

Preface  
Special Note from Andy

First, and MOST IMPORTANT, get a copy of **the Holy Bible** and compare all things found in this guide to God's Inspired Word. Open your Bibles and read them daily. Most references given in these notes will be from New Kings James Version. Begin each study session with prayer. Let us prepare and think about the material before arrival in the class. Spending time preparing for the class discussions will make for a better and more organized class.

Second, let me say this class is designed for students of all ages and levels of spiritual maturity. Many young people or new Christians have never studied this subject. For that reason, we will begin with the basics and move into the more in-depth topics. These notes hopefully will encourage and promote a sincere and honest examination of the subject of New Testament Authority. I learn things each time I cross paths with other people no matter the age. An open and sincere study brings wisdom, maturity and understanding. I have found this to be especially true for the teacher. Each person taking part in this study has something to contribute.

Third, I am just the compiler of this material. I have had many great men influence me over my lifetime. To each of them, many who have ended this journey, I owe a great debt of gratitude. Many have given words of encouragement, and some have given words of correction. Both groups were equally important. In this workbook I have simply re-printed, re-worded, re-used the outlines and words that have been passed along to me. I have gathered from many sources. I have studied with many individuals. It would be an impossible task to cite each source correctly. I am most thankful for all those who have given their time, effort, and talents to teach and guide me over the years. It is not my intention to infringe upon copyrights or ownership. Much has been contributed by many and for that I say "thanks" and pass it along for others to consider. This guide is sent forth to be used without copyright. Please feel free to use it any way that will assist others to better understand God's Will. Let us never impose or push someone into accepting things they are not clearly set forth in the Bible. Evidence is one thing and opinion is another. I am sure these notes contain mistakes and omissions. All corrections and suggestion are welcomed and will be corrected or revised in future printings. If these notes can encourage one person to become a better Christian with a better understanding of "New Testament Authority " then all efforts will be greatly repaid.

Finally, MAY GOD BLESS each of us as we study together to better understand the New Testament Authority that "MUST" be had for all things we believe and practice in the New Testament Church.

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