**Scriptures for Sound Doctrine Training**

**Part 1: Source of sound doctrine and responsibility to maintain it**

**The scriptures are source of sound doctrine.**

 II Timothy 3:16, 17

**The scriptures are permanent.**

Matthew 24:35; I Peter 1:22-25

**The scriptures must be used correctly.**

 II Timothy 2:15

**The church leadership has the responsibility to teach and be sure that sound doctrine is taught.**

 Elders-- Acts 20:26-31 Ephesian Elders—Revelation 2:1-7

 Evangelists and preachers-- I Timothy 4:15, 16, I Timothy 6:3-5, I Timothy 6:20-21,

 II Timothy 1:13,14, II Timothy 4:1-5

**Part 2: Scriptures related to maintaining sound doctrine**

**From the Old Testament:** Deuteronomy 13:1-5, Deuteronomy 18:20-22, Isaiah 8:19, 20,

 Jeremiah 23:9-40

**From the New Testament:** Matthew 4:5-7,Matthew 22:23-32,I Corinthians 14:37. Galatians 1:6-10,

 II Peter 1:2, 3, II Peter 2:1-3, II Peter 3:14-18, I John 5:13, II John 9-11,

 Jude 3, Revelation 22:18, 19

**Why is this important?**

John 12:44-50; Revelation 20:11-15

**Part 3: Determining if a doctrine is sound or not sound (Which of these are “sound” doctrine?)**

1. Sexuality is to be expressed in marriage and to have sex outside of marriage is a sin. True

 2. Baptism has no part in our salvation as we are saved by faith alone. False

 3. All religions in the world can lead man to God and to salvation. False

 4. God has predestined that Christ is the savior of men, and that some people will be saved and

 that some people will be condemned. True

 5. It is not necessary for Christians to be part of the church. We can be spiritual without the

 commitment to other believers required by church membership. False

The task is to determine from Scripture why each statement is true or false as declared. Ask for help if you need it. Remember, answering a question must depend on ALL SCRIPTURE!