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B224 / B524 / B724 - Ephesians Course Description & Syllabus

This course on Ephesians is an extensive and expository teaching, line by line, on what many have called the Alps of the Bible. In this one Book of the Bible, God intended to provide believers with a road map to move into the unity of the faith and unto the measure of the stature of the fullness of Christ. The student will gain a deeper understanding of the themes of unity, reconciliation, and love with a glimpse into God's plan, as related through Paul, for the believer (the church) and discover how the Gospel intends to affect everyday life. This course can be taken on an undergraduate level of study (B224 - towards a Bachelor degree), or it can be taken on a graduate level of study (B524/B724 - towards a Masters or Doctors degree), providing the course requirements are met as explained in this course syllabus.

COURSE OBJECTIVES:

ACADEMIC--- For students to gain an in-depth understanding of Paul's Epistle to the Ephesians. Ephesians was really written to the body of Believer's, God's church, and family.

ATTITUDINAL--- For students to gain an understanding of God's blueprint to enter into what one might call the stature of the fullness of Christ, in all things Father God planned for His family here on earth.

BEHAVIORAL--- For the student to enter into and apply the major tenets of the Book of Ephesians.



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COURSE GRADING:

Chesapeake Bible College and Seminary uses a four-point grading system to calculate both semester and cumulative grade point averages. Point grades for all quizzes, exams, projects, and/or papers in any given course will be averaged to determine the final letter grade for the course, as applicable.

GRADING: - Description of Letter / Points

Work of an exceptional quality – A / 93 - 100%

Work of a commendable quality – B / 85 - 92%

Work of an acceptable quality – C / 78 - 84%

Work of minimal but passing quality – D / 70 - 77%

Failing work, no credit given – F / 0 - 69%

<u>NOTE:</u> Students are strongly advised to make copies of <u>all course work</u> submitted to Chesapeake Bible College & Seminary for grading.



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COURSE REQUIREMENTS

REQUIRED TEXT: The Bible (KJV or NKJV)

SUPPLEMENTAL TEXT: "Ephesians" - A Self Study Guide by Irving L. Jensen: ISBN 978-0-802-444-54-7

The textbook is required for Independent Correspondent Students (ICS) or Distance Learning Center (DLC) students (who are not utilizing the Online Student Portal for coursework materials). The textbook is Supplemental; not required for the Online Student but available to the Online Student as a supplement to expand their learning.

B224 - (DIPLOMA - ASSOCIATE - BACHELOR) - 3 CREDIT - DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

For Students taking this course at an undergraduate level, (4) credit course, an additional six (6)-page essay is required to be submitted from any topic of choice from Chapters 1-6 in addition to the criteria below. This six (6)-page essay includes a cover page & bibliography page. The essay is to be typed double spaced, in New Times Roman type font, 12 font size. The instructions for essay/assignment submission are as follows: Coursework may be electronically uploaded into the Online Student Portal (if taking the course as an Online Student); submitted to the overseeing Instructor (if taking the course as part of a Distance Learning (DLC) Center); or electronically emailed to Assignment@chesapeakebiblecollege.com.

- 1. Maintain a minimum of a "C" average for the course.
- 2. Read all materials assigned.
- 3. Study the review materials.
- 4. Before taking the final examination, the student will submit an outline of all six (6) chapters of Ephesians. The outline is to break down each chapter by main points of the chapter along with the associated chapter-verse references. For each chapter, the student is asked to select a topic of choice from a section of each chapter content and provide a one-page essay as to how they would apply the concept to their life as a believer; how they could use the concept to intentionally disciple another; or how they see the concept relationally applied within the local church setting. This will constitute one-half (50%) of your grade

- for the course. Outlines submitted must have course title page and may be submitted as outlined in the B224 Degree Requirement description above.
- 5. Successful completion of the Mid-term (25%) and Final (25%) Examinations will constitute the remainder of your grades for the course.

B524 - (MASTERS) - 4 CREDIT - DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

For students taking this course on a Master's level, the student must:

- 1. Maintain a minimum of a "B" average for the course.
- 2. Read all materials assigned.
- 3. Study the review materials.
- 4. Before taking the final examination, the student will submit a ten (10)- page essay on any topic pertaining to the subject studied in this course. This ten (10)-page essay includes a cover page & bibliography page. The essay is to be typed double spaced, in New Times Roman type font, 12 font size. The instructions for essay/assignment submission are as follows: Coursework may be electronically uploaded into the Online Student Portal (if taking the course as an Online Student); submitted to the overseeing Instructor (if taking the course as part of a Distance Learning (DLC) Center); or electronically emailed to Assignment@chesapeakebiblecollege.com. The essay will constitute one-half (50%) of your grade for the course.
- 5. Successful completion of the Mid-term (25%) and Final (25%) Examinations will constitute the remainder of your grades for the course.

B724 - (DOCTORS) - 4 CREDIT - DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

For students taking this course on a Doctor's level, the requirements are the same as the Master's degree (see above) except the student must write a twenty (20)-page essay, instead of a ten (10)- page essay. This twenty (20)-page essay includes a cover page & bibliography page. The essay may be submitted as outlined in the B224 Degree Requirement and the Master Degree descriptions above.



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B224 / B524 / B724 - Ephesians Syllabus

COURSE INTRODUCTION

Read the Foreword & Introduction

LESSON 1 - Chapter One

- Read the accompanying Syllabi sections of course work
- Read Chapter 1 of the Book of Ephesians
- Reflect on portions of the lesson text considering how it can be applied to self/others/the Church
- Review study materials as applicable for this lesson

Section 1 – The Believer's Inheritance

Section 2 – The Believer's Potential

<u>Lesson 2</u> - Chapter 2

- Read the accompanying Syllabi sections of course work
- Read Chapter 2 of the Book of Ephesians
- Reflect on portions of the lesson text considering how it can be applied to self/others/the Church
- Review study materials as applicable for this lesson

Section 1 – The Believer's Position

Lesson 3 - Chapter 3

- Read the accompanying Syllabi sections of course work
- Read Chapter 3 of the Book of Ephesians
- Reflect on portions of the lesson text considering how it can be applied to self/others/the Church
- Review study materials as applicable for this lesson

Section 1 – The Believer's Privilege

Section 2 – The Believer's Provisions

Lesson 4 - Chapter 4

- Read the accompanying Syllabi sections of course work
- Read Chapter 4 of the Book of Ephesians
- Reflect on portions of the lesson text considering how it can be applied to self/others/the Church
- Review study materials as applicable for this lesson

Section 1 – The Believer's Preparation

Section 2 – The Believer's Knowledge

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Lesson 5 - Chapter 5

- Read the accompanying Syllabi sections of course work
- Read Chapter 5 of the Book of Ephesians
- Reflect on portions of the lesson text considering how it can be applied to self/others/the Church
- Review study materials as applicable for this lesson

Section 1 – The Believer's Individuality

Section 2 – The Believer's Discernment

Section 3 – The Believer's Cooperation (Part I Eph. 5:22-33)

Lesson 6 - Chapter 6

- Read the accompanying Syllabi sections of course work
- Read the Book of Isaiah
- Review study materials as applicable for this lesson

Section 1 – The Believer's Cooperation (Part II Eph. 6:1-9)

Section 2 – The Believer's Warfare

Section 3 – The Believer's Equipment

Section 4 – The Believer's Prayer Life

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B224/B524/B724 Chapters 5 and 6 Study Review

FINAL EXAM DUE

APPENDIX LISTING – Extra Study Text

Appendix 1

Geography of Ephesians

Appendix 2

• Ephesians: Christ and the Church Chart

Appendix 3

• "You are a Poem" (Supplement) by Rev. Calvin R. Householder

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- B224 / B524 / B724 Midterm Exam Chapters 1-4 Study Review
- B224 / B524 / B724 Final Exam Chapters 5-6 Study Review

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