should be fully prepared to take this test. Relax. Just answer the questions with the learning you received, and you will do fine. Each question is worth 10 points. You must get 70% to pass this test.

1. A young man, age 13, in the congregation of Believers, jumps at the altar call, and runs ahead of everyone else. He plunges to his knees, and seemingly has a spiritual ecstasy moment as He declares Christ as his Savior. But his actions seem over-the-top, and not necessarily proof that he even understands the entire concept of salvation through Christ. How should the Professional Theologist instruct the child and address his fervor?

2. A heartbroken mother comes to you because her two-year-old baby choked on a piece of food and died. She begs you to baptize the child's dead body so the child can go to Heaven and be with the Lord. What do you advise her and what Scripture do you use to support your answer?

3. An old, grouchy man has attended Bible studies with his wife sporadically. Usually, he stays quiet during the study, but rolls his eyes often in the mocking of answers by the students. Then one day he shows up with his Bible in hand and tells everyone that he became saved on the weekend after he accepted Jesus Christ as his Savior. They gather around him in congratulations, and he remains stoic and seemingly unaffected. His mannerisms continue to be like a grouchy old man. Some question his salvation since he didn't seem to be changed one bit, and there was absolutely no emotion. How should the Bible Study Teacher advise those that question his salvation?

4. A woman Professional Theologist is teaching Bible on the Internet. Recently there has been an uproar because a conservative group of Christians have joined together to run her presence off the Internet. Their excuse for their attempts is that the Bible says a woman should NOT teach and does not even have permission to talk. Should the Professional Theologist support the Christian woman's works, or the protest of the offended Christian men? How would you support your position with Scripture?

5. You overhear a mourning Christian wife at a funeral declare her unbaptized Christian husband is happier now that he is in Heaven. Should you correct her when her mourning is lessened? What should you say if she asks?

6. A Seventh Day Adventist approaches you and declares your teachings that people go immediately to Heaven when they die as false teachings. Their belief that all people sleep in their grave until resurrection conflicts with Scripture Truth. How do you explain these differences with Scripture and the Truth of God?

7. How do you explain that the Heaven most New Christians believe is eternal, will actually come to an end, with a replacement New Heaven and New Earth in the future? Can you inspire spiritual growth by replacing their focus of the Old Heaven of "rest" with the New Earth and New Heaven? What would you tell them the difference between life on the New Earth vs. life on the Old Earth, and life on the New Earth compared with the Old Heaven?

8. Explain the idea of the Baptismal Grave and its contribution to salvation and born-again status.

9. List at least five benefits that salvation gives a Christian.

10. Describe how presently see your Professional Theology education helping your ministry.