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“The churches of Christ salute you” Rm 16:16

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Defending The Truth Against False Teaching? #1

In the world today, many false teachings are being proclaimed and believed. What should our response be? Should we just stand by and allow these teachings to go on without saying anything or are we called to do something major? In this series of articles, we are going to look at what the Bible says are reasons why we are CALLED to defend the truth against error.

First, we must see where God stands on false teaching. **Because it is the case that God’s words are truth (Psalm 119:160, John 17:17), anything that is opposite of that IS NOT HIS! When something alters from the word of God, it is NOT what God has said.** And if it is not what God said, then the intent for those words spoken by God is missed and overlooked. When we take what God says and try to replace it or misconstrued it, God IS NOT HAPPY with it because it is NOT what He said. We must realize that God says what He says for a reason, and it is for the fact of making us more like Him.

God is also against false teaching **because His word leads to everlasting life and anything different DOES NOT lead to everlasting life.** This goes back to the purpose and the intent of His words for us. Do we realize that when we speak anything that differs from God’s word, we are affecting the eternal destiny of the hearers? In **John 8:32** Jesus said, “And you shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free.” Truth intends to set free the ones who are willing to listen and obey it. If it is not the truth, **NO ONE CAN BE SET FREE!** If we are not set free, then we will still be in our sins and therefore will be lost for all eternity.

Service Times

Sunday AM Bible Study
10AM
Sunday AM Worship
10:50AM
Sunday PM Worship
6PM
Wednesday Bible Study
7PM

LADIES!!
Our Ladies Day is
this upcoming
Saturday!!
March 25th.
Speaker:
Tara Roy
Be sure to Register
Online!!

God is also against false teaching because **God's word makes disciples of Christ, but error makes disciples of Satan.** We see this in **John 8:31** when Jesus says, "Then Jesus said to those Jews who believed Him, "If you abide in My word, you are My disciples indeed." The qualification to being a disciple of Christ is that we follow the word of God as our standard. If our standard is based on anything else, then it is a lie because it is not the truth. Now we know who the father of lies is from **John 8:44** where Jesus says, "You are of your father the devil, and the desires of your father you want to do. He was a murderer from the beginning, and does not stand in the truth, because there is no truth in him. When he speaks a lie, he speaks from his own resources, for he is a liar and the father of it." If we don't want to be disciples of the devil, we must change and follow the other standard - the word of God.

God is also against false teaching because **God's word leads people to have a relationship with Him, but error drives a wedge in the fellowship of God and His people.** We see this in **2 John 9** where John states, "Whoever transgresses and does not abide in the doctrine of Christ does not have God. He who abides in the doctrine of Christ has both the Father and the Son." God longs to have fellowship with His creation, but He makes the standard of fellowship based on the teachings of His word. When mankind wants to change the source of their teachings from what God says to say and teach another, we have to sacrifice our fellowship with God. We cannot change or alter our teachings from God's word and be found to be in good standing with God. **Galatians 1:6-9** teaches "6 I marvel that you are turning away so soon from Him who called you in the grace of Christ, to a different gospel, 7 which is not another; but there are some who trouble you and want to pervert the gospel of Christ. 8 But even if we, or an angel from heaven, preach any other gospel to you than what we have preached to you, let him be accursed. 9 As we have said before, so now I say again, if anyone preaches any other gospel to you than what you have received, let him be accursed."

May we stand with God and not be against Him so that we can have Heaven as our home, and we can be in full fellowship with Him!

- Wes Garland

WELCOME VISITORS

WE ARE HAPPY TO HAVE YOU VISITING WITH US THIS MORNING. WE INVITE YOU TO RETURN THIS EVENING AT 6:00 P.M. FOR THE SUNDAY EVENING SERVICE AND AT 7:00 P.M. EACH WEDNESDAY EVENING FOR THE MID-WEEK BIBLE STUDY.

*** PLEASE FILL OUT A VISITOR'S CARD!**

Our Condolences to Polly Tatum's family. Polly passed away Wednesday morning. This is Karen Clemmons' sister.

Wisdom Corner

If you only pray when you're in trouble... you're in trouble.

READ THE NEW TESTAMENT IN 2023

March 21 - Mark 14:1-36 March 25 - Mark 16:1-20
March 22 - Mark 14:37-72 March 26 - Luke 1:1-40
March 23 - Mark 15:1-23 March 27 - Luke 1:41-80
March 24 - Mark 15:24-47 March 28 - Luke 2:1-26

OUR SICK

Please Remember in your prayers!

Diane Greeson, Carl Harper, Becky Allen, Tish Clark, Jack Piper, Sharron York, Bobby Childress, John Ransom, Barbie Bailey, Todd Hinson and DJ Harrison, Johnny McBrayer, Roger Allen and Sherrill Stewart.

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Gloria McSwain (Roger Allen's friend) needs prayers as she has lost her husband. She and her daughter needs our prayers and encouragement. .

Dave Erwin- started radiation for prostate cancer. Neighbor of Charley and Pat Belch. Prayers requested.

Hank Wade- Ashley Everett's father, has a malignant tumor in his lung. Prayers are requested on his behalf.

Debbie Burke- Brooke Garland's mother, is feeling better. Debbie would like to thank everyone for the sweet cards! She will see her new Doctor March 22nd.

David Shoaf- is scheduled to have shoulder surgery on March 29th. Please keep him in your prayers. He will be home until then.

Nathan and Bethany Roy- They need our prayers and encouragement! Their address is in the directory.

Diane Craft- Will Lucas' grandmother, is in the hospital and needs our prayers.

Edith Allen- Roger Allen's mother, was rushed to the ER. She is currently in ICU, in Cookeville, and is unresponsive. Prayers appreciated!

Evan McCloudsky- a friend of the Byrd family- needs our prayers. Possible head injury while practicing and he started to have seizures.

Peggy Tesh- Jessica Knights Aunt, was diagnosed with stage two cervical cancer. Please keep her in your prayers.

Mary Porchey- Tim and Lois' neighbor, requested prayers on her behalf.

Emilia Allen- has pink eye and an ear infection. Please keep her in your prayers.

WARNERS UPCOMING EVENTS

MARCH 25th– Ladies Day, Guest Speaker:
Tara Roy
Theme: ALL IN or ALL OUT
Please Register Online!
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MAY 6th– Senior Rally, Guest Speaker:
Billy Smith
More Information at a later date!

JUNE 25-28th VBS for Warners Chapel

AREA EVENTS:

April 1st- South Stokes church of Christ, Ladies Day. Speaker: Teresa Glenn. Registration begins at 9am. Check bulletin for more info!

April 1st Concord church of Christ, Ladies Day starts at 9am. Speaker: Denise Wilkins Topic: The Joys and Challenges of being a Christian Woman. Register online. Check bulletin board for more info!

April 16th-19th Lexington church of Christ, Gospel Meeting. Speaker: Ben Bailey. 7pm weeknights. Check bulletin board for topics each night. Ph: 336-249-8407. 1330 Pleadmont Drive, Lexington, NC 27295.

April 21– April 23 Youth Rally 2023 Speaker: Kirk Sams. Register Online: @lakenormancoc.org Lake Norman, 17634 Caldwell Station Rd, Huntsville, NC, 28078. Ph: 704-895-1155

Kids Corner

- . How many books are in the Old Testament?
- . What did God create on Day 5? Gen 1
- . What was the 8th plague in Egypt? Ex 10

Look for the answers next week!

Last Week's Answers

1. King after God's own heart. David
2. Day 2: The Firmament.
3. 5th plague- Livestock Diseased! Ex 9

Announcements for Sunday and Wednesday: Andy Santiago

Communion: Joe Byrd

Security And Greeting: RJ Landry and Jim Harrison

SUNDAY BIBLE CLASS: For March

	Scripture	Song Leader	Prayer
March 5th	RODNEY BROWN	WAYNE ALLEN	TODD HINSON
March 12th	RANDY WARNER	DAVID SHOAF	MARK MINOR
March 19th	GENE RUARK	GENE SOUTHERN	MIKE GLENN
March 26th	AL LAWSON	JUSTIN LITTLE	JIM HARRISON

WORSHIP: Opening Prayers For March

	Sunday AM	Sunday PM	Wednesday
March 5th	BOB WILSON	BILL CAROUTHES	March 1st ADAM WARNER
March 12th	CHARLIE BELCH	WAYNE ALLEN	March 8th JOHNNY SPILLMAN
March 19th	DAVID MOORE	CARL COOPER	March 15th STEVE TESH
March 26th	DAVID SHOAF	CLAYTON WORKMAN	March 22nd RODNEY BROWN
			March 29th MIKE LUNGREN

Song Leaders For March

	Sunday AM	Sunday PM	Wednesday
March 5th	Clayton	Tristan	March 1 st David Shoaf
March 12th	David Shoaf	David Shoaf	March 8 th David Shoaf
March 19th	Charley	Charley	March 15 th Gene
March 26th	Steve	Song +Prayer SVC/ Charley	March 22 nd Clayton
			March 29 th Wayne

PLEASE, if you are unable to be here, ARRANGE COVERAGE!

Thank you for your willingness to serve!

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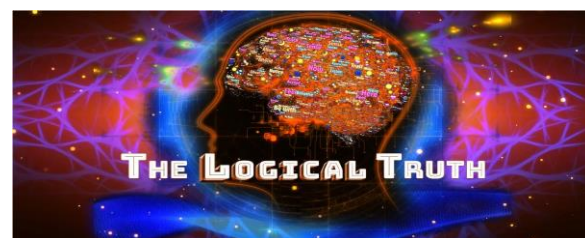
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COME STUDY WITH US!

**MONDAY - FRIDAY 9:30 - 4:30PM
CHAPEL EVERYDAY IN THE ANNEX
@ 9AM**



**WATCH ON ABC45 EVERY SUNDAY
@ 12:30PM**