



# CHRISTIAN APOLOGETICS

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## “Christian Apologetics”

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To receive credit for this course from Faith Bible Institute, please complete the following list of assignments:

### List of Assignments:

- \* Read all passages of Scripture mentioned on the worksheets
  
- \* Complete all worksheets provided in the course
  
- You will need a copy of the textbook:

**“Christian Apologetics” by Dr. Norman Geisler**

This book is available from the following:

*Christian Book Distributors*  
*PO Box 7000*  
*Peabody, MA 01961-7000*  
Phone: (978) 977-5000

\* Return completed worksheets to the Institute along with a written statement concerning your memory verses. The statement should simply mention that you truly memorized the verses and give your word to that effect. It is suggested that you provide your signature and that of a witness, if available, to verify your memory work.

# Scripture Memory Assignments

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- Memory work should only be done from the Authorized Version of God's Holy Word, the King James 1611.

Week 1 .....I Cor. 15:1-6

Week 2 .....I Cor. 15:12-19

Week 3 .....I Peter 3:15, 16

Week 4 .....Phil. 1:12-18

Week 5 ..... II Tim. 3:16, 17

Week 6 ..... II John 7-11

Week 7 .....Jude 1-4

Week 8 ..... Titus 2:11 - 15

All memory selections are listed to be learned weekly, but this is not required. However, all verses are to be memorized in order to complete the course. Work at your own pace, hide God's Word in your heart, and meditate on it regularly. The great John Bunyan, author of *Pilgrim's Progress*, is reported to have said, "***This book will keep you from sin or sin will keep you from this book.***"

This course may take you more or less than the recommended nine weeks for completion. Again, work at your own pace. Make sure you are getting something from the studies. They are simple studies designed to get you into your Bible. You must look up the verses in order to complete the worksheets. By comparing scripture with scripture, you will learn and grow. (*II Peter 3:18 But grow in grace, and in the knowledge of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. To him be glory both now and for ever. Amen.*)

"Thy word have I hid in mine heart, that I might not sin against thee" - Ps. 119:11

# Worksheet

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1. Define "Christian apologetics."
2. Give two references as a basis for apologetics. I.e. Scripture verses where the Greek work "*apologian*" is used.
3. What does the science of Christian theology assume?
4. What is the function of apologetics?
5. Why does theological liberalism have no doctrine of apologetics?
6. Give two purposes for apologetics.
7. What is the "human problem" that relates to the limitations of apologetics?
8. What is the "Satanic" problem? Cite Scripture reference in your response.
9. Cite the passage dealt with in the lectures that reveal how men often reject what they do know. I.e. how they "hold down" or "suppress" what God has revealed.
10. In what parable did Christ deal with the issue of the work of Satan when the Word of God is given?
11. Define the Biblical method of reaching people for Christ, given the human impossibility of handling the two limitations of apologetics?
12. Cite two Scriptural examples of those who had evidences of validity of the Christian faith (i.e. they witnessed miracles) but yet had unchanged hearts.
13. List four prominent arguments suggested by the opponents of Christianity for denying the credibility of the resurrection. In your response answer each of their arguments.
14. How does the liberal deal with the resurrection?
15. What passage in the New Testament has a sizeable list of those who were eyewitnesses of the risen Christ?
16. Cite an example of another resurrection miracle (other than Christ's own resurrection). In your response indicate how the religious leaders deal with this miracle.

17. List five results if the resurrection of Christ did not occur.
18. List three results because of the reality of the resurrection.
19. Cite two passages in the New Testament that teaches the inspiration of the Bible.
20. Write a paragraph dealing with the issues that highlight the wonderful unity of the Bible.
21. List three illustrations of the scientific accuracy of the Bible.
22. Cite examples of the fulfillment of prophecies relating to Christ that were fulfilled during His life and ministry.
23. Give an example in the Bible and cite the reference for a king who attempted to destroy the Word of God.
24. Briefly discuss the "contradiction" offered by critics that Christ would produce wine at Cana when the Bible in other passages give such warning against "strong drink. "
25. Deal with the so-called contradictions in I John 1 and 2 that teaches that we all do sin and the Christian can't sin.