



The Orlando Institute

Equipping Leaders to Disciple the Nations

NT 100 New Testament Survey

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Syllabus

I. Objectives: by the completion of this class you will:

1. develop greater understanding of the New Testament character and doctrine
2. have a deeper appreciation for the New Testament as a book of faith
3. gain more trust in God and readiness to live for Him
4. read about the events and people who bring the goals of God and mankind to reality and describe in some detail the main movements which have occurred in New Testament history.
5. focus on the key individuals and situations which made critical differences in the development of peoples and fulfillment of the Great Commission.
6. Learn the theology and ethics of living before God.

II. Sessions

<u>Session</u>	<u>Topic</u>
One	Intertestamental Period
Two	Roman and Greek Culture
Three	Synoptic Gospels
Four	Gospel of John
Five	Acts 1-15 and the Jerusalem Council
Six	Early Pauline Letters: 48-59AD
Seven	Later Pauline Letters: 60-65AD
Eight	Hebrews
Nine	General Epistles
Ten	Revelation
Eleven	Theology of Peter, Paul, John
Twelve	Theology of the New Testament

III. Textbooks

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IV. Assignments.

1. Prepare a paper (mostly inductive, due in two weeks, four pages) on one of the following:
 - A. The Promise
 - B. Salvation by Grace
 - C. The Great Commission in the New Testament
 - D. The Theology of Fellowship
2. An Application of New Testament Ethics to Life Today (due in three weeks, four-six pages) concerning:
 - A. Submission Under Two Structures: secular & religious
 - B. Ethics in Business
 - C. Personal Integrity
 - D. The Influence of the Receiving Culture on the Expression of the Gospel

3. Memorize the following verses:
Matthew 28:18-20 (week five)
Philippians 2:5-8 (week seven)

IV. Grading

assignment one	30%
assignment two	30%
memorization	20%
final exam	<u>20%</u>
	100%

V. Bibliography

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